

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. Identification

**Product identifier** Bis(2,4-Dichlorophenoxy)acetic Acid

**Other means of identification**

**Item** N-14127

**CAS number** 100541-30-8

**Recommended use** For Laboratory Use Only

**Recommended restrictions** None known.

**Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information**

**Manufacturer**

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## 2. Hazard(s) identification

**Physical hazards** Not classified.

**Health hazards**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Acute toxicity, oral                            | Category 4                              |
| Acute toxicity, dermal                          | Category 4                              |
| Skin corrosion/irritation                       | Category 2                              |
| Serious eye damage/eye irritation               | Category 1                              |
| Sensitization, respiratory                      | Category 1                              |
| Sensitization, skin                             | Category 1                              |
| Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure | Category 3 respiratory tract irritation |

**Environmental hazards**

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| Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute hazard     | Category 1 |
| Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term hazard | Category 3 |

**OSHA defined hazards** Not classified.

**Label elements**



**Signal word** Danger

**Hazard statement** Harmful if swallowed. Harmful in contact with skin. Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes serious eye damage. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation. Very toxic to aquatic life. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary statement**

**Prevention** Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. Avoid release to the environment. Wear eye protection/face protection. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

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| <b>Response</b>                                  | If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a poison center/doctor. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Collect spillage. |
| <b>Storage</b>                                   | Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up.   |
| <b>Disposal</b>                                  | Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.   |
| <b>Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)</b> | None known.   |
| <b>Supplemental information</b>                  | The health effects for this product have not been fully evaluated. The GHS classification is based on a material with a similar structure.  |

### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Substances

| Chemical name                       | Common name and synonyms | CAS number  | %   |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|-----|
| Bis(2,4-Dichlorophenoxy)acetic Acid |                          | 100541-30-8 | 100 |

### 4. First-aid measures

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| <b>Inhalation</b>   | Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Oxygen or artificial respiration if needed. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim inhaled the substance. Induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. |
| <b>Skin contact</b>   | Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell. In case of eczema or other skin disorders: Seek medical attention and take along these instructions. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.   |
| <b>Eye contact</b>  | Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention immediately.  |
| <b>Ingestion</b>  | Rinse mouth. If vomiting occurs, keep head low so that stomach content doesn't get into the lungs. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.  |
| <b>Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed</b>                     | Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Permanent eye damage including blindness could result. May cause respiratory irritation. Difficulty in breathing. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash.  |
| <b>Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed</b> | Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim warm. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.   |
| <b>General information</b>  | If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  |

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

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| <b>Suitable extinguishing media</b>                                  | Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2).                                   |
| <b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>                                | Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.                        |
| <b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>                    | During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.   |
| <b>Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters</b> | Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire. |
| <b>Fire fighting equipment/instructions</b>                          | Use water spray to cool unopened containers.  |
| <b>Specific methods</b>  | Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.    |
| <b>General fire hazards</b>  | No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.   |

## 6. Accidental release measures

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| <b>Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures</b> | Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.   |
| <b>Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up</b>               | <p>Prevent product from entering drains.</p> <p>Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Following product recovery, flush area with water.</p> <p>Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.</p> <p>Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.</p> |
| <b>Environmental precautions</b>   | Avoid release to the environment. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.   |

## 7. Handling and storage

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| <b>Precautions for safe handling</b>                                | Do not get this material in contact with eyes. Do not taste or swallow. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. |
| <b>Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities</b> | Store locked up. Store in original tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).  |

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

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| <b>Occupational exposure limits</b>  | This substance has no PEL, TLV, or other recommended exposure limit.   |
| <b>Biological limit values</b>   | No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).   |
| <b>Appropriate engineering controls</b>                                      | Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. General ventilation normally adequate. Provide eyewash station. Eye wash fountain and emergency showers are recommended. |
| <b>Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment</b> |  |
| <b>Eye/face protection</b>   | Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) and a face shield.  |
| <b>Skin protection</b>   |  |
| <b>Hand protection</b>   | Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.  |
| <b>Other</b>   | Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. Use of an impervious apron is recommended.   |
| <b>Respiratory protection</b>  | Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Chemical respirator with organic vapor cartridge.  |
| <b>Thermal hazards</b>   | Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.  |
| <b>General hygiene considerations</b>  | Keep away from food and drink. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.  |

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

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| <b>Appearance</b>     |                |
| <b>Physical state</b> | Solid.         |
| <b>Form</b>           | Solid.         |
| <b>Color</b>          | White          |
| <b>Odor</b>           | Not available. |
| <b>Odor threshold</b> | Not available. |
| <b>pH</b>             | Not available. |

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| <b>Melting point/freezing point</b>                 | 305.6 °F (152 °C)   |
| <b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>      | 952.34 °F (511.3 °C) estimated                                |
| <b>Flash point</b>                                  | Not available.  |
| <b>Evaporation rate</b>                             | Not available.  |
| <b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>                    | Not available.  |
| <b>Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits</b> |   |
| <b>Flammability limit - lower (%)</b>               | Not available.  |
| <b>Flammability limit - upper (%)</b>               | Not available.  |
| <b>Explosive limit - lower (%)</b>                  | Not available.  |
| <b>Explosive limit - upper (%)</b>                  | Not available.  |
| <b>Vapor pressure</b>                               | Not available.  |
| <b>Vapor density</b>                                | Not available.  |
| <b>Relative density</b>                             | Not available.  |
| <b>Solubility(ies)</b>                              |   |
| <b>Solubility (water)</b>                           | Not available.  |
| <b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>      | Not available.  |
| <b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>                    | Not available.  |
| <b>Decomposition temperature</b>                    | Not available.  |
| <b>Viscosity</b>                                    | Not available.  |
| <b>Other information</b>                            |   |
| <b>Density</b>                                      | 1.58 g/cm <sup>3</sup> estimated                              |
| <b>Explosive properties</b>                         | Not explosive.  |
| <b>Molecular formula</b>                            | C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>8</sub> Cl <sub>4</sub> O <sub>4</sub> |
| <b>Molecular weight</b>                             | 382.02  |
| <b>Oxidizing properties</b>                         | Not oxidizing.  |

## 10. Stability and reactivity

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| <b>Reactivity</b>                         | The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport. |
| <b>Chemical stability</b>                 | Material is stable under normal conditions.   |
| <b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b> | Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  |
| <b>Conditions to avoid</b>                | Contact with incompatible materials.  |
| <b>Incompatible materials</b>             | Strong oxidizing agents.  |
| <b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>   | No hazardous decomposition products are known.  |

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

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|---|---|
| <b>Inhalation</b>   | May cause irritation to the respiratory system. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.  |
| <b>Skin contact</b>   | Harmful in contact with skin. Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.  |
| <b>Eye contact</b>  | Causes serious eye damage.  |
| <b>Ingestion</b>  | Harmful if swallowed.   |
| <b>Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics</b> | Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Permanent eye damage including blindness could result. May cause respiratory irritation. Difficulty in breathing. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash. |

### Information on toxicological effects

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| <b>Acute toxicity</b> | In high concentrations, vapors are anesthetic and may cause headache, fatigue, dizziness and central nervous system effects. Harmful in contact with skin. Harmful if swallowed. |
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| <b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>         | Causes skin irritation.  |
| <b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b> | Causes serious eye damage.   |
| <b>Respiratory or skin sensitization</b> |  |
| <b>Respiratory sensitization</b>         | May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.                                       |
| <b>Skin sensitization</b>                | May cause an allergic skin reaction.   |
| <b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>            | No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic. |
| <b>Carcinogenicity</b>                   | Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.  |

#### **IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity**

Not listed.

#### **OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)**

Not regulated.

#### **US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens**

Not listed.

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| <b>Reproductive toxicity</b>                              | This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects. |
| <b>Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure</b>   | May cause respiratory irritation.  |
| <b>Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure</b> | Not classified.  |
| <b>Aspiration hazard</b>                                  | Not an aspiration hazard.  |

## **12. Ecological information**

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| <b>Ecotoxicity</b>                   | Very toxic to aquatic life. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.  |
| <b>Persistence and degradability</b> |   |
| <b>Bioaccumulative potential</b>     | No data available.  |
| <b>Mobility in soil</b>              | No data available.  |
| <b>Other adverse effects</b>         | No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component. |

## **13. Disposal considerations**

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| <b>Disposal instructions</b>                 | Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. |
| <b>Local disposal regulations</b>            | Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.   |
| <b>Hazardous waste code</b>                  | The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.   |
| <b>Waste from residues / unused products</b> | Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).   |
| <b>Contaminated packaging</b>                | Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.   |

## **14. Transport information**

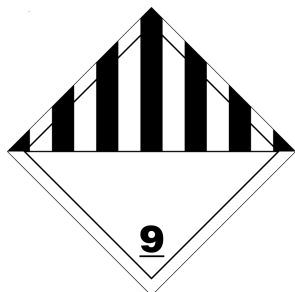
### **DOT**

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| <b>UN number</b>                    | UN3077  |
| <b>UN proper shipping name</b>      | Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. (Bis(2,4-Dichlorophenoxy)acetic Acid) |
| <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>   |   |
| <b>Class</b>                        | 9   |
| <b>Subsidiary risk</b>              | -   |
| <b>Label(s)</b>                     | 9   |
| <b>Packing group</b>                | III   |
| <b>Special precautions for user</b> | Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.                   |
| <b>Special provisions</b>           | 8, 146, 335, A112, B54, IB8, IP3, N20, T1, TP33   |
| <b>Packaging exceptions</b>         | 155   |
| <b>Packaging non bulk</b>           | 213   |

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| <b>Packaging bulk</b>               | 240  |
| <b>IATA</b>                         |  |
| <b>UN number</b>                    | UN3077   |
| <b>UN proper shipping name</b>      | Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Bis(2,4-Dichlorophenoxy)acetic Acid) |
| <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>   |  |
| <b>Class</b>                        | 9  |
| <b>Subsidiary risk</b>              | -  |
| <b>Packing group</b>                | III  |
| <b>Environmental hazards</b>        | No.  |
| <b>ERG Code</b>                     | 9L   |
| <b>Special precautions for user</b> | Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.                  |
| <b>Other information</b>            |  |
| <b>Passenger and cargo aircraft</b> | Allowed with restrictions.   |
| <b>Cargo aircraft only</b>          | Allowed with restrictions.   |

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| <b>IMDG</b>   |   |
| <b>UN number</b>  | UN3077  |
| <b>UN proper shipping name</b>  | ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.<br>(Bis(2,4-Dichlorophenoxy)acetic Acid) |
| <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>   |   |
| <b>Class</b>  | 9   |
| <b>Subsidiary risk</b>  | -   |
| <b>Packing group</b>  | III   |
| <b>Environmental hazards</b>  |   |
| <b>Marine pollutant</b>   | No.   |
| <b>EmS</b>  | F-A, S-F  |
| <b>Special precautions for user</b>   | Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.                     |
| <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code</b> | Not applicable.   |

**DOT; IATA; IMDG**



## 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

### **TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)**

Not regulated.

### **CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)**

Not listed.

### **SARA 304 Emergency release notification**

Not regulated.

### **OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)**

Not regulated.

### **Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)**

**Hazard categories**

- Immediate Hazard - Yes
- Delayed Hazard - No
- Fire Hazard - No
- Pressure Hazard - No
- Reactivity Hazard - No

**SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance**

Not listed.

**SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical** No**SARA 313 (TRI reporting)**

Not regulated.

**Other federal regulations****Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List**

Not regulated.

**Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)**

Not regulated.

**Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)** Not regulated.**US state regulations**

California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins.

**International Inventories**

| Country(s) or region        | Inventory name   | On inventory (yes/no)* |
|-----------------------------|--|------------------------|
| Australia                   | Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)                     | No                     |
| Canada                      | Domestic Substances List (DSL)   | No                     |
| Canada                      | Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)                                    | No                     |
| China                       | Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)             | No                     |
| Europe                      | European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) | No                     |
| Europe                      | European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)                 | No                     |
| Japan                       | Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)               | No                     |
| Korea                       | Existing Chemicals List (ECL)  | No                     |
| New Zealand                 | New Zealand Inventory  | No                     |
| Philippines                 | Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)      | No                     |
| United States & Puerto Rico | Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory                          | No                     |

\*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

**16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision**

**Issue date** 12-18-2018  
**Version #** 01  
**NFPA ratings** Health: 3  
Flammability: 0  
Instability: 0

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