#### **Triethanolamine**



### Section 1 Product Description

Product Name: Triethanolamine

Recommended Use: Science education applications

**Synonyms:** 2,2', 2"-Nitriloethanol

**Distributor:** Carolina Biological Supply Company

2700 York Road, Burlington, NC 27215

1-800-227-1150

Chemical Information: 800-227-1150 (8am-5pm (ET) M-F)

Chemtrec: 800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24 hours)

### Section 2 Hazard Identification

Classification of the chemical in accordance with paragraph (d) of §1910.1200;

**GHS Classification:** 

Other Safety Precautions: Not a dangerous substance according to GHS classification criteria.

No known OSHA hazards. May cause eye irritation.

May cause gastrointestinal discomfort. May cause irritation to respiratory tract.

May cause irritation to skin.

## Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical NameCAS #%Triethanolamine102-71-6100

#### Section 4 First Aid Measures

**Emergency and First Aid Procedures** 

**Inhalation:** In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest.

Eyes: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

**Skin Contact:** After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

Ingestion: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

### Section 5 Firefighting Procedures

**Extinguishing Media:** Use media suitable to extinguish surrounding fire.

Fire Fighting Methods and Protection: Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained

breathing apparatus.

Fire and/or Explosion Hazards: Contact with strong oxidizers may cause fire or explosion.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide

### Section 6 Spill or Leak Procedures

Steps to Take in Case Material Is

Released or Spilled:

No health affects expected from the clean-up of this material if contact can be avoided. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section 8 of this (M)SDS Poses little or no immediate hazard Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. Remove

soiled clothing and launder before reuse.

No special spill clean-up considerations. Collect and discard in regular trash.

## Section 7 Handling and Storage

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**Handling:** Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

**Storage:** Suitable for any general chemical storage.

**Storage Code:** Green - general chemical storage

#### Section 8 Protection Information

ACGIH OSHA PEL

 Chemical Name
 (TWA)
 (STEL)
 (TWA)
 (STEL)

 Triethanolamine
 5 mg/m3 TWA
 N/A
 N/A
 N/A
 N/A

**Control Parameters** 

**Engineering Measures:**No exposure limits exist for the constituents of this product. General room ventilation

might be required to maintain operator comfort under normal conditions of use.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

Respiratory Protection: No respiratory protection required under normal conditions of use.

Eye Protection: Wear chemical splash goggles when handling this product. Have an eye wash station

available.

**Skin Protection:** Avoid skin contact by wearing chemically resistant gloves, an apron and other protective

equipment depending upon conditions of use. Inspect gloves for chemical break-through and replace at regular intervals. Clean protective equipment regularly. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, and when leaving

work.

Gloves: Natural rubber, Neoprene, PVC or equivalent.

### Section 9 Physical Data

Formula: N(CH3CH2OH)3 Vapor Pressure: 0 kPa at 20 °C Molecular Weight: 149.19 g/mol Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): N/

Appearance: Colorless to pale yellow Liquid

Odor: Mild Ammonia

Odor Threshold: No data available pH: 10.5, conc: 0.1 N (aqueous solution)

Melting Point: 22 C Boiling Point: 277 C Flash Point: 179 C

Flammable Limits in Air: N/A

Vapor Pressure: 0 kPa at 20 °C
Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): N/A
Vapor Density (Air=1): 5.1
Specific Gravity: 1.12
Solubility in Water: Soluble
Log Pow (calculated): -2.53
Autoignition Temperature: 324 C

**Decomposition Temperature:** No data available

Viscosity: No data available Percent Volatile by Volume: N/A

## Section 10 Reactivity Data

Reactivity: No data available

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid: None known.

Incompatible Materials: Strong acids, Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

## Section 11 Toxicity Data

**Routes of Entry** Inhalation, ingestion, eye or skin contact.

Symptoms (Acute): None Known

Delayed Effects: No data available

**Acute Toxicity:** 

Carcinogenicity: Chemical Name

Chemical NameCAS NumberOral LD50Dermal LD50Inhalation LC50Triethanolamine102-71-6Oral LD50 RabbitDermal LD50 RatNot determined

2200 mg/kg > 16 ml/kg

Oral LD50 Mouse

5846 mg/kg

CAS Number IARC NTP OSHA

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No data available 102-71-6 Not listed Not listed Not listed

**Chronic Effects:** 

**Mutagenicity:** No evidence of a mutagenic effect.

**Teratogenicity:** No evidence of a teratogenic effect (birth defect).

**Sensitization:** No evidence of a sensitization effect.

**Reproductive:** No evidence of negative reproductive effects.

**Target Organ Effects:** 

Acute: See Section 2

**Chronic:** Not listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP or OSHA.

## Section 12 Ecological Data

**Overview:** This material is not expected to be harmful to the ecology. Keep out of waterways.

Mobility:No dataPersistence:No dataBioaccumulation:No dataDegradability:No dataOther Adverse Effects:No data

Chemical Name CAS Number Eco Toxicity

Triethanolamine 102-71-6 96 HR LC50 PIMEPHALES PROMELAS > 1000 MG/L [STATIC]

24 HR EC50 DAPHNIA MAGNA 1386 MG/L

72 HR EC50 DESMODESMUS SUBSPICATUS 216 MG/L 96 HR EC50 DESMODESMUS SUBSPICATUS 169 MG/L

Section 13 Disposal Information

Disposal Methods: Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always

contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.

Waste Disposal Code(s): Not Determined

### Section 14 Transport Information

Ground - DOT Proper Shipping Name: Air - IATA Proper Shipping Name: N/A Not regulated for air transport by IATA.

## Section 15 Regulatory Information

TSCA Status: All components in this product are on the TSCA Inventory.

Chemical Name CAS § 313 Name § 304 RQ CERCLA RQ § 302 TPQ CAA 112(2)

Number TQ

No data available 102-71-6 No No No No No No

California Prop 65: No California Proposition 65 ingredients

Section 16 Additional Information

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Glossary			
ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental	NTP	National Toxicology Program
	Industrial Hygienists	OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service Number	PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response,	ppm	Parts per million
	Compensation, and Liability Act	RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation	SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	TLV	Threshold Limit Value
N/A	Not Available	TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
		IDLH	Immediately dangerous to life and health

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