

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Cetyltrimethylammonium-bromide
- **Article number:** 16530
- **CAS Number:**
57-09-0
- **EC number:**
200-311-3
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory chemicals
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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- **Information department:** Product Safety department Tel.: +49 6221 13840-35
- **Emergency telephone number:**
Medical Emergency Information in case of poisoning:
Poison Information Center Mainz - Phone: +49 (0) 6131 19240
(advisory service in German or English language)



2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS07

- Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.
- Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.
- Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

- **Label elements**

- **GHS label elements**

The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

- **Hazard pictograms** GHS07

- **Signal word** Warning

- **Hazard statements**

Harmful if swallowed.
Causes skin irritation.
Causes serious eye irritation.

- **Precautionary statements**

Wash thoroughly after handling.
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Wear protective gloves / eye protection / face protection.
IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
Specific treatment (see on this label).
Rinse mouth.
If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

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If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Classification system:**

· **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 2

Fire = 1

Reactivity = 0

· **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 2

Fire = 1

Reactivity = 0

· **Other hazards**

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

· **Chemical characterization: Substances**

· **CAS No. Description**

57-09-0 cetrimonium bromide

· **Identification number(s)**

· **EC number:** 200-311-3

· **Description:**

· **Empirical formula:** C₁₉ H₄₂ Br N

· **MW:** 364.5

4 First-aid measures

· **Description of first aid measures**

· **General information:**

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

· **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air and to be sure call for a doctor.

· **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

· **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

· **After swallowing:** Drink copious amounts of water and provide fresh air. Immediately call a doctor.

· **Information for doctor:**

· **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.

· **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

* 5 Fire-fighting measures

· **Extinguishing media**

· **Suitable extinguishing agents:**

CO₂ extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

· **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

In case of fire, the following can be released:

Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Hydrogen bromide (HBr)

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Ammonia (NH₃)

NH₃

- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
 - Wear protective clothing.
 - Ensure adequate ventilation
- **Environmental precautions:**
 - Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
 - Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
 - Pick up mechanically.
 - Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
- **Reference to other sections**
 - See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
 - See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
 - See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling**
 - Prevent formation of dust.
 - Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
 - Avoid contact with eyes and skin.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed and store in dry conditions.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:** Not required.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
 - Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
 - Store protective clothing separately.
 - Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.
 - Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
 - Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Breathing equipment:**
 - Short term filter device:
 - Filter P2

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· **Protection of hands:**

Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

· **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

· **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· **For the permanent contact of a maximum of 15 minutes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**

Nitrile rubber, NBR

Natural rubber, NR

· **Eye protection:** Safety glasses

· **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

9 Physical and chemical properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

Form: Powder

Color: white to almost white

· **Odor:** Weak, characteristic

· **pH-value (50 g/l) at 20 °C (68 °F):** 5.0 - 7.0

· **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range: 237 - 243 °C (459 - 469 °F)

Boiling point/Boiling range: Undetermined.

· **Flash point:** 244 °C (471 °F)

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Product is not flammable.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· **Density:** Not determined.

· **Bulk density at 20 °C (68 °F):** ca. 390 kg/m³

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

Water at 20 °C (68 °F): 3 g/l

· **Other information** There are no more data available.

10 Stability and reactivity

· **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.

· **Chemical stability**

· **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.

· **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No further relevant informations available.

· **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.

· **Incompatible materials:** Avoid contact with strong oxidizers.

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· **Hazardous decomposition products:** In case of fire: See Section 5

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**

· **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

Oral	LD50	410 mg/kg (rat)
	LC50/96h	0.3 mg/l (Forelle)

- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
- **on the eye:** Irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **Carcinogenic categories**
- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)** Substance is not listed.
- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)** Substance is not listed.
- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)** Substance is not listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**

· **Aquatic toxicity:**

EC50/72h	0.01 mg/l (Scenedesmus subspicatus)
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- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Other information:** The product is not easily biodegradable.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Ecotoxicological effects:**
- **Remark:** Very toxic for fish
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
- Water hazard class 3 (Assessment by list): extremely hazardous for water
- Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.
- Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.
- Very toxic for aquatic organisms
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**
- Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

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· **Uncleaned packagings:**

· **Recommendation:**

Disposal of uncleaned packagings must be made according to official regulations in the same manner as the product.

14 Transport information

· **UN-Number**

· **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA**

UN3077

· **UN proper shipping name**

· **ADR**

3077 ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (cetrimonium bromide)

· **IMDG**

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Cetrimonium bromide), MARINE POLLUTANT

· **IATA**

Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Cetrimonium bromide)

· **Transport hazard class(es)**

· **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA**



· **Class**

9 Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles

· **Label**

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· **Packing group**

· **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA**

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· **Environmental hazards:**

· **Marine pollutant:**

Yes (P)

Symbol (fish and tree)

· **Special marking (ADR):**

Symbol (fish and tree)

· **Special marking (IATA):**

Symbol (fish and tree)

· **Special precautions for user**

Warning: Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles

· **Danger code (Kemler):**

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· **EMS Number:**

F-A,S-F

· **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code**

Not applicable.

· **Transport/Additional information:**

Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

· **DOT**

· **Remarks:**

Special marking with the symbol (fish and tree).

· **ADR**

· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

Code: E1

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 g

Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 g

· **IMDG**

· **Limited quantities (LQ)**

5 kg

· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

Code: E1

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 g

Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 g

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· **UN "Model Regulation":** UN3077, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S., 9, III

15 Regulatory information

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):** Substance is not listed.
- **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):** Substance is not listed.
- **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):** Substance is listed.
- **Proposition 65** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemicals known to cause cancer:** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:** Substance is not listed.

- **Carcinogenicity categories**
- **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)** Substance is not listed.
- **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)** Substance is not listed.
- **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)** Substance is not listed.
- **GHS label elements**
The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms** GHS07
- **Signal word** Warning
- **Hazard statements**
Harmful if swallowed.
Causes skin irritation.
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- **Precautionary statements**
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Specific treatment (see on this label).
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If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
- **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Department issuing SDS:** Product safety department
- **Contact:** +49 6221 13840-35
- **Date of preparation / last revision** 05/03/2018 / 3
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation
PBT: persistent, bioaccumulative, toxic substance (REACH)
vPvB: very persistent, very bioaccumulative substance (REACH)

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REACH: Regulation concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals

CLP: Regulation on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

P: Marine Pollutant

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4

Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2

Eye Irrit. 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2A

· *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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