

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

Section 1. Product and Company Identification	Section 1.	<b>Product and</b>	Compan	y Identification
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Product Name

Tetra-n-butylammonium hydrogen sulfate Product Code

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Prior to January 1, 2003 EMD Chemicals Inc. was EM Industries, Inc. or EM Science, Division of EM Industries, Inc.

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800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) 613-996-6666 CANUTEC (Canada)

24 Hours/Day: 7 Days/Week

Synonym None.

Material Uses Analytical reagent.

**Chemical Family** Organic

# Section 2. Composition and Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS#	% by Weight
Tetra-n-butylammonium hydrogen sulfate	32503-27-8	100

#### Section 3. Hazards Identification

Physical State and Appearance

Solid.

**Emergency Overview** 

CAUTION!

MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY TRACT, EYE AND SKIN IRRITATION.

To the best of our knowledge, the toxicological properties of this product have not been

thoroughly investigated.

Routes of Entry Dermal contact. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

#### **Potential Acute Health Effects**

Eyes May be hazardous in case of eye contact (irritant).

*Skin* May be hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant). Skin inflammation is characterized by itching, scaling, reddening, or, occasionally, blistering.

Inhalation May be hazardous in case of inhalation (lung irritant).

Ingestion Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation and diarrhea.

#### **Potential Chronic Health Effects**

Carcinogenic Effects This material is not known to cause cancer in animals or humans.

Additional information See Toxicological Information (section 11)

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Medical Conditions Aggravated by Overexposure: Repeated or prolonged exposure is not known to aggravate medical condition.

Section 4. First Al	id Measures
Eye Contact	Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Cold water may be used. Get medical attention.
Skin Contact	In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Cold water may be used. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention.
Inhalation	If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.
Ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If large quantities of this material are swallowed, call a physician immediately. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.
Section 5. Fire Fig	ghting Measures
Flammability of the Product	May be combustible at high temperature.
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not available.
Flash Points	Not available.
Flammable Limits	Not available.
<b>Products of Combustion</b>	These products are carbon oxides (CO, CO2), nitrogen oxides (NO, NO2), sulfur oxides (SO2, SO3).
Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances	Not available.
Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances	Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: No.
	Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: No.
Fire Fighting Media and Instructions	SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder.  LARGE FIRE: Use water spray, fog or foam. Do not use water jet.
<b>Protective Clothing (Fire)</b>	Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.
Special Remarks on Fire Hazards	Not available.
Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards	Not available.

#### Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Small Spill and Leak	Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container.	
Large Spill and Leak	Use a shovel to put the material into a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and allow to evacuate through the sanitary system.	
Spill Kit Information	No specific spill kit required for this product.	

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#### Section 7. Handling and Storage

Handling Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Keep container closed. Do

not ingest.

Storage Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area.

## Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or

mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

**Personal Protection** 

Eyes Splash goggles.

Body Lab coat.

Respiratory Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.

Hands Gloves.

Feet Not applicable.

Protective Clothing (Pictograms)





Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill

Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self-contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

Product Name Exposure Limits

Tetra-n-butylammonium hydrogen sulfate Not available.

# Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Odor	Not available.
Color	White.
Physical State and Appearance	Solid.
Molecular Weight	339.54 g/mole
Molecular Formula	C16H37NO4S
pH	Not available.
Boiling/Condensation Point	Not available.
Melting/Freezing Point	169 to 172°C (336.2 to 341.6°F)
Specific Gravity	Not available.
Vapor Pressure	Not available.
Vapor Density	Not available.

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sulfate **Odor Threshold** 

Not available.

**Evaporation Rate** Not available.

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**Solubility** Soluble in water.

#### Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

**Stability and Reactivity** The product is stable.

Not available. **Conditions of Instability** 

**Incompatibility with** 

Not available.

Various Substances Rem/Incompatibility

Not available.

Hazardous Decomposition carbon oxides (CO, CO2), nitrogen oxides (NO, NO2...), sulfur oxides (SO2, SO3...)

**Products** 

Hazardous Polymerization Will not occur.

#### Section 11. Toxicological Information

**RTECS Number:** Tetra-n-butylammonium hydrogen sulfate Not available.

LD<sub>50</sub>: Not available. **Toxicity** LC<sub>50</sub>: Not available.

**Chronic Effects on** 

**Humans** 

Not available.

**Acute Effects on Humans** 

May be hazardous in case of eye contact (irritant). May be hazardous in case of skin contact

(irritant). Skin inflammation is characterized by itching, scaling, reddening, or, occasionally,

blistering. May be hazardous in case of inhalation (lung irritant).

**Synergetic Products** (Toxicologically)

Not available.

Draize Test: Not available.

**Sensitization** 

**Irritancy** 

Not available.

**Carcinogenic Effects** 

This material is not known to cause cancer in animals or humans.

**Toxicity to Reproductive** 

System

Not available.

**Teratogenic Effects** 

Not available.

**Mutagenic Effects** 

Not available.

#### Section 12. Ecological Information

Not available. **Ecotoxicity** 

**BOD5** and COD Not available.

Toxicity of the Products of The product itself and its products of degradation are not toxic.

**Biodegradation** 

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# Section 13. Disposal Considerations

**EPA Waste Number** Not available.

Treatment Material does not have an EPA Waste Number and is not a listed waste, however consultation with a permitted waste disposal site (TSD) should be accomplished. Always contact a

permitted waste disposal (TSD) to assure compliance with all current local, state, and Federal

Regulations..

# Section 14. Transport Information

DOT Classification	Proper Shipping Name: CHEMICALS, N.O.S. RQ: Not applicable.
<b>TDG Classification</b>	Not available.
IMO/IMDG Classification	Proper Shipping Name: CHEMICALS, N.O.S. RQ: Not applicable.

ICAO/IATA Proper Shipping Name: CHEMICALS, N.O.S.

Classification RQ: Not applicable.

# Section 15. Regulatory Information

U.S. Federal Regulations	TSCA 8(b) inventory: Tetra-n-butylammonium hydrogen sulfate	

SARA 302/304/311/312 extremely hazardous substances: No products were found. SARA 302/304 emergency planning and notification: No products were found. SARA 302/304/311/312 hazardous chemicals: No products were found.

SARA 311/312 MSDS distribution - chemical inventory - hazard identification: No products were found.

SARA 313 toxic chemical notification and release reporting: No products were found.

Clean Water Act (CWA) 307: No products were found. Clean Water Act (CWA) 311: No products were found.

Clean air act (CAA) 112 accidental release prevention: No products were found. Clean air act (CAA) 112 regulated flammable substances: No products were found.

Clean air act (CAA) 112 regulated toxic substances: No products were found.

#### WHMIS (Canada) Not controlled under WHMIS (Canada).

CEPA DSL: Tetra-n-butylammonium hydrogen sulfate

This product has been classifed in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Product

Regulations and the MSDS contains all required information.

#### **International Regulations**

EINECS Tetra-n-butylammonium hydrogen sulfate 251-068-5

**DSCL** (**EEC**) R36/37/38- Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

**International Lists** 

China: Tetra-n-butylammonium hydrogen sulfate

State Regulations No products were found.

California prop. 65: No products were found.

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#### Section 16. Other Information

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)



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