

**Safety data sheet**  
according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

· **1.1 Product identifier**

· **Trade name:** Thiazolyl blue tetrazolium bromide

· **Article number:** A2231

· **CAS Number:**

298-93-1

· **EC number:**

206-069-5

· **Application of the substance / the mixture**

Laboratory chemicals

Biochemistry

· **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

· **Manufacturer/Supplier:**

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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

· **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

· **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Muta. 2 H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.

STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

· **2.2 Label elements**

· **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

The substance is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS07 GHS08

· **Signal word** Warning

· **Hazard statements**

H315 Causes skin irritation.

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H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.  
H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

· **Precautionary statements**

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.  
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.  
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.  
P405 Store locked up.  
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **2.3 Other hazards**

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

· **3.1 Substances**

- **CAS No. Description**  
298-93-1 Thiazolyl blue tetrazolium bromide
- **Identification number(s)**
- **EC number:** 206-069-5

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

· **4.1 Description of first aid measures**

- **General information:** No special measures required.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:**  
Immediately rinse with water.  
If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.
- **After eye contact:**  
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.  
Seek medical treatment.
- **After swallowing:**  
Rinse out mouth.  
If symptoms persist consult doctor.

· **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

No further relevant information available.

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

No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

· **5.1 Extinguishing media**

- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.

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

In case of fire, the following can be released:

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)  
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide  
Sulphur oxides (SOx)  
Hydrogen bromide  
Non-combustible.

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- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
- **Additional information**  
Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**  
Avoid formation of dust.  
Avoid substance contact.  
Ensure adequate ventilation
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Pick up mechanically.  
Avoid formation of dust.  
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.  
Clean up affected area.
- **6.4 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.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**  
Open and handle receptacle with care.  
Any unavoidable deposit of dust must be regularly removed.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:**  
Keep respiratory protective device available.  
The product is not flammable.
- **7.2 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:**  
Protect from exposure to the light.  
Keep container tightly sealed.  
Open receptacle only under localised extractor facilities.  
Store under lock and key and with access restricted to technical experts or their assistants only.
- **Recommended storage temperature:** +2 - +8°C
- **Storage class:** 13
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:** Not required.
- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.
- **8.2 Exposure controls**
- **Appropriate engineering controls** No further data; see item 7.
- **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**  
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing  
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

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- **Respiratory protection:**  
Required when dusts are generated.  
Filter P3
- **Hand protection**  
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.  
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 gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**  
Nitrile rubber, NBR  
Recommended thickness of the material:  $\geq 0.11$  mm  
Value for the permeation: Level  $\geq 480$  min
- **As protection from splashes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**  
Nitrile rubber, NBR  
Recommended thickness of the material:  $\geq 0.11$  mm  
Value for the permeation: Level  $\geq 480$  min
- **Eye/face protection** Safety glasses
- **Body protection:**  
Protective work clothing  
Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the working place, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
- **General Information**
- **Physical state** Solid
- **Colour:** Dark yellow
- **Odour:** Characteristic
- **Odour threshold:** Not determined.
- **Melting point/freezing point:** 190-210 °C
- **Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range** Undetermined.
- **Flammability** Product is not flammable.
- **Lower and upper explosion limit**
- **Lower:** Not determined.
- **Upper:** Not determined.
- **Flash point:** Not applicable.
- **Auto-ignition temperature:** Not determined.
- **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.
- **pH** Not applicable.
- **Viscosity:**
- **Kinematic viscosity** Not applicable.
- **Dynamic:** Not applicable.
- **Solubility**
- **water:** Insoluble.
- **Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)** Not determined.
- **Vapour pressure:** Not applicable.
- **Density and/or relative density**
- **Density:** Not determined.
- **Relative density** Not determined.

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· Vapour density	Not applicable.
· 9.2 Other information	
· Appearance:	
· Form:	Solid
· Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety.	
· Explosive properties:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· Change in condition	
· Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
· Information with regard to physical hazard classes	
· Explosives	Void
· Flammable gases	Void
· Aerosols	Void
· Oxidising gases	Void
· Gases under pressure	Void
· Flammable liquids	Void
· Flammable solids	Void
· Self-reactive substances and mixtures	Void
· Pyrophoric liquids	Void
· Pyrophoric solids	Void
· Self-heating substances and mixtures	Void
· Substances and mixtures, which emit flammable gases in contact with water	Void
· Oxidising liquids	Void
· Oxidising solids	Void
· Organic peroxides	Void
· Corrosive to metals	Void
· Desensitised explosives	Void

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**  
No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:**  
strong acids  
strong bases
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** In the event of fire: See chapter 5
- **Additional information:** light sensitive

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**  
Quantitative data on the toxicological effect of this product are not available.
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**  
Causes skin irritation.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**  
Causes serious eye irritation.
- **After inhalation:** No irritant effect.

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- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Germ cell mutagenicity**  
Suspected of causing genetic defects.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure**  
May cause respiratory irritation.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **11.2 Information on other hazards**
- **Endocrine disrupting properties** Substance is not listed.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties**  
The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.
- **12.7 Other adverse effects**
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**  
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.  
Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**  
Chemicals must be disposed of in compliance with the respective national regulations.  
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:**  
Disposal must be made according to official regulations.  
Packagings that may not be cleansed are to be disposed of in the same manner as the product.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

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| · <b>14.1 UN number or ID number</b><br>· <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>                            | Void |
| · <b>14.2 UN proper shipping name</b><br>· <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>                           | Void |
| · <b>14.3 Transport hazard class(es)</b><br>· <b>ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA</b><br>· <b>Class</b> | Void |
| · <b>14.4 Packing group</b><br>· <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>                                     | Void |

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| · <b>14.5 Environmental hazards:</b>                                  | Not applicable. |
| · <b>14.6 Special precautions for user</b>                            | Not applicable. |
| · <b>14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments</b> | Not applicable. |
| · <b>UN "Model Regulation":</b>                                       | Void            |

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** Substance is not listed.
- **National regulations:**
- **Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations**
- **Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to REACH, Article 57** Substance is not listed.
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

### SECTION 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:** Dept. Compliance
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
  - ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
  - IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
  - IATA: International Air Transport Association
  - GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
  - EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
  - CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
  - LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
  - LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
  - PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
  - SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern
  - vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
  - Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2
  - Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2
  - Muta. 2: Germ cell mutagenicity – Category 2
  - STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3
- **\* Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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