

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: NBT Nitro Blue tetrazolium
Catalog Number: 10008
Unit Size: 100mg
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008[CLP]**

None

Classification according to Directive 1999/45/EC

None

Labeling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008[CLP]**Hazard pictogram****Signal word** Danger**Hazard statements**

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H313 May be harmful in contact with skin.

H315 Causes skin irritation

Precautionary statements

P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P307 + P311 IF exposed: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

HMIS Classification

Health hazard: 2

Flammability: 0

Physical hazards: 0

NFPA Rating

Health hazard: 2

Fire: 0

Reactivity Hazard: 0

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Name	CAS No.	EC No.	Index No.	Weight %	Classification according to 67/548/EEC	Classification according to regulation (EC)No1278/2008

NBT Nitro Blue tetrazolium	298-83-9	206-067-4	-	≥ 95%	-	-
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4. FIRST- AID MEASURES

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Carbon dioxide, dry chemical extinguishers, foam extinguishers or water.

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions

Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Remove all sources of ignition.

Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage. Soak up spilled substance with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist.

Avoid direct contact with substance.

Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.
Store at 4°C. Protect from light, especially when in solution.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Substance	NBT Nitro Blue tetrazolium
CAS no.	298-83-9
Control parameter	No information available

Personal protective equipment

Hand protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Respiratory protection

Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Eye protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Chemical Name	NBT Nitro Blue tetrazolium
Appearance	Yellow Solid
Odor	No information available
Odor threshold	No information available
pH	No information available
Melting point/freezing point	No information available
Boiling point	No information available
Flash point	No information available
Evaporate rate	No information available
Flammability	No information available
Explosive limits	No information available
Vapor pressure	No information available
Vapor density	No information available
Relative density	No information available
Solubility	Soluble in Water and DMSO
Partition coefficient:n-octanol/water	No information available
Auto-ignition temperature	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available

Viscosity	No information available
Explosive properties	No information available
Oxidising properties	No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

Materials to avoid

No data available

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

Other decomposition products - no data available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Oral LD50 LD50 Oral - mouse - 2,000 mg/kg

Inhalation LC50 None

Dermal LD50 None

Other information on acute toxicity no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity no data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

no data available

Aspiration hazard

no data available

Potential health effects

Inhalation	Toxic if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
Ingestion	Toxic if swallowed.
Skin	Toxic if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
Eyes	Causes eye irritation.

Additional Information

RTECS: None

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity	no information available
Persistence and degradability	no information available
Biodegradation	no information available
Mobility in soil	no information available
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	no information available
Other adverse effects	no information available
Additional information	no information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Do not dispose product directly into sewage. Consult local state or national regulation for proper disposal.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IATA, IMDG, DOT(US)	not dangerous good during transportation
UN number	none
UN proper shipping name	none
Transport hazard class	none
Packing group	none
Environmental hazards	none
Special precaution for user	none

15. REGULATION INFORMATION**US Federal Regulations**

US Toxic Substances Control Act(TSCA): Not listed
SARA 302: No chemicals were found.
SARA 313: No chemicals were found.
SARA 311/312 Hazards: Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Classification according to Regulation (EC) Nr. 1272/2008

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