



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

According to WHS Regulations

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

### Product identifier

**Product Name** Dithiothreitol (DTT)  
**Catalogue Number(s)** 1610610, 1610611, 1610610EDU, 1610611EDU, 10013901

### Other means of identification

**CAS No.** 3483-12-3

**Pure substance/mixture** Substance

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use** Laboratory chemicals  
**Uses advised against** No information available

### Details of manufacturer or importer

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#### Manufacturer

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### Emergency telephone number

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### GHS Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4 - (H302)
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2 - (H315)
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2 - (H319)

### Label elements

Exclamation mark

**Signal word**

Warning

**Hazard statements**

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

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

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable

**Other hazards which do not result in classification**

No information available.

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****Substance**

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
2,3-Butanediol, 1,4-dimercapto-, (R*,R*)-	3483-12-3	50 - 100

**SECTION 4: First aid measures****Description of first aid measures****General advice**

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

**Emergency telephone number**

Poisons Information Centre, Australia: 13 11 26

Poisons Information Centre, New Zealand: 0800 764 766

**Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

**Eye contact**

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Skin contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

<b>Ingestion</b>	Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a doctor.
<b>Self-protection of the first aider</b>	Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).
<b><u>Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed</u></b>	
<b>Symptoms</b>	May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Burning sensation.
<b><u>Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed</u></b>	
<b>Note to doctors</b>	Treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** No information available.

### **Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical** None known.

### **Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

**Special protective equipment for fire-fighters** Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Personal precautions** Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

**For emergency responders** Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

### **Environmental precautions**

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

### **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Methods for containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

**Methods for cleaning up** Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers.

### **Precautions to prevent secondary hazards**

**Prevention of secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

**General hygiene considerations** Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children.

**Incompatible materials** Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidising agents.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### Working area parameters, subject to mandatory control (MAC or TSEL)

**Exposure Limits** This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

### Biological occupational exposure limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering controls** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** If splashes are likely to occur, wear safety glasses with side-shields.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing.

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

**Respiratory protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Physical state** Solid

Appearance	Powder
Colour	white
Odour	Sulphurous.
Odour threshold	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH		None known
Melting point / freezing point	42 °C	
Initial boiling point and boiling range	110 °C	
Flash point	No data available	None known
Evaporation rate	No data available	None known
Flammability	No data available	None known
Flammability Limit in Air		None known
Upper flammability or explosive limits	No data available	
Lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available	
Vapour pressure	No data available	None known
Relative vapour density	No data available	None known
Relative density	No data available	None known
Water solubility	Soluble in water	
Solubility(ies)	No data available	None known
Partition coefficient	No data available	None known
Autoignition temperature	No data available	None known
Decomposition temperature		None known
Kinematic viscosity	No data available	None known
Dynamic viscosity	No data available	None known
Explosive properties	Not applicable	
Oxidising properties	Not applicable	
<u>Other information</u>		
Molecular weight	Not applicable	
VOC content	Not applicable	

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### Reactivity

Reactivity	No information available.
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### Chemical stability

Stability	Stable under normal conditions.
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### Explosion data

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None.

Sensitivity to static discharge None.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions	None under normal processing.
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### Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid	None known based on information supplied.
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### Incompatible materials

**Incompatible materials** Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidising agents.

**Hazardous decomposition products**

**Hazardous decomposition products** None known based on information supplied.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

**Acute toxicity**

**Information on likely routes of exposure**

**Product Information**

<b>Inhalation</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye irritation (based on components). May cause redness, itching, and pain.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes skin irritation (based on components).
<b>Ingestion</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea Harmful if swallowed (based on components)

**Symptoms** Redness. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.

**Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information**

No information available

*See section 16 for terms and abbreviations*

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure**

<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Classification based on data available for ingredients.
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes serious eye irritation.
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitisation</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity**

**Ecotoxicity** Toxic to aquatic life.

**Persistence and degradability**

**Persistence and degradability** No information available.

**Bioaccumulative potential**

**Bioaccumulation** No information available.

**Mobility**

**Mobility in soil** No information available.

**Mobility** No information available.

**Other adverse effects**

**Other adverse effects** No information available.

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****Disposal methods**

**Waste from residues/unused products** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse empty containers.

**SECTION 14: Transport information**

**ADG** Not regulated

**IATA** Not regulated

**IMDG** Not regulated

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code**  
No information available

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****National regulations****Australia**

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

**Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)**

No poisons schedule number allocated

**International Inventories**

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

**International Regulations****The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer** Not applicable**The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants** Not applicable**The Rotterdam Convention** Not applicable**SECTION 16: Other information****Prepared By** Bio-Rad Laboratories, Environmental Health and Safety**Revision date** 30-Apr-2025**Revision Note** Reviewed existing information and made minor updates.**Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet****Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	Sk*	Skin designation
C	Carcinogen		

**Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS**

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database  
 European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)  
 Environmental Protection Agency  
 Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals  
 Food Research Journal  
 Hazardous Substance Database  
 International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)  
 Japan GHS Classification  
 Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)  
 NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)  
 National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)  
 National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)  
 U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)  
 New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)  
 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications  
 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme  
 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set  
 RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)  
 World Health Organization

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