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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

**OSHA Hazards**
Flammable liquid, Pyrophoric, Target Organ Effect, Corrosive

**Target Organs**
Lungs, Central nervous system, Nerves.

**GHS Classification**
Flammable liquids (Category 2)  
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4)  
Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 5)  
Skin corrosion (Category 1B)  
Serious eye damage (Category 1)  
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3)  
Aspiration hazard (Category 1)  
Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1)  
Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 1)

**GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements**

- **Pictogram**:  
  - Flammable liquid  
  - Pyrophoric  
  - Skin corrosion  
  - Serious eye damage

- **Signal word**: Danger

- **Hazard statement(s)**
  - **H225**: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
  - **H304**: May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.
  - **H313**: May be harmful in contact with skin.
  - **H314**: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
  - **H332**: Harmful if inhaled.
  - **H336**: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
  - **H410**: Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
Precautionary statement(s)
P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
P273 Avoid release to the environment.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face 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.
P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.
P331 Do NOT induce vomiting.
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

HMIS Classification
Health hazard: 3
Chronic Health Hazard: *
Flammability: 4
Physical hazards: 3

NFPA Rating
Health hazard: 3
Fire: 3
Reactivity Hazard: 3

Potential Health Effects
Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness.
Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.
Eyes Causes eye burns.
Ingestion May be harmful if swallowed. Aspiration hazard if swallowed - can enter lungs and cause damage.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Synonyms: Lithium-2-butylide

Formula: C₄H₉Li
Molecular Weight: 64.06 g/mol

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For the full text of the H-Statements and R-Phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

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
Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.
In case of eye contact
Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital.

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

Conditions of flammability
Flammable in the presence of a source of ignition when the temperature is above the flash point. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flame/hot surface. No smoking.

Suitable extinguishing media
Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Special protective equipment for firefighters
Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

Hazardous combustion products
Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

Further information
Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions
Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

Environmental precautions
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up
Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling
Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. Use explosion-proof equipment. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

Conditions for safe storage
Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Recommended storage temperature: 2 - 8 °C
Air sensitive. Handle and store under inert gas.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

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USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits

Personal protective equipment

**Respiratory protection**
Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**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.

**Eye protection**
Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

**Skin and body protection**
Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

**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

**Appearance**
- Form: liquid
- Colour: no data available

**Safety data**
- pH: no data available
- Melting point/freezing point: no data available
- Boiling point: no data available
- Flash point: -17 °C (1 °F) - closed cup
- Ignition temperature: no data available
- Auto-ignition temperature: no data available
- Lower explosion limit: no data available
- Upper explosion limit: no data available
- Vapour pressure: no data available
- Density: 0.769 g/cm³
- Water solubility: no data available
- Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: no data available
- Relative vapor: no data available
10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions
Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

Conditions to avoid
Heat, flames and sparks. Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

Materials to avoid
Water, Strong oxidizing agents, Alcohols, acids

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
no data available

Inhalation LC50
no data available

Dermal LD50
no data available

Other information on acute toxicity
no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation
no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Eyes: 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

Teratogenicity

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

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Skin: May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.

Eyes: Causes eye burns.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Central nervous system depression, Drowsiness, Irritability, Dizziness, Damage to the lungs, Gastrointestinal disturbance, Lung irritation, chest pain, pulmonary edema, Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin, spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis

Synergistic effects

no data available

Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

no data available

Persistence and degradability

no data available

Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

Mobility in soil

no data available

PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

Other adverse effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.
Contaminated packaging
Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT (US)**
- UN number: 3394
- Class: 4.2 (4.3)
- Packing group: I
- Proper shipping name: Organometallic substance, liquid, pyrophoric, water-reactive (sec-Butyllithium, Cyclohexane)
- Reportable Quantity (RQ): 1087 lbs
- Marine Pollutant: No
- Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG**
- UN number: 3394
- Class: 4.2 (4.3)
- Packing group: I
- Proper shipping name: ORGANOMETALLIC SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, PYROPHORIC, WATER-REACTIVE (Cyclohexane, sec-Butyllithium)
- Marine Pollutant: Marine pollutant

**IATA**
- UN number: 3394
- Class: 4.2 (4.3)
- Proper shipping name: Organometallic substance, liquid, pyrophoric, water-reactive (Cyclohexane, sec-Butyllithium)
- IATA Passenger: Not permitted for transport
- IATA Cargo: Not permitted for transport

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**OSHA Hazards**
Flammable liquid, Pyrophoric, Target Organ Effect, Corrosive

**SARA 302 Components**
SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

**SARA 313 Components**
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**SARA 311/312 Hazards**
Fire Hazard, Reactivity Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

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**California Prop. 65 Components**
This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

**Text of H-code(s) and R-phrase(s) mentioned in Section 3**

- **Aquatic Acute**: Acute aquatic toxicity
- **Aquatic Chronic**: Chronic aquatic toxicity
- **Asp. Tox.**: Aspiration hazard
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