# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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# Section 1 - Product and Company Information

**Product Name** Product Number DOWEX 1X4-50 ion-exchange resin

428612

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# Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient

Substance Name	CAS#	<u>SARA 313</u>	EC no	Annex I Index Number
DIVINYLBENZENE. POLYMER WITH STYRENE AND ETHYLSTYRENE. CHLOROMETHYLATED.	69011-19-4	No		<del></del>

Ingredient Name Styrene, divinylbenzene, and ethylstyrene copolymer, chloromethyl trimethylamine

CAS# Percent >= 20,000 % <= 65,000% **SARA 313** 

functionalized in the chloride form WATER

TRIMETHYLAMINE-QUATERNIZED

>= 35.000% 7732-18-5 <= 80.000%

Formula Synonyms

(C10H12.C10H10.C8H8.C3H9N)x

# Section 3 - Hazards Identification

## **Emergency Overview**

Caution: Avoid contact and inhalation.

**HMIS Rating** 

Health: 1

Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0

NFPA Rating

Flammability: 0 Health: 1

Reactivity: 0

For additional information on toxicity, please refer to Section 11.

# Section 4 - First Aid Measures

#### Oral Exposure

If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician.

#### Inhalation Exposure

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult, call a physician.

#### Dermal Exposure

In case of contact, immediately wash skin with soap and copious amounts of water.

In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. Call a physician.

# Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

## **Explosion Hazards**

Nitric acid and other strong oxidizing agents can cause explosive type reactions when mixed with ion exchange resins.

#### Conditions of Flammability

Product is not combustible until moisture is removed then resin starts to burn in flame at 230°C. Autoignition occurs above 500°C.

**Autoignition Temp:** 

N/A

## Extinguishing Media

### Suitable

Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.

#### Protective Equipment

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

#### Specific Hazard(s)

Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

#### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

### Procedure(s) of Personal Precaution(s)

Exercise appropriate precautions to minimize direct contact with skin or eyes and prevent inhalation of dust.

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal Avoid raising dust. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

# Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Avoid inhalation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Dry ion exchange resins expand when wetted, which may cause column to shatter.

# Storage

### Suitable

Keep tightly closed.

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE

## **Engineering Controls**

Safety shower and eye bath. Mechanical exhaust required.

# Personal Protective Equipment

## Respiratory

Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU) Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts æ desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks.

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Hand

Protective gloves.

Eye

Chemical safety goggles.

#### General Hygiene Measures

Wash thoroughly after handling.

# Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

# Appearance

Solid

Physical State

Molecular Weight N/A

N/A N/A **BP/BP Range** N/A MP/MP Range Freezina Point N/A Vapor Pressure N/A Vapor Density N/A Saturated Vapor Conc. N/A SG/Density N/A **Bulk Density** N/A Odor Threshold N/A Volatile% N/A VOC Content N/A Water Content N/A Solvent Content N/A **Evaporation Rate** N/A Viscosity N/A Partition Coefficient N/A Decomposition Temp. N/A Flash Point °F N/A

**Explosion Limits** N/A

Flammability N/A Autoignition Temp N/A Solubility N/A

N/A = not available

Flash Point °C

# Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

N/A

#### Stability Stable

Stable.

Materials to Avoid

Strong oxidizing agents

# **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

# Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide, Nitrogen oxides. Alkylbenzenes, vinylbenzenes, naphthalene, benzaldehydes, and phenol may

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#### Hazardous Polymerization

Hazardous Polymerization

Will not occur.

### Section 11 - Toxicological Information

#### Route of Exposure

Skin Contact

May cause skin irritation.

Skin Absorption

May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Eve Contact

May cause eye irritation.

Inhalation

May be harmful if inhaled. Material may be irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

May be harmful if swallowed.

## Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicologial properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

RTECS Number: N/A

# Section 12 - Ecological Information

No data available.

## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

### Appropriate Method of Disposal of Substance or Preparation

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

## Section 14 - Transport Information

Proper Shipping Name: None

Non-Hazardous for Transport This substance is considered to be nonhazardous for transport.

Non-Hazardous for Air Transport Non-hazardous for air transport.

# Section 15 - Regulatory Information

# **US Classification and Label Text**

**US Statements** 

Caution: Avoid contact and inhalation

#### United States Regulatory Information

SARA Listed: No

## Canada Regulatory Information

WHMIS Classification

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

DSL: Yes

NDSL: No

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