

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

THE HALLSTAR COMPANY

Section 1 - Identification of Substance and Company

Product Name: PLASTHALL[®] DOTP
Chemical Name: Dioctyl Terephthalate

Product Code: 1615

Supplier: The HallStar Company ⁽¹⁾
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USA

HMIS
Health: 1
Flammability: 1
Reactivity: 0
Gloves & Safety Glasses

Emergency Phone Numbers: The HallStar Company (24 hr.) (708)594-5999
CHEMTREC (transportation) (800)424-9300

Section 2 - Information on Ingredients

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS #</u>
bis(2-ethylhexyl) terephthalate	6422-86-2
2-ethylhexyl methyl terephthalate	63468-13-3

Section 3 - Hazard Identification

Appearance/Odor: Colorless liquid; mild odor.

Potential Health Effects

Skin Contact: Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause mild skin irritation.
Eye Contact: May cause slight eye irritation of susceptible persons.
Ingestion: May irritate mouth, throat and stomach.
Inhalation: May cause dizziness.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Skin Contact: Wash affected skin with soap and water. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.
Eye Contact: Flush eyes with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists, consult a physician.
Ingestion: Seek medical advice.
Inhalation: Person should be moved to a fresh air environment.

Section 5 - Explosion and Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash Point (COC): 238°C
Extinguishing Media: CO₂, Dry Chemical, Water Fog, or Foam
Special Fire-Fighting Procedures: A MSHA/NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus should be worn. Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge: May accumulate a static charge which could act as an ignition source.
Hazardous Combustion Products: CO, CO₂

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Section 6 - Accidental Release/Spill Procedures

Steps to be Taken in Case Material is Released or Spilled: Dike and contain the spill with inert material (i.e., sand, earth, sawdust) and transfer liquid and solid diking material to separate containers for recovery or disposal. Wash floor area with hot water solution. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash affected skin areas with soap and water. Keep spills out of all sewers and bodies of water.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Any use of this product in an elevated process should be evaluated to establish and maintain safe operating procedures.

Keep from contact with oxidizing materials.

Containers should be kept tightly closed and stored in a dry well-ventilated place

Section 8 - Personal Protection

OSHA Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL): None established

Hand Protection: Neoprene or Viton Gloves
Respiratory Protection: Use a NIOSH approved respirator when exposure to mists or vapors is anticipated.
Eye Protection: Safety glasses
Engineering Measures: For normal operation, local exhaust ventilation should suffice. Direct exhaust may be necessary when material becomes heated and vapors are given off.
Other: Eyewash facility in vicinity.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Boiling Point:	400°C	Specific Gravity:	0.984
Flash Point (COC):	238°C	Freezing Point:	-48°C
Vapor Density:	13.47	Solubility in Water:	Negligible
Vapor Pressure (217°C):	1.33 mbar	pH:	N/A
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Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Stability: This product is stable under normal conditions.
Conditions to Avoid: Oxidizers
Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur under normal circumstances.

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Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Acute Toxicity:

Oral LD-50: (rat)	>5,000 mg/kg (highest dose tested)
Skin Irritation (guinea pig)	slight
Eye Irritation (rabbit)	slight

Section 12 - Ecological Information

This product does not contain any ozone depleting compounds (ODC's).

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal Methods: Material should be disposed of in accordance to current local, state, and federal regulations. Contacting a waste disposal service is recommended.

Section 14 - Transport Information

Not classified as hazardous according to the Department of Transportation.

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA): This product is in compliance with the TSCA regulation of the United States.

Domestic Substance List (DSL): This product is listed on the DSL inventory of Canada.

Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS): This product is listed on the AICS inventory of Australia.

European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (EINECS): This product is listed on the EINECS inventory of Europe (#229-176-9).

MITI (Japanese Handbook of Existing and New Chemical Substances): This product is listed in the Handbook or has been approved in Japan by new substance notification.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA): This product has the following hazards as defined in Section 311/312 of 40 CFR Part 372:

Hazards

Acute

This product contains the following chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 or Title III of SARA and 40 CFR Part 372:

Ingredients

None

California Proposition 65: This product contains the following substances known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm per the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986:

Ingredients

None

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Section 16 - Other Information

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