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FLUORENE

1. Product Identification

Synonyms: Diphenylenemethane

CAS No.: 86-73-7

Molecular Weight: 166.22

Chemical Formula: C₁₃H₁₀

Product Codes: F0039

2. Composition/Information on Ingredients

CAS#	Chemical Name	Percent	EINECS/ELINCS
86-73-7	Fluorene	98	201-695-5

3. Hazards Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Appearance: light brown crystalline powder.

Caution! May cause eye, skin, and respiratory tract irritation. Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Target Organs: None known.

Potential Health Effects

Eye: May cause eye irritation.

Skin: May cause skin irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Ingestion: May cause irritation of the digestive tract. May be harmful if swallowed.

Inhalation: May cause respiratory tract irritation. May be harmful if inhaled.

Chronic: No information found.

4. First Aid Measures

Eyes: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. If irritation develops, get medical aid.

Skin: Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical aid if irritation develops or persists.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Get medical aid if irritation or symptoms occur.

Inhalation: Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically and supportively.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

General Information: As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. This material in sufficient quantity and reduced particle size is capable of creating a dust explosion.

Extinguishing Media: Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or chemical foam.

Flash Point: 151 deg C (303.80 deg F)

Autoignition Temperature: Not available.

Explosion Limits, Lower:Not available.

Upper: Not available.

NFPA Rating: (estimated) Health: 1; Flammability: 1; Instability: 0

6. Accidental Release Measures

General Information: Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

Spills/Leaks: Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation. Do not let this chemical enter the environment.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling: Do not let this chemical enter the environment. Use with adequate ventilation. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

Storage: Store in a cool, dry place. Store in a tightly closed container.

8. Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Exposure Limits

Chemical Name	ACGIH	NIOSH	OSHA - Final PELs
Fluorene	none listed	none listed	none listed

OSHA Vacated PELs: Fluorene: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eyes: Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin: Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

Clothing: Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respirators: Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Crystalline powder

Appearance: almost white - light brown

Odor: None reported.

pH: Not available.

Vapor Pressure: 13 hPa @ 146 deg C

Vapor Density: Not available.

Evaporation Rate:Not available.

Viscosity: Not available.

Boiling Point: 298 deg C @ 760 mmHg

Freezing/Melting Point:112 - 116 deg C

Decomposition Temperature:Not available.

Solubility: Insoluble.

Specific Gravity/Density:1.2

Molecular Formula:C13H10

Molecular Weight:166.22

10. Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.
Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials, dust generation, excess heat.
Incompatibilities with Other Materials: Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.
Hazardous Polymerization: Has not been reported.

11. Toxicological Information

RTECS#:
CAS# 86-73-7: LL5670000
LD50/LC50:
Not available.

Carcinogenicity:
CAS# 86-73-7: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

Epidemiology: No information found
Teratogenicity: No information found
Reproductive Effects: No information found
Mutagenicity: See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.
Neurotoxicity: No information found
Other Studies:

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: No data available. Fish toxicity :LC50 (48hr) fathead minnow > 100mg/l (Finger, S.E. et al ASTM Spec. Tech. Publ. 865 1985); LC50 (24hr) bluegill sunfish, goldfish +/-5mg/l (Wood, E.M. The toxicity of 3400 chemicals to fish 1987); LC50 (unspecified exposure) himehada killifish 3,3mg/l (Niiromi, J. et al Mie-ken Kankyo Kagaku Senta Kenkyu Hokoku 1989) Invertebrate toxicity : EC50 (48hr) Daphnia magna 0,43 mg/l (Finger, S.E. et al ASTM spec. Tech. Publ. 865 1985); LC50 (96hr) Neanthes arenacoedentata 1mg/l (Rossi, S. S. et al Mar. Pollut. Bull. 1978)
Environmental: Terrestrial: Half-life ranges from 2 to 64 days; biodegradation is the primary route of degradation in soil. Aquatic: Will adsorb strongly to sediments and suspended matter. Adsorption into sediment is an important fate process. Atmospheric: Expected to exist primarily in the vapor phase in the ambient atmosphere; will degrade readily in the ambient atmosphere by reaction with photochemically produced hydroxyl radicals (estimated half-life of about 29 hr).
Physical: No information available.
Other: Do not empty into drains.

13. Disposal Considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.
RCRA P-Series: None listed.
RCRA U-Series: None listed.

14. Transport Information

	US DOT	Canada TDG
Shipping Name:	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOL	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOL
Hazard Class:	9	9
UN Number:	UN3077	UN3077
Packing Group:	III	III

15. Regulatory Information

US FEDERAL

TSCA

CAS# 86-73-7 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

Health & Safety Reporting List

None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

Chemical Test Rules

None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

Section 12b

None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

TSCA Significant New Use Rule

None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs

CAS# 86-73-7: 5000 lb final RQ; 2270 kg final RQ

SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

Section 313

No chemicals are reportable under Section 313.

Clean Air Act:

This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants.

This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depleters.

This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depleters.

Clean Water Act:

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA. CAS# 86-73-7 is listed as a Priority Pollutant under the Clean Water Act.

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

OSHA:

None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

STATE

CAS# 86-73-7 can be found on the following state right to know lists: New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts.

California Prop 65

California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

European/International Regulations

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

Hazard Symbols:

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Risk Phrases:

R 50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Safety Phrases:

S 24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

S 60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

S 61 Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheets.

WGK (Water Danger/Protection)

CAS# 86-73-7: No information available.

Canada - DSL/NDSL

CAS# 86-73-7 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

Canada - WHMIS

not available.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List

CAS# 86-73-7 is not listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List.

16. Other Information

Product Use:

Laboratory Reagent.

Revision Information:

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