1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name | N,N-Dimethylformamide
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Cat No. | D131, D131-1, D131-4
Synonyms | DMF
Recommended Use | Laboratory chemicals

Company | Fisher Scientific
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One Reagent Lane | 
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410 | 
Tel: (201) 796-7100

Emergency Telephone Number | CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA: 800-424-9300
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| CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 001-703-527-3887

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

WARNING!

Flammable liquid and vapor. Harmful if absorbed through skin or if inhaled. May cause methemoglobinemia. Irritating to eyes and skin. Lachrymator (substance which increases the flow of tears). May cause central nervous system effects. May cause adverse liver effects. May cause adverse kidney effects. May cause harm to the unborn child.

Appearance | Colorless
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Physical State | Liquid
odor | rotten-egg like

Target Organs | Skin, Eyes, Respiratory system, Central nervous system (CNS), Blood, Liver, Kidney, spleen

Potential Health Effects

Acute Effects

Principle Routes of Exposure

| Eyes | Irritating to eyes. Lachrymator (substance which increases the flow of tears). |
| Skin | Harmful in contact with skin. Irritating to skin. |
| Inhalation | Harmful by inhalation. May cause methemoglobinemia. Inhalation may cause central nervous system effects. May cause irritation of respiratory tract. |
| Ingestion | May be harmful if swallowed. May cause central nervous system effects. May cause adverse liver effects. May cause adverse kidney effects. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. |

Chronic Effects | May cause harm to the unborn child. Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals. May cause adverse liver effects. May cause adverse kidney effects. |
See Section 11 for additional Toxicological information.

**Aggravated Medical Conditions**

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eye Contact**
Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Skin Contact**
Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Inhalation**
Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with a respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Ingestion**
Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

**Notes to Physician**
Treat symptomatically.

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Flash Point**
58°C / 136.4°F

**Method**
No information available.

**Autoignition Temperature**
445°C / 833°F

**Explosion Limits**
Upper 15.2 vol %
Lower 2.2 vol %

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**
Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**
No information available.

**Hazardous Combustion Products**
No information available.

**Sensitivity to mechanical impact**
No information available.

**Sensitivity to static discharge**
No information available.

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**
Flammable. Risk of ignition. Containers may explode when heated. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back.
Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters
As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions
Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

Environmental Precautions
Should not be released into the environment.

Methods for Containment and Clean Up
Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling
Use only under a chemical fume hood. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools. Use explosion-proof equipment. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

Storage
Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.
8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Measures
Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.

Exposure Guidelines

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**NIOSH IDLH:** Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

Personal Protective Equipment

**Eye/face Protection**
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 and body protection**
Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection**
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

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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability
Stable under normal conditions.
Conditions to Avoid
Incompatible products. Heat, flames and sparks.
Incompatible Materials
Strong oxidizing agents, Halogens, Halogenated compounds
Hazardous Decomposition Products
Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Nitrogen oxides (NOₓ)
Hazardous Polymerization
Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Hazardous Reactions
None under normal processing.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity
LC50 Inhalation (DUST) VALUE  9400 mg/m³/24 (mouse)
LC50 Inhalation (VAPOR) VALUE  3421 ppm/h (rat)

Component Information

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Irritation
Irritating to eyes and skin

Toxicologically Synergistic Products
No information available.

Chronic Toxicity
Carcinogenicity
There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

Sensitization
No information available.

Mutagenic Effects
Mutagenic effects have occurred in humans.

Reproductive Effects
Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals.

Developmental Effects
May cause harm to the unborn child. Developmental effects have occurred in experimental animals.

Teratogenicity
Teratogenic effects have occurred in experimental animals.

Other Adverse Effects
See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

Endocrine Disruptor Information

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

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<td>Lepomis macrochirus: LC50 = 6.3 g/L/96h</td>
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Persistence and Degradability
Readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation
No information available

Mobility

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13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Methods
Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN-No  UN2265
Proper Shipping Name  N,N-DIMETHYLFORMAMIDE
Hazard Class  3
Packing Group  III

TDG

UN-No  UN2265
Proper Shipping Name  N,N-DIMETHYLFORMAMIDE
Hazard Class  3
Packing Group  III

IATA

UN-No  UN2265
Proper Shipping Name  N,N-Dimethylformamide
Hazard Class  3
Packing Group  III
14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN2265
Proper Shipping Name N,N-Dimethylformamide
Hazard Class 3
Packing Group III

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

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Legend:
X - Listed
E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance
R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

SARA 313

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SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Acute Health Hazard  Yes
Chronic Health Hazard Yes
Fire Hazard  Yes
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard No
Reactive Hazard No

Clean Water Act
Not applicable
Clean Air Act

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OSHA
Not applicable

CERCLA
This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

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California Proposition 65
This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

State Right-to-Know

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U.S. Department of Transportation
Reportable Quantity (RQ): Y
DOT Marine Pollutant: N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant: N

U.S. Department of Homeland Security
This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade
Moderate risk, Grade 2

Canada

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

WHMIS Hazard Class
B3  Combustible liquid
D1B  Toxic materials
D2A Very toxic materials
D2B  Toxic materials
16. OTHER INFORMATION

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End of MSDS