

Creation Date Oct-2013

Revision Date Oct-2018

Revision Number 2

## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### 1.1. Product identification

<b>Product Description:</b>	<b><u>Triethanolamine</u></b>
<b>Product Grade:</b>	SQ
<b>Cat No. :</b>	Q28565, Q2856C
<b>Synonyms</b>	2,2',2''-Nitrilotriethanol; TEA
<b>CAS-No</b>	102-71-6
<b>EC-No.</b>	203-049-8
<b>Molecular Formula</b>	C6 H15 N O3
<b>Reach Registration Number</b>	01-2119486482-31

### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

<b>Recommended Use</b>	Laboratory chemicals.
<b>Sector of use</b>	SU3 - Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites
<b>Product category</b>	PC21 - Laboratory chemicals
<b>Process categories</b>	PROC15 - Use as a laboratory reagent
<b>Environmental release category</b>	ERC6a - Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance (use of intermediates)
<b>Uses advised against</b>	No Information available

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

<b>Company</b>	Thermo Fisher Scientific India Pvt. Ltd 403-404, B-wing, Delphi, Hiranandani Business Park, Powai, Mumbai 400076, INDIA.
<b>E-mail address</b>	<a href="mailto:laboratorysolutions@thermofisher.com">laboratorysolutions@thermofisher.com</a>

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

India Toll Free: 18 00 22 22 30  
Chemtrec US: (800)424-9300  
Chemtrec EU: 001(202)483-7616

## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### **CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Not hazardous

#### **Physical hazards**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### **Health hazards**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### **Environmental hazards**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

### 2.2. Label elements

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Triethanolamine

Revision Date Oct-2018

## Hazard Statements

## Precautionary Statements

### 2.3. Other hazards

No information available

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1. Substances

Component	CAS-No	EC-No.	Weight %	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
Triethanolamine	102-71-6	EEC No. 203-049-8	>95	-

<b>Reach Registration Number</b>	01-2119486482-31
----------------------------------	------------------

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

<b>Eye Contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do not induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Obtain medical attention.
<b>Protection of First-aiders</b>	No special precautions required.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No information available.

### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically.
---------------------------	------------------------

## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

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

#### **Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Triethanolamine

Revision Date Oct-2018

No information available.

## **5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid), Formaldehyde.

## **5.3. Advice for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

### **6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

### **6.2. Environmental precautions**

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

### **6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### **6.4. Reference to other sections**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

### **7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not ingest.

### **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

### **7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep under nitrogen.

### **7.3. Specific end use(s)**

Use in laboratories

## **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

### **8.1. Control parameters**

#### **Exposure limits**

List source(s): IRE - 2010 Code of Practice for the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work (Chemical Agents) Regulations 2001. Published by the Health and Safety Authority.

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Triethanolamine

Revision Date Oct-2018

Component	European Union	The United Kingdom	France	Belgium	Spain
Triethanolamine				TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 uren	TWA / VLA-ED: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 horas)

Component	Italy	Germany	Portugal	The Netherlands	Finland
Triethanolamine		TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 Stunden). MAK can occur as vapor and aerosol at the same time Höhepunkt: 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 horas		TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 tunteina

Component	Austria	Denmark	Switzerland	Poland	Norway
Triethanolamine	MAK-KZW: 1.6 ppm 15 Minuten MAK-KZW: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 Minuten MAK-TMW: 0.8 ppm 8 Stunden MAK-TMW: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 Stunden	TWA: 0.5 ppm 8 timer TWA: 3.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 timer	STEL: 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 Minuten TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 Stunden		TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 timer STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 minutter.

Component	Bulgaria	Croatia	Ireland	Cyprus	Czech Republic
Triethanolamine			TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr. STEL: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min		TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hodinách. Potential for cutaneous absorption Ceiling: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Component	Estonia	Gibraltar	Greece	Hungary	Iceland
Triethanolamine	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 tundides. STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 minutites.				TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 klukkustundum. Ceiling: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Component	Latvia	Lithuania	Luxembourg	Malta	Romania
Triethanolamine		TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> IPRD STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>			

Component	Russia	Slovak Republic	Slovenia	Sweden	Turkey
Triethanolamine			TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 urah inhalable fraction	STV: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 minuter STV: 1.6 ppm 15 minuter LLV: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 timmar. LLV: 0.8 ppm 8 timmar. Hud	

### Biological limit values

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

### Monitoring methods

BS EN 14042:2003 Title Identifier: Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents.

**Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)** No information available

<u>Route of exposure</u>	Acute effects (local)	Acute effects (systemic)	Chronic effects (local)	Chronic effects (systemic)
Oral Dermal Inhalation				

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Triethanolamine

Revision Date Oct-2018

**Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)** No information available.

## 8.2. Exposure controls

### Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye Protection

Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

#### Hand Protection

Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments
Natural rubber	> 360 minutes	-	EN 374	(minimum requirement)
Nitrile rubber				
PVC				
Butyl rubber	> 240 minutes	0.35 mm		

#### Skin and body protection

Long sleeved clothing

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatibility, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

#### Respiratory Protection

When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.

#### Large scale/emergency use

Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

#### Small scale/Laboratory use

**Recommended Filter type:** Particle filter

Maintain adequate ventilation

**Recommended half mask:-** Valve filtering: EN405; or; Half mask: EN140; plus filter, EN 141

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### Appearance

Light yellow

#### Physical State

Liquid Viscous liquid

#### Odor

Ammonia-like

#### Odor Threshold

No data available

#### pH

10.5

15 g/L water

#### Melting Point/Range

21 °C / 69.8 °F

#### Softening Point

No data available

#### Boiling Point/Range

360 °C / 680 °F

#### Flash Point

190 °C / 374 °F

**Method -** No information available

#### Evaporation Rate

No data available

#### Flammability (solid,gas)

Not applicable

Liquid

#### Explosion Limits

**Lower** 3.6

**Upper** 7.2

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Triethanolamine

Revision Date Oct-2018

<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	<0.01 mmHg @ 20 °C	
<b>Vapor Density</b>	5.14	(Air = 1.0)
<b>Specific Gravity / Density</b>	1.125	
<b>Bulk Density</b>	Not applicable	Liquid
<b>Water Solubility</b>	freely soluble	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available	
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>		
<b>Component</b>	<b>log Pow</b>	
Triethanolamine	-2.53	
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	325 - °C / 617 - °F	
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Viscosity</b>	600 mPa.s at 25 °C	
<b>Explosive Properties</b>	No information available	
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	No information available	

## 9.2. Other information

<b>Molecular Formula</b>	C6 H15 N O3
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	149.19

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1. Reactivity

None known, based on information available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Hygroscopic, Air sensitive.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

#### Hazardous Polymerization

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

#### Hazardous Reactions

No information available.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to air. Exposure to light. Exposure to moist air or water.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents. Acids. Metals.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid). Formaldehyde.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Product Information

#### (a) acute toxicity;

**Oral**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**Dermal**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**Inhalation**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Triethanolamine	LD50 = 4190 mg/kg ( Rat )	>16 mL/kg ( Rat ) >2000 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	

#### (b) skin corrosion/irritation;

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### (c) serious eye damage/irritation;

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Triethanolamine

Revision Date Oct-2018

- (d) respiratory or skin sensitization;**  
**Respiratory** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met  
**Skin** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
- (e) germ cell mutagenicity;** Did not cause sensitization on laboratory animals  
 Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
- (f) carcinogenicity;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met  
 There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product
- (g) reproductive toxicity;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
- (h) STOT-single exposure;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
- (i) STOT-repeated exposure;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met  
**Target Organs** No information available.
- (j) aspiration hazard;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met  
**Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed** No information available

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**12.1. Toxicity**

**Ecotoxicity effects** Do not empty into drains.

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
Triethanolamine	LC50: 450 - 1000 mg/L, 96h static (Lepomis macrochirus) LC50: > 1000 mg/L, 96h static (Pimephales promelas) LC50: 10600 - 13000 mg/L, 96h flow-through (Pimephales promelas)	EC50: = 1386 mg/L, 24h (Daphnia magna)	EC50: = 169 mg/L, 96h (Desmodesmus subspicatus) EC50: = 216 mg/L, 72h (Desmodesmus subspicatus)	EC50 > 10000 mg/L 30 min

**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

**Persistence** Readily biodegradable  
 Soluble in water, Persistence is unlikely, based on information available.

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

Bioaccumulation is unlikely

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
Triethanolamine	-2.53	<3.9 OECD 305C

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems . Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility. Highly mobile in soils

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

No data available for assessment.

**12.6. Other adverse effects**

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors  
**Persistent Organic Pollutant** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance  
**Ozone Depletion Potential** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Triethanolamine

Revision Date Oct-2018

## 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**Waste from Residues / Unused Products**

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

**Contaminated Packaging**

Empty remaining contents. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Do not re-use empty containers.

**European Waste Catalogue (EWC)**

According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific.

**Other Information**

Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used.

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**IMDG/IMO**

Not regulated

**14.1. UN number**

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

**14.4. Packing group**

**ADR**

Not regulated

**14.1. UN number**

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

**14.4. Packing group**

**IATA**

Not regulated

**14.1. UN number**

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

**14.4. Packing group**

**14.5. Environmental hazards**

No hazards identified

**14.6. Special precautions for user**

No special precautions required

**14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable, packaged goods

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

**International Inventories**

X = listed

Component	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	IECSC	AICS	KECL
Triethanolamine	203-049-8	-		X	X	-	X	X	X	X	X

**National Regulations**

Component	Germany - Water Classification (VwVwS)	Germany - TA-Luft Class
Triethanolamine	WGK 1	

Component	France - INRS (Tables of occupational diseases)
Triethanolamine	Tableaux des maladies professionnelles (TMP) - RG 49



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Triethanolamine

Revision Date Oct-2018

Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment.

Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3

#### Legend

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%

**NOEC** - No Observed Effect Concentration

**PBT** - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

**ADR** - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

#### Key literature references and sources for data

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**TWA** - Time Weighted Average

**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**PNEC** - Predicted No Effect Concentration

**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

**vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

**ICAO/IATA** - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

**MARPOL** - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

**ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**VOC** - Volatile Organic Compounds

#### Training Advice

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

**Creation Date** Oct-2013

**Next Revision Date** Oct-2023

**Revision Summary** SDS section 1 updated and update of Format.

**This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006**

#### Disclaimer

The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text

**End of Safety Data Sheet**