



Safety Data Sheet

For Compliance with OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200 and ANSI Z400.1-1998

Anthralin USP

30-3869

Section 1: Identification

Product Name Anthralin USP
Commercial Name Dithranol, Anthralin
Product Use Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances
Restrictions On Use Not available.

Product Code 30-3869

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Section 2: Hazard(s) Identification

OSHA Haz Com: Skin irritation (Category 2) Eye irritation (Category 2) Specific target organ toxicity-single exposure (Category 3)
CFR 1910.1200

Signal Word WARNING

Hazard Statement(s) Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. May cause respiratory irritation.

Pictogram(s) or Symbol(s)



Precautionary Statement(s):

Prevention Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves. Wear eye/face protection. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Response If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.

Storage Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up.

Disposal Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

Substance/Mixture Substance
Components Anthralin
% By Weight 100
CAS# 1143-38-0
Molecular Weight 226.23 g/mole
Chemical Formula C₁₄H₁₀O₃
Synonym(s) 1,8- Dihydroxy -9(1 aH)- anthracen one 1,8,9,- Anthracenetriol 1,8- Dihydroxyanthrone Dithranol

Mixtures

Name	CAS#	% by Weight	TLV/PEL	LC50/LD50
Anthralin	1143-38-0	100	Not available.	Not available.

Section 4: First-Aid Measures

Inhalation	Move to fresh air. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
Skin Contact	Remove contaminated clothing. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
Eye Contact	Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists
Ingestion	Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.
Symptoms/Effects	
Acute	Irritant effects
Delayed	Irritant effects
Immediate Medical Attention	
Treat symptomatically.	

Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials. Water. Foam. Dry chemical or CO₂.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

Not available.

Products of Combustion

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

Firefighters Special Equipment and Precautions

Wear suitable protective equipment. Use water spray to cool unopened containers. As with all fires, evacuate personnel to a safe area. Firefighters should use self-contained breathing equipment and protective clothing. Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Keep unnecessary personnel away. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid inhalation of dust from the spilled material. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up: Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Handling: As a general rule, when handling USP Reference Standards, avoid all contact and inhalation of dust, mists, and/or vapors associated with the material. Clean equipment and work surfaces with suitable detergent or solvent after use. After removing gloves, wash hands and other exposed skin thoroughly. Storage: Store in tight container as defined in the USP-NF. This material should be handled and stored per label instructions to ensure product integrity.

Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Exposure Limits	Not available.
Engineering Controls	Airborne exposure should be controlled primarily by engineering controls such as general dilution ventilation, local exhaust ventilation, or process enclosure. Local exhaust ventilation is generally preferred to general exhaust because it can control the contaminant at its source, preventing dispersion into the work area. An industrial hygiene survey involving air monitoring may be used to determine the effectiveness of engineering controls. Effectiveness of engineering controls intended for use with highly potent materials should be assessed by use of nontoxic surrogate materials. Local exhaust ventilation such as a laboratory fume hood or other vented enclosure is recommended, particularly for grinding, crushing, weighing, or other dust-generating procedures

Personal Protection

Eye/face protection: Safety glasses with sideshields are recommended. Face shields or goggles may be required if splash potential exists or if corrosive materials are present. Approved eye protection (e.g., bearing the ANSI Z87 or CSA stamp) is preferred. Maintain eyewash facilities in the work area. Skin protection Hand protection: Chemically compatible gloves. For handling solutions, ensure that the glove material is protective against the solvent being used. Use handling practices that minimize direct hand contact. Employees who are sensitive to natural rubber (latex) should use nitrile or other synthetic nonlatex gloves. Use of powdered latex gloves should be avoided due to the risk of latex allergy. Other: For handling of laboratory scale quantities, a cloth lab coat is recommended. Where significant quantities are handled, work clothing may be necessary to prevent take-home contamination. Respiratory protection: Where respirators are deemed necessary to reduce or control occupational exposures, use NIOSH-approved respiratory protection and have an effective respirator program in place (applicable U.S. regulation OSHA 29 CFR 1910.134). Thermal hazards: Not available. General hygiene considerations: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Yellow to yellowish-brown crystalline powder. Solid.		
Odor	Odorless		
Odor Threshold	Not available.		
Melting Point	348.8 - 357.8 °F (176 - 181 °	pH	Not available.
Freezing Point	Not available.	Vapor Pressure	Not applicable.
Boiling Point/Range	Not available.	Vapor Density	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	Not available.	Viscosity	Not available.
Partition Coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not available.	Evaporation Rate	Not available.
Flash Point	Not available.	Autoignition temperature	Not available.
Flammability	Not available.	Flammability or Explosive Limits:	
		Lower	Not available.
		Upper	Not available.
Solubility(ies)	Practically insoluble in water.		
Other	Molecular formula C ₁₄ H ₁₀ O ₃ Molecular weight 226.23 Solubility (other) Slightly soluble in alcohol, in ether, and in glacial acetic acid; soluble in chloroform and in dichloromethane; soluble to sparingly soluble in acetone; dissolves in dilute solutions of alkali hydroxides		

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity	Not available.
Chemical Stability	Stable at normal conditions
Hazardous Polymerization	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use
Conditions to Avoid	Not available.
Incompatible Materials	Metals. Oxidizing agents.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Irritating and/or toxic fumes or gases. Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

Section 11: Toxicological Information**RTECS** CB8927000**Acute Toxicity**

Not available.

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Causes skin irritation

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization

Not available.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity

Not available.

Carcinogenicity

Not available.

Reproductive Toxicity

Not available.

Routes of Entry

Inhalation. Skin. Eye.

Symptoms Related to Exposure

Skin discoloration. Burning sensation. Itching. Swelling. Cough. Wheezing. Laryngitis. Shortness of breath. Headache. Nausea. Vomiting.

Potential Health Effects

Kidney impairment. Pre-existing skin conditions or damage

Target Organ(s)

Respiratory tract irritation

Section 12: Ecological Information**Ecotoxicity**

Not available.

Persistence and Degradability

Not available.

Bioaccumulative Potential

Not available.

Mobility in Soil

Not available.

Other Adverse Effects

Not available.

Section 13: Disposal Considerations**Waste Disposal**

Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. Under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the user of the product to determine, at the time of disposal, whether the product meets RCRA criteria for hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).

Disposal of Container

Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

Other Considerations

Not available.

Section 14: Transport Information**DOT Classification**

DOT Not a DOT controlled material (United States). This material is not classified dangerous good according to international transportation regulations (ADR/RID-IMDG-ICAO/IATA).

Section 15: Regulatory Information**Regulations**

US federal regulations CERCLA/SARA Hazardous Substances - Not applicable. One or more components are not listed on TSCA. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - Yes Delayed Hazard - No Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance No SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical No Other federal regulations Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) Not regulated. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Not regulated. US state regulations California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins.

Other

WHMIS CLASS D-2A: Material causing other toxic (Canada) effects (VERY TOXIC); DSCL (EEC) R36/38- Irritating to eyes and skin.; Gloves.; Lab coat.; Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate.; Splash goggles.

Section 16: Other Information



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