Material Safety Data Sheet

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : 1-Octadecanethiol

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula : C18H38S
Molecular Weight : 286.56 g/mol

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
Octadecane-1-thiol			
2885-00-9	220-744-1	-	-

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

OSHA Hazards
Irritant

HMIS Classification
Health Hazard: 2
Flammability: 0
Physical hazards: 0

NFPA Rating
Health Hazard: 2
Fire: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 0

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
Eyes Causes eye irritation.
Ingestion May be harmful if swallowed.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled
If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact
Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact
Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

If swallowed
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable properties

Flash point	185.00 °C (365.00 °F) - closed cup 185.00 °C (365.00 °F) - closed cup
Ignition temperature	no data available

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

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters
Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions
Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Environmental precautions
Do not let product enter drains.

Methods for cleaning up
Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling
Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.
Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

Storage
Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Store under inert gas. Air sensitive.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection
Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a dust mask type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Hand protection
Handle with gloves.

Eye protection
Safety glasses

Skin and body protection
Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Hygiene measures
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance

Form	Solidified mass or fragments
Colour	white
Odour	Stench.

Safety data

pH	no data available
Melting point	30 - 33 °C (86 - 91 °F)
Boiling point	204 - 210 °C (399 - 410 °F) at 15 hPa (11 mmHg)
Flash point	185.00 °C (365.00 °F) - closed cup 185.00 °C (365.00 °F) - closed cup
Ignition temperature	no data available
Lower explosion limit	no data available
Upper explosion limit	no data available
Density	0.847 g/mL at 25 °C (77 °F)
Water solubility	no data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Storage stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Materials to avoid
Alkali metals

Hazardous decomposition products
Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Hydrogen sulfide gas

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - rat - 16,300 mg/kg

LD50 Dermal - rabbit - 16,300 mg/kg

Irritation and corrosion

no data available

Sensitisation

no data available

Chronic exposure

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Nausea, Headache, Vomiting

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Elimination information (persistence and degradability)

no data available

Ecotoxicity effects

no data available

Further information on ecology

no data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product
Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

Contaminated packaging
Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)
UN-Number: 3335 Class: 9
Proper shipping name: Aviation regulated solid, n.o.s. (Octadecane-1-thiol)
Marine pollutant: No
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG

Not dangerous goods

IATA
UN-Number: 3335 Class: 9
Proper shipping name: Aviation regulated solid n.o.s. (Octadecane-1-thiol)

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

OSHA Hazards
Irritant

DSL Status
This product contains the following components listed on the Canadian NDSL list. All other components are on the Canadian DSL list.

	CAS-No.
Octadecane-1-thiol	2885-00-9

SARA 302 Components
SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components
SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Hazards
Acute Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right To Know Components
No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Octadecane-1-thiol	2885-00-9	1989-12-01

New Jersey Right To Know Components

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Octadecane-1-thiol	2885-00-9	1989-12-01

California Prop. 65 Components
This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Further information
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