

SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product identifier n-PENTANE, REAGENT

Other means of identification

Product code 1075 CAS number 109-66-0

Recommended use professional, scientific and technical activities: other professional, scientific and technical activities

Recommended restrictions None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

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2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Flammable liquids Category 2

Health hazards Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure Category 3 narcotic effects

Aspiration hazard Category 1

Chemtrec 800-424-9300

Environmental hazards Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute Category 2

hazard

Hazardous to the aquatic environment,

long-term hazard

OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements



Signal word Danger

Hazard statement Highly flammable liquid and vapor. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways. May cause

drowsiness or dizziness. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement

Prevention Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. Keep container tightly

closed. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof

electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid release to the environment. Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Wear protective

Category 2

gloves/eye protection/face protection.

Response IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Do NOT induce

vomiting. If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. In case of fire: Use appropriate media to

extinguish. Collect spillage.

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

Disposal Dispose of contents/container to an appropriate treatment and disposal facility in accordance with

applicable laws and regulations, and product characteristics at time of disposal.

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Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None known.

Supplemental information

None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Substances

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%	
n-PENTANE		109-66-0	100	

^{*}Designates that a specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON

CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Get medical Skin contact

attention if irritation develops and persists.

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if Eye contact

present and easy to do. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. If Ingestion

vomiting occurs, keep head low so that stomach content doesn't get into the lungs.

Most important

symptoms/effects, acute and

delaved

Aspiration may cause pulmonary edema and pneumonitis. May cause drowsiness and dizziness.

Headache. Nausea, vomiting. Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special

treatment needed

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Thermal burns: Flush with water immediately. While flushing, remove clothes which do not adhere to affected area. Call an ambulance. Continue flushing during transport to hospital. Keep victim under observation.

Symptoms may be delayed.

General information Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the

material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Wash contaminated clothing

before reuse.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel considerable distance to a source

of ignition and flash back. During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting equipment/instructions In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

Specific methods

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

General fire hazards

Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ventilate closed spaces before entering them. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

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Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Keep combustibles (wood, paper, oil, etc.) away from spilled material. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Use only non-sparking tools. This material is classified as a water pollutant under the Clean Water Act and should be prevented from contaminating soil or from entering sewage and drainage systems which lead to waterways.

Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and place into a container for later disposal. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Absorb with earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to containers for later disposal. Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Do not handle, store or open near an open flame, sources of heat or sources of ignition. Protect material from direct sunlight. When using do not smoke. Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Use non-sparking tools and explosion-proof equipment. Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store locked up. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Prevent electrostatic charge build-up by using common bonding and grounding techniques. Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight. Store in original tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

US. OSHA Table Z-1	Limits for Air Contaminants	(29 CFR 1910.1000)
Matorial	Type	

Material	Туре	Value	
n-PENTANE (CAS 109-66-0)	PEL	2950 mg/m3	
		1000 ppm	
US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Value	es		
Material	Туре	Value	
n-PENTANE (CAS 109-66-0)	TWA	1000 ppm	
US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Che Material	mical Hazards Type	Value	
n-PENTANE (CAS 109-66-0)	Ceiling	1800 mg/m3	
		610 ppm	
	TWA	350 mg/m3	
		120 ppm	

Biological limit values Appropriate engineering controls

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. Eye wash fountain and emergency showers are

recommended.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin protection

Hand protection Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

Other Wear suitable protective clothing.

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limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn. Chemical respirator with organic vapor

cartridge.

Thermal hazards Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

When using do not smoke. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing

and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

AppearanceClear.Physical stateLiquid.FormLiquid.ColorColorless.

Odor strong hydrocarbon-like.

Odor threshold Not available. pH Not available.

Melting point/freezing point $-201.46 \, ^{\circ}\text{F} \, (-129.7 \, ^{\circ}\text{C})$ Initial boiling point and $96.98 \, ^{\circ}\text{F} \, (36.1 \, ^{\circ}\text{C})$

boiling range

Flash point < -40.0 °F (< -40.0 °C) Closed Cup

Evaporation rate Not available.

Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower 1.5%

(%)

Flammability limit -

upper (%)

7.8 %

Explosive limit - lower

(%)

Not available.

Explosive limit - upper

(%)

Not available.

Vapor pressure 68.53 kPa at 25 °C

Vapor density 2.49

Relative density Not available.

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) 0.4 g/l Partition coefficient 3.39

(n-octanol/water)

Auto-ignition temperature500 °F (260 °C)Decomposition temperatureNot available.ViscosityNot available.

Other information

Density 0.63 g/cm3 estimated at 20 °C **Dynamic viscosity** 0.29 mPa.s (32 °F (0 °C))

Explosive properties Not explosive.

Flammability class Flammable IA estimated

Flash point class Flammable IA
Heat of combustion 41.9 kJ/g

(NFPA 30B)

Kinematic viscosity 0.4614 mm²/s estimated

Molecular formulaC5-H12Molecular weight72.15 g/molOxidizing propertiesNot oxidizing.Percent volatile100 %

Specific gravity 0.63 at 20 °C

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Surface tension 16 mN/m (68 °F (20 °C))

VOC 100 %

10. Stability and reactivity

ReactivityThe product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Chemical stabilityMaterial is stable under normal conditions. **Possibility of hazardous**Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

reactions

Conditions to avoidAvoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Avoid temperatures exceeding the flash

point. Contact with incompatible materials.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition

products

Carbon oxides.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation May cause drowsiness and dizziness. Headache. Nausea, vomiting. Prolonged inhalation may be

harmful.

Skin contactNo adverse effects due to skin contact are expected. **Eye contact**Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Ingestion Droplets of the product aspirated into the lungs through ingestion or vomiting may cause a serious

chemical pneumonia.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Aspiration may cause pulmonary edema and pneumonitis. May cause drowsiness and dizziness.

Headache. Nausea, vomiting.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

Product Species Test Results

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Acute

Inhalation

LC50 Rat 364 mg/l, 4 h

Other

LD50 Mouse 446 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritationProlonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation. **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Respiratory sensitization Not a respiratory sensitizer.

Skin sensitization This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Not listed.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (1)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (10)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (2)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (3)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (4)

Not regulated.

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^{*} Estimates for product may be based on additional component data not shown.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (5)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (6)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (7)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (8)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (9)

Not regulated.

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Not listed.

Reproductive toxicityThis product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity

- single exposure

May cause drowsiness and dizziness.

Specific target organ toxicity

- repeated exposure

Not classified.

Aspiration hazard May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways. **Chronic effects** Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Persistence and degradability Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)

3.39

Mobility in soil No data available.

Other adverse effectsThe product contains volatile organic compounds which have a photochemical ozone creation

potential.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructionsCollect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Do not allow this

material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with

chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with

local/regional/national/international regulations.

Local disposal regulations

Hazardous waste code

Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Waste from residues /

unused products

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).

Contaminated packaging Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is

emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

disposal.

14. Transport information

DOT

UN number UN1265

UN proper shipping name Pentanes, MARINE POLLUTANT

Transport hazard class(es)
Class 3
Subsidiary risk Label(s) 3
Packing group II
Environmental hazards

Marine pollutant Yes

Special precautions for Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

user

Special provisions IB2, IP8, T4, TP1

Packaging exceptions150Packaging non bulk202Packaging bulk242

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IATA

UN number UN1265 **UN** proper shipping name Pentanes liquid

Transport hazard class(es)

Class 3 **Subsidiary risk Packing group** ΙΙ **Environmental hazards** No. **ERG Code** 3H

Special precautions for

user

Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

Other information Passenger and cargo

aircraft

Allowed with restrictions.

Cargo aircraft only

Allowed with restrictions.

IMDG

UN1265 **UN** number

UN proper shipping name Transport hazard class(es)

PENTANES, liquid, MARINE POLLUTANT

Class 3 **Subsidiary risk Packing group** II **Environmental hazards**

Marine pollutant Yes **EmS** F-E, S-D

Special precautions for

user

Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

Transport in bulk according to Not established. Annex II of MARPOL 73/78

and the IBC Code

DOT



IATA; IMDG



Marine pollutant



General information IMDG Regulated Marine Pollutant. DOT Regulated Marine Pollutant.

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15. Regulatory information

US federal regulations

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 20 CFR 1010 1200

29 CFR 1910.1200.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (1)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (2)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (3)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (4)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (5)

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US OSHA Hazard Categories (9)

Not regulated.

US OSHA Hazard Categories (10)

Not regulated.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - Yes

Delayed Hazard - No Fire Hazard - Yes Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Yes

Hazardous chemical

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

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Safe Drinking Water Act

(SDWA)

Not regulated.

US state regulationsCalifornia 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.

International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (FINECS)	Yes

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Country(s) or region **Inventory name** On inventory (yes/no)* European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS) Europe Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS) Japan Yes Existing Chemicals List (ECL) Korea Yes New Zealand Inventory New Zealand Yes Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances **Philippines** Yes (PICCS)

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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the sheet was written based on the best knowledge and experience currently available.

Revision informationThis document has undergone significant changes and should be reviewed in its entirety.

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United States & Puerto Rico Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory Yes *A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s) A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).