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Melphalan SDS Revision Date:2024-04-25 Revision Number:1						
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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking Product identifier Product name: Melphalan						
CAS:	148-82-3					
Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against						
Relevant identified uses:	For R&D use only. Not for medicinal, household or other use.					
Uses advised against:	none					
Company Identificatio	n					
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# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

## Classification of the substance or mixture

Acute toxicity - Category 2, Oral Acute toxicity - Category 2, Dermal Acute toxicity - Category 1, Inhalation Carcinogenicity, Category 1B Reproductive toxicity, Category 2

### GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram(s)



Signal word

Danger

### Hazard statement(s)

H300 Fatal if swallowed H310 Fatal in contact with skin H330 Fatal if inhaled H350 May cause cancer H361 Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child

### Precautionary statement(s)

### Prevention

P264 Wash ... thoroughly after handling.
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P262 Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection/...
P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P284 [In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.
P203 Obtain, read and follow all safety instructions before use.

### Response

P301+P316 IF SWALLOWED: Get emergency medical help immediately.
P321 Specific treatment (see ... on this label).
P330 Rinse mouth.
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/...
P316 Get emergency medical help immediately.
P361+P364 Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P320 Specific treatment is urgent (see ... on this label).

P318 IF exposed or concerned, get medical advice.

### Storage

P405 Store locked up. P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

### Disposal

P501 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.

### Other hazards which do not result in classification

no data available

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### Substance

Chemical name:	Melphalan		
Common names and synonyms:	Melphalan		
CAS number:	148-82-3		
EC number:	205-726-3		
Concentration:	100%		

## **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

### Description of necessary first-aid measures

### If inhaled

Move the victim into fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration and consult a doctor immediately. Do not use mouth to mouth resuscitation if the victim ingested or inhaled the chemical.

### Following skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a doctor.

### Following eye contact

Rinse with pure water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a doctor.

### Following ingestion

Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a doctor or Poison Control Center immediately.

### Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

SYMPTOMS: Exposure to this compound will cause bone marrow depression. Other symptoms include neutropenia, thrombocytopenia, edema, neurotoxicity and vesiculation of the skin. It may also cause immunosuppression and, on rare occasions, pulmonary toxicity resulting in interstitial pneumonitis and lung fibrosis. It is a strong irritant to the eyes and mucous membranes. Other symptoms include nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, hemorrhage into the gastrointestinal tract, temporary alopecia and ulceration of the mouth and mucous membranes. It may also cause amenorrhea, fetal harm in pregnant women, myelosuppression, hypersensitivity, gastrointestinal toxicity, infertility, skin rash, vasculitis, bleeding, fever, persistent cough, weight loss and anemia. Other symptoms reported include infection, hyperuricemia, uric acid nephropathy and stomatitis. It may also cause hypocalcemia, respiratory damage, granulocytopenia, anorexia and bone marrow hypoplasia. Other symptoms include comeal damage, cytotoxic effects, inhibition of cell division, lymph node damage, impairment of spermatogenesis, headache and delayed death. ACUTE/CHRONIC HAZARDS: This compound is extremely irritating to tissues. It is an eye and mucous membrane irritant. It is absorbed through the skin and respiratory tract in sufficient amounts to produce systemic intoxication. When heated to decomposition it emits toxic fumes of chloride ion and NOx. (NTP, 1992)

### Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

### Absorption, Distribution and Excretion

Incomplete, variable, 25-89% post oral dose

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

### Suitable extinguishing media

Fires involving this material may be controlled using a dry chemical, carbon dioxide or Halon extinguisher. (NTP, 1992)

### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Flash point data are not available for this chemical; however it is probably combustible. (NTP, 1992)

#### Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing mist, gas or vapours. Avoid contacting with skin and eye. Use personal protective equipment. Wear chemical impermeable gloves. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

### Environmental precautions

Prevent further spillage or leakage if it is safe to do so. Do not let the chemical enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

PRECAUTIONS FOR "CARCINOGENS": A high efficiency particulate arrestor (HEPA) or charcoal filters can be used to minimize amt of carcinogen in exhausted air ventilated safety cabinets, lab hoods, glove boxes or animal rooms ... Filter housing that is designed so that used filters can be transferred into plastic bag without contaminating maintenance staff is avail commercially. Filters should be placed in plastic bags immediately after removal ... The plastic bag should be sealed immediately ... The sealed bag should be labelled properly ... Waste liquids ... should be placed or collected in proper containers for disposal. The lid should be secured & the bottles properly labelled. Once filled, bottles should be placed in plastic bag, so that outer surface ... is not contaminated ... The plastic bag should be decontaminated by solvent extraction, by chemical destruction, or in specially designed incinerators. Chemical Carcinogens

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### Precautions for safe handling

Handling in a well ventilated place. Wear suitable protective clothing. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Use non-sparking tools. Prevent fire caused by electrostatic discharge steam.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Tablets should be stored in well closed, light resistant, glass containers at temp less than 40 deg C, preferably between 15-30 deg C.

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

**Control parameters** 

### Occupational Exposure limit values

no data available

### **Biological limit values**

no data available

### Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure adequate ventilation. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Set up emergency exits and the risk-elimination area.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

### Eye/face protection

Wear tightly fitting safety goggles with side-shields conforming to EN 166(EU) or NIOSH (US).

### Skin protection

Wear fire/flame resistant and impervious clothing. Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Wash and dry hands. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

### **Respiratory protection**

If the exposure limits are exceeded, irritation or other symptoms are experienced, use a full-face respirator.

### Thermal hazards

no data available

# SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties and safety characteristics

Physical state: PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: White to buff-colored powder. Odorless or with a faint odor. An antineoplastic medicine.

Colour:	WHITE POWDER		
Odour:	ODORLESS		
Melting point/freezing point:	177°C		
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range:	473.1°C at 760 mmHg		
Flammability:	no data available		
Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit:	no data available		
Flash point:	239.9°C		
Auto-ignition temperature:	no data available		
Decomposition temperature:	no data available		
pH:	no data available		
Kinematic viscosity:	no data available		
Solubility:	less than 1 mg/mL at 72 $^{\circ}$ F (NTP, 1992)		
Partition coefficient n- octanol/water:	no data available		
Vapour pressure:	no data available		
Density and/or relative density:	1.32 g/cm3		
Relative vapour density:	no data available		
Particle characteristics:	no data available		

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

no data available

### Chemical stability

Sensitive to light, heat & moisture

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

MELPHALAN is a nitrogen mustard. May be incompatible with isocyanates, halogenated organics, peroxides, phenols (acidic), epoxides, anhydrides, and acid halides. Flammable gaseous hydrogen may be generated in combination with strong reducing agents, such as hydrides.

### Conditions to avoid

no data available

### Incompatible materials

no data available

### Hazardous decomposition products

When heated to decomp it emits ... fumes of hydrogen chloride and nitrogen oxides.

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

Acute toxicity Oral: no data available Inhalation: no data available Dermal: no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

### no data available

### Serious eye damage/irritation

no data available

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

### Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

### Carcinogenicity

Classification of carcinogenicity: 1) evidence in humans: sufficient; 2) evidence in animals: limited. Overall summary evaluation of carcinogenic risk to humans is Group 1: The agent is carcinogenic to humans. From table

### Reproductive toxicity

no data available

### STOT-single exposure

no data available

#### STOT-repeated exposure

no data available

### Aspiration hazard

no data available

# SECTION 12: Ecological information

**Toxicity** Toxicity to fish: no data available Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: no data available Toxicity to algae: no data available Toxicity to microorganisms: no data available

### Persistence and degradability

no data available

### Bioaccumulative potential

An estimated BCF value of 0.24 was calculated for melphalan(SRC), using an experimental log Kow of -0.52(1) and a recommended regression-derived equation(2). According to a recommended classification scheme(3), this BCF value suggests that bioconcentration in aquatic organisms will not be an important fate process(SRC).

### Mobility in soil

Using a structure estimation method based on molecular connectivity indices(1), the Koc for melphalan can be estimated to be about 355(SRC). According to a recommended classification scheme(2), this estimated Koc value suggests that melphalan should have medium mobility in soil(SRC).

### Other adverse effects

no data available

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### **Disposal methods**

### Product

The material can be disposed of by removal to a licensed chemical destruction plant or by controlled incineration with flue gas scrubbing. Do not contaminate water, foodstuffs, feed or seed by storage or disposal. Do not discharge to sewer systems.

### Contaminated packaging

Containers can be triply rinsed (or equivalent) and offered for recycling or reconditioning. Alternatively, the packaging can be punctured to make it unusable for other purposes and then be disposed of in a sanitary landfill. Controlled incineration with flue gas scrubbing is possible for combustible packaging materials.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

### UN Number

ADR/RID: UN2811 (For reference only, please check.) IMDG: UN2811 (For reference only, please check.) IATA: UN2811 (For reference only, please check.)

### **UN Proper Shipping Name**

ADR/RID: TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (For reference only, please check.) IMDG: TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (For reference only, please check.) IATA: TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (For reference only, please check.)

### Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 6.1 (For reference only, please check.) IMDG: 6.1 (For reference only, please check.) IATA: 6.1 (For reference only, please check.)

### Packing group, if applicable

ADR/RID: I (For reference only, please check.) IMDG: I (For reference only, please check.) IATA: I (For reference only, please check.)

### Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: No IMDG: No IATA: No

### Special precautions for user

no data available

### Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

no data available

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) Listed. EC Inventory Listed. United States Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory Not Listed. China Catalog of Hazardous chemicals 2015 Listed. New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC) Not Listed. (PICCS) Not Listed. Vietnam National Chemical Inventory Not Listed. IECSC) Not Listed. Korea Existing Chemicals List (KECL) Not Listed.

# **SECTION 16: Other information**

Abbreviations and acronyms CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

RID: Regulation concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail

IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transportation Association

TWA: Time Weighted Average

STEL: Short term exposure limit

LC50: Lethal Concentration 50%

LD50: Lethal Dose 50%

EC50: Effective Concentration 50%

#### References

IPCS - The International Chemical Safety Cards (ICSC), website: http://www.ilo.org/dyn/icsc/showcard.home

HSDB - Hazardous Substances Data Bank, website: https://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/newtoxnet/hsdb.htm

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer, website: http://www.iarc.fr/

eChemPortal - The Global Portal to Information on Chemical Substances by OECD, website: http://www.echemportal.org/echemportal/index?pageID=O&request\_locale=en

CAWEO Chemicals, website: http://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/search/simple

ChemIDplus, website: http://chem.sis.nlm.nih.gov/chemidplus/chemidlite.jsp

ERG - Emergency Response Guidebook by U.S. Department of Transportation, website: http://www.phmsa.dot.gov/hazmat/library/erg

Germany GESTIS-database on hazard substance, website: http://www.dguv.de/ifa/gestis/gestis-stoffdatenbank/index-2.jsp

ECHA - European Chemicals Agency, website: https://echa.europa.eu/

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