1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Cantharidin
- **Synonym:** (1R,2S,3R,6S)-1,2-dimethyl-3,6-epoxycyclohexane-1,2-dicarboxylic anhydride
- **Article number:** 14589
- **CAS Number:** 56-25-7
- **EC number:** 200-263-3
- **Application of the substance / the mixture**
  This product is for research use - Not for human or veterinary diagnostic or therapeutic use. It is the responsibility of the purchaser to determine suitability for other applications.
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
  - **Manufacturer/Supplier:** Cayman Chemical Co.
    1180 E. Ellsworth Rd.
    Ann Arbor, MI 48108
    USA

  - **Information department:** Product safety department
  - **Emergency telephone number:**
    During normal opening times: +1 (734) 971-3335
    US/CANADA: 800-424-9300
    Outside US/CANADA: 703-741-5970

2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
  - **GHS06 Skull and crossbones**
  Acute Tox. 2  H300 Fatal if swallowed.
  Acute Tox. 1  H310 Fatal in contact with skin.
  Acute Tox. 3  H331 Toxic if inhaled.

- **GHS07**
  Skin Irrit. 2  H315 Causes skin irritation.
  STOT SE 3  H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

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Label elements

GHS label elements

The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Hazard pictograms

GHS06  GHS07

Signal word Danger

Hazard statements

H300+H310 Fatal if swallowed or in contact with skin.
H331   Toxic if inhaled.
H315   Causes skin irritation.
H335   May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statements

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
P262 Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280 Wear protective gloves / protective clothing.
P301+P310 If swallowed: Immediately call a poison center/doctor.
P321   Specific treatment (see on this label).
P330   Rinse mouth.
P302+P352 If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.
P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P311   Call a poison center/doctor.
P312   Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.
P361+P364 Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P332+P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P405   Store locked up.
P501   Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Classification system:

NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)

Health = 4
Fire = 0
Reactivity = 0

HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)

Health = 4
Fire = 0
Reactivity = 0

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.
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3 Composition/information on ingredients

- Chemical characterization: Substances
- CAS No. Description
  56-25-7 Cantharidin
- Identification number(s)
  - EC number: 200-263-3

4 First-aid measures

- Description of first aid measures
  - General information:
    Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
    Remove breathing apparatus only after contaminated clothing have been completely removed.
    In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.
  - After inhalation:
    Supply fresh air or oxygen; call for doctor.
    In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.
  - After skin contact:
    Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
  - After eye contact:
    Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
  - After swallowing:
    Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help.
  - Information for doctor:
    - Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed
      May cause anemia, cough, CNS depression, drowsiness, headache, heart damage, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), liver damage, narcosis, reproductive effects, teratogenic effects.
      No further relevant information available.
    - Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
      No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- Extinguishing media
  - Suitable extinguishing agents:
    Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
    A solid water stream may be inefficient.
  - Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
    No further relevant information available.
  - Advice for firefighters
    - Protective equipment: Mouth respiratory protective device.

6 Accidental release measures

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
  Not required.
- Environmental precautions:
  Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:
  Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
  Ensure adequate ventilation.
- Reference to other sections
  See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
  See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
  See Section 13 for disposal information.

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7 Handling and storage

- Handling:
  - Precautions for safe handling
    - Thorough dedusting.
    - Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
    - Open and handle receptacle with care.
  - Information about protection against explosions and fires:
    - Keep respiratory protective device available.

- Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
  - Storage:
    - Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.
    - Information about storage in one common storage facility: Not required.
    - Further information about storage conditions: Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
    - Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data; see item 7.

- Control parameters
  - Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: Not required.
  - Additional information: The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

- Exposure controls
  - Personal protective equipment:
    - General protective and hygienic measures:
      - Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
      - Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.
      - Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
      - Store protective clothing separately.
      - Avoid contact with the skin.
      - Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
    - Breathing equipment:
      - In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.
    - Protection of hands:
      - Protective gloves

      The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation. Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.
      - Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation
9 Physical and chemical properties

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<td>· Structural Formula: C10H12O4</td>
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<td>· Odor threshold: Not determined.</td>
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<td>· pH-value: Not applicable.</td>
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<td>Boiling point/Boiling range: 16 °C (60.8 °F)</td>
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<td>· Flash point: Not applicable.</td>
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<td>· Flammability (solid, gaseous): Product is not flammable.</td>
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<td>· Decomposition temperature: Not determined.</td>
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<td>· Auto igniting: Not determined.</td>
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10 Stability and reactivity

- Reactivity: No further relevant information available.
- Chemical stability:
  - Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:
    No decomposition if used according to specifications.
  - Possibility of hazardous reactions: No dangerous reactions known.
- Conditions to avoid: No further relevant information available.
- Incompatible materials: strong oxidizing agents
- Hazardous decomposition products: carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide

11 Toxicological information

- Information on toxicological effects
  - Acute toxicity:
    - LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:
      | Oral LDLO | Intraperitoneal LD50 |
      |-----------|----------------------|
      | 428 µg/kg (hmn) | 1 mg/kg (mouse) |
  - Primary irritant effect:
    - on the skin: Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
    - on the eye: No irritating effect.
    - Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.
  - Additional toxicological information: Danger through skin absorption.
- Carcinogenic categories
  - IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) 3
  - NTP (National Toxicology Program) Substance is not listed.
  - OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration) Substance is not listed.

12 Ecological information

- Toxicity
  - Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.
  - Persistence and degradability: No further relevant information available.
- Behavior in environmental systems:
  - Bioaccumulative potential: No further relevant information available.
  - Mobility in soil: No further relevant information available.
  - Additional ecological information:
    - General notes:
      Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
      Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
- Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
  - PBT: Not applicable.
  - vPvB: Not applicable.
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### 13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
  - **Recommendation:** Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

- **Uncleaned packagings:**
  - **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

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- **Transport hazard class(es)**
  - **DOT**
    - **Class:** 6.1 Toxic substances
    - **Label:** 6.1
  - **IMDG, IATA**
    - **Class:** 6.1 Toxic substances
    - **Label:** 6.1
  - **Packing group**
    - **DOT, IMDG, IATA** T+

- **Environmental hazards:** Not applicable.

- **Special precautions for user**
  - Warning: Toxic substances

- **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code**
  - Not applicable.

- **Transport/Additional information:**
  - **IATA**
    - **Remarks:** When sold in quantities of less than or equal to 1 mL, or 1 g, with an Excepted Quantity Code of E1, E2, E4, or E5, this item meets the De Minimis
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- Quantities exemption, per IATA 2.6.10. Therefore packaging does not have to be labeled as Dangerous Goods/Excepted Quantity.
- UN "Model Regulation": UN 2811 TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (CANTHARIDIN), 6.1, T+

15 Regulatory information

- Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
  No further relevant information available.
- Sara
- Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances): Substance is listed.
- Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings): Substance is not listed.
- TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act): ACTIVE
- Hazardous Air Pollutants Substance is not listed.
- Proposition 65
- Chemicals known to cause cancer: Substance is not listed.
- Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females: Substance is not listed.
- Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males: Substance is not listed.
- Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity: Substance is not listed.
- Carcinogenic categories
- EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) Substance is not listed.
- TLV (Threshold Limit Value) Substance is not listed.
- NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health) Substance is not listed.
- Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

All chemicals may pose unknown hazards and should be used with caution. This SDS applies only to the material as packaged. If this product is combined with other materials, deteriorates, or becomes contaminated, it may pose hazards not mentioned in this SDS. Cayman Chemical Company assumes no responsibility for incidental or consequential damages, including lost profits, arising from the use of these data. It shall be the user's responsibility to develop proper methods of handling and personal protection based on the actual conditions of use. While this SDS is based on technical data judged to be reliable, Cayman Chemical Company assumes no responsibility for the completeness or accuracy of the information contained herein.

- Department issuing SDS: Environment protection department.
- Contact: -
- Date of preparation / last revision 07/15/2021 / -
- Abbreviations and acronyms:
  IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
  DOT: US Department of Transportation
  IATA: International Air Transport Association
  EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
  CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
  NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)
  HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)
  LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
  LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
  PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
  vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
  NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety
  OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

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