

# Safety Data Sheet

**Section 1: Identification** 

# **Product Identifier and Other Means of Identification**

**Product Name:** Silver Conductive Epoxy Adhesive: Slow Cure / High Conductivity **SDS Code:** 8331S-Part B

Related Part # 8331S-15G, 8331S-50ML, 8331S-200ML

# **Recommended Use and Restriction on Use**

Use: Silver filled electrically conductive adhesive-epoxy hardener for use with resins

Uses Advised Against: Not available

# **Details of Manufacturer or Importer**

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## **Emergency Phone Number**

**For hazardous material incidents ONLY**—leaks, spills, fires, exposures or accidents USA or CANADA: Call CHEMTREC **☎**: **+1-800-424-9300** 

For emergencies involving dangerous goods; Collect 24/7 CANADA: Call CANUTEC ☎: +1-613-996-6666 or \*666 on cellular phones



# Section 2: Hazard(s) Identification

## **Classification of the Hazardous Materials**

#### **GHS Categories**

Criteria		Category	Signal Word	Pictograms
Serious Eye Damage		1	Danger	Corrosion
Sensitization	Skin sensitizer	1	Warning	Exclamation
Skin Irritant		2	Warning	Exclamation
Environmental Hazard	Chronic Aqua. Tox.	1	Warning	Environment
Environmental Hazard	Acute Aqua. Tox.	1	Warning	Environment

*Note:* The degree of severity is ranked within each hazard class from 1 (Highest Severity) to up to 5 (Lowest Severity), which is opposite to HMIS and NFPA conventions. Severity category rankings do not allow comparisons between classes.

## **Label Elements**

Signal Word	DANGER
Pictograms	Hazard Statements
	H318: Causes serious eye damage
<b>^</b>	H315: Causes skin irritation
	H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction
¥2	H410: Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects



Prevention	Precautionary Statements
P102	Keep out of reach of children.
P261	Avoid breathing fumes/vapors.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P272	Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
Response	Precautionary Statements
P305 + P351 + P338, P310	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
P302 + P352, P362 + P364	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P333 + P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P391	Collect spillage.
Disposal	Precautionary Statements
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance to local/regional/international regulations.

# **Hazards Not Otherwise Classified**

Other Criteria	Hazard Statements/Precautionary Statement	Signal Word	Pictograms
Argyria Warning	Long term ingestion or inhalation of silver can lead to an irreversible blue-grey discoloration of the skin.	None	None

# Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

CAS #	Chemical Name	%(Weight)
7440-22-4	silver	67%
68541-13-9	9,12-octadecadienoic acid-based polyamidoamine	15%
68082-29-1	fatty acid-polyethylamine polymer	14%
4246-51-9	3,3'-(Oxybis(2,1-ethane-diyloxy))bis-1-propanamine	3%
112-24-3	triethylenetetramine	1%



Section 4: First-Aid Mea	sures	
Exposure Condition	GHS Code: Precautionary Statement	
IF IN EYES	P305 + P351 + P338, P310	
Immediate Symptoms	redness, severe irritation, pain, burns	
Response	Rinse cautiously with water for at least 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.	
	Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.	
IF ON SKIN	P302 + P352, P362 + P364, P333 + P313	
Immediate or Delayed Symptoms	redness, severe irritation, rash (allergic contact dermatitis)	
Response	Wash with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.	
	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.	
IF INHALED	P304 + P340	
Immediate Symptoms	cough, irritation of the respiratory track	
Response	Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.	
IF SWALLOWED	P301 + P330 + P331	
Immediate Symptoms	not available	
Response	Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting.	

#### **Advice to Physicians**

In case of exposure to nitrogen oxides (NOx) combustion products or triethylenetetramine vapors during a fire, the symptoms may be delayed. For significant exposures, the exposed person should be kept under medical surveillance for 48 hours.



# Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media	In case of fire: Use dry chemical, carbon dioxide, chemical foam, or water spray to extinguish. Use water spray to cool containers.
Specific Hazards	Not flammable or combustible, but burns if involved in a fire. Produces irritating and toxic fumes in fires or in contact with hot surfaces.
	Inhalation of toxic smoke during fire may have delayed effects. Exposed person may need to be put under surveillance for 48 h.
	Toxic for aquatic environment: Prevent fire-fighting wash from entering waterway or sewer system.
<b>Combustion Products</b>	Produces carbon oxides (CO, CO <sub>2</sub> ), ammonia, nitric acid, nitrogen oxides (NO <sub>x</sub> ), and silver metal fumes.
Fire-Fighter	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full fire-fighting turn-out gear.

#### Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal Protection	Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.		
Precautions for Response	Avoid breathing the fumes/vapors.		
Environmental Precautions	Avoid releasing to the environment. Prevent spill from entering drains and waterways. Do not flush to sewer.		
<b>Containment Methods</b>	None required—this product is not readily flowable.		
Cleaning Methods	Collect liquid in a sealable container. Wipe residue with a paper towel wetted with a suitable organic solvent such as alcohol or ethyl lactate, and place dirty towels in container. Wash spill area with soap and water to remove the last traces of residue.		
	<b>Recommendation:</b> Use a plastic, stainless steel, or carbon steel container. Avoid containers with copper, aluminum, zinc, or galvanized surfaces since the waste material can slowly oxidize them.		
Disposal Methods	Dispose spill waste according to Section 13.		



Section 7: Handling and Storage			
Prevention	Keep out of reach of children.		
	Avoid breathing fumes/mist/vapors or contact with skin or eyes.		
	Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.		
	Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product.		
Handling	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.		
	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.		
	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.		
	Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage.		
Storage	Do not store near acids or other incompatible substances.		

#### **Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

#### **Substances with Occupational Exposure Limit Values**

Chemical Name	Country or Vendor	Long Term Exposure Limits (PEL)	Short Term Exposure Limits (STEL)
silver (metal dust, mist) (metal) (Ag and its compounds) (metal, dust, fumes)	ACGIH U.S.A. OSHA PEL Canada AB Canada BC Canada ON Canada QC	0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Not established Not established Not established 0.03 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Not established Not established
triethylenetetramine	ACGIH U.S.A. OSHA PEL U.S.A (WEEL) Canada AB Canada BC Canada ON Canada QC	Not established Not established 1 ppm Not established Not established 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Skin) <sup>a)</sup> Not established	Not established Not established Not established Not established Not established Not established Not established

*Note:* The ACGIH<sup>1</sup>, OSHA, and Canadian provinces exposure limits were consulted. Limits from by RTECS database<sup>2</sup> and from suppliers' SDS were also consulted. Short term exposure limits (STEL) are usually for 15 min and long term permissible exposure limits (PEL) for 8 h.

a) Skin—can be absorbed through the skin.



## **Engineering Controls**

VentilationKeep airborne concentrations below the occupational exposure<br/>limits (OEL).

Due to low vapor pressure of the product, general ventilation should be adequate for normal use. If the product is heated at high temperatures or worker is allergic, use local ventilation and consider using a full mask with organic vapor cartridges.

## **Personal Protective Equipment**

Eye protection	Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles.	
	<b>RECOMMENDATION:</b> Use safety glasses with lateral protection (side shields).	
Skin Protection	For likely contacts, use of protective butyl rubber, neoprene, or other chemically resistant gloves.	
	For incidental contacts, use nitrile or other chemically resistant gloves.	
<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	For over-exposures up to 10 x OEL of mist/vapors/spray, wear respirator such as a half-mask respirator with organic vapor cartridges.	
	Above 10 x OEL, use a positive-pressure, air-supplied respirator or a self-contained breathing apparatus.	
	If the product is heated or worker has a known allergic reaction, consider using a full mask with organic vapor cartridge or with an independent air supply.	
	<b>RECOMMENDATION:</b> Consult your local safety supply store to ensure your respirator has a NIOSH (U.S.) approved filter cartridges appropriate for the ingredients listed in section 3 of this SDS, and that the respirator is fitted to the employee by a professional. Ensure vapor cartridges are stored in sealed plastic bags when not being used.	

#### **General Hygiene Considerations**

Wash hands thoroughly with water and soap after handling.



# **Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical State	Paste, solid	Lower Flammability Limit	Not available
Appearance	Silver grey	Upper Flammability Limit	Not available
Odor	Amine-like	Vapor Pressure @20 °C <sup>b)</sup>	<0.48 kPa [<3.6 mmHg]
Odor Threshold	Not available	Vapor Density	Not available
рH	Not available	Specific Gravity @25 °C	2.3
Freezing/Melting	Not	Solubility in	Slightly
Point	available	Water	soluble
<b>Boiling Point</b> <sup>a)</sup>	>221 °C	Partition	Not
	[>430 °F]	Coefficient	available
Flash Point <sup>a)</sup>	>>93 °C	Auto-ignition	Not
	[>>200 °F]	Temperature	available
Evaporation	Not	Decomposition	Not
Rate	available	Temperature	available
Flammability	Not	Viscosity	>>20.5 mm <sup>2</sup> /s
(solid, gas)	available	@25 °C	

a) The boiling point and closed cup flash point values are based on the lowest value component: 3,3'-(Oxybis(2,1-ethane-diyloxy))bis-1-propanamine.

b) Based on highest vapor pressure component



# Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Reacts exothermically with ketones, and epoxides. May react violently with peroxides. May slowly attack metals such as aluminum, zinc, copper, and their alloys.
Chemically stable at normal temperatures and pressures
Avoid excessive heat and incompatible substances.
Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, peroxides
Will not occur
For thermal decomposition, see combustion products in Section 5

# Section 11: Toxicological Information

## **Routes of Exposure**

Eye Contact, Skin contact, Inhalation, and Ingestion

# **Symptoms Summary**

Eyes	May causes redness, severe eye irritation, pain, or corrosive eye damage.
Skin	May cause redness, serious skin irritation, and allergic contact dermatitis. Triethylenetetramine can be absorbed through skin leading to toxic effects.
	When heated, hot triethylenetetramine vapors may also result in itching of the face with skin redness (erythema) and swelling (edema).
Inhalation	Inhalation of vapors or mist may cause irritation to the nose, throat and lung (upper respiratory tract) and coughing.
Ingestion	(See inhalation symptoms.)
Chronic	Prolonged and repeated exposure to uncured epoxy hardener may lead to skin sensitization.
	Prolonged and repeated ingestion or inhalation of silver may yield to an irreversible blue-grey discoloration of the skin.
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# **Lethal Exposure Concentrations**

Chemical Name	LD50 oral	LD50 dermal	LC50 inhalation
silver	>2 000 mg/kg	>2 000 mg/kg	5.16 mg/L
	Rat	Rat	4 h Rat (dust)
9,12-octadecadienoic acid-	Not	Not	Not
based polyamidoamine	available	available	available
fatty acid-polyethylamine	>2 000 mg/kg	2 000 mg/kg	Not
polymer	Rat	Rat	available
3,3'-(Oxybis(2,1-ethane-	4 310 mg/kg	2 510 mg/kg	Not
diyloxy))bis-1-propanamine	Rat <sup>a)</sup>	Rat	available
triethylenetetramine	2 500 mg/kg	805 mg/kg	Not
	Rat	Rabbit	available

*Note:* Toxicity data from the RTECS<sup>2</sup> and ECHA databases were consulted. The data from supplier (M)SDS were also consulted.

a) Supplier MSDS

# **Other Toxicological Effects**

Skin corrosion/irritation	Severe skin irritant. The triethylenetetramine (CAS#112-24-3) and 3,3'-(Oxybis(2,1-ethane- diyloxy))bis-1-propanamine components bring a Category 1 contribution of about 4%, giving an overall category 2 rating.
Serious eye damage/irritation	The proportions of triethylenetetramine (CAS#112-24-3), fatty acid-polyethylamine polymer (CAS# 68082-29-1), and 3,3'-(Oxybis(2,1-ethane- diyloxy))bis-1-propanamine components (CAS# 4246-51-9) cause severe eye damage. Contains mechanically abrasive particles
<b>Respiratory and skin</b> <b>sensitization</b> (allergic reactions)	Triethylenetetramine (CAS#112-24-3), fatty acid- polyethylamine polymer (CAS# 68082-29-1), and 3,3'-(Oxybis(2,1-ethane-diyloxy))bis-1-propanamine components (CAS# 4246-51-9) may cause skin sensitization according to animal studies.
Carcinogenicity (risk of cancer)	None of the ingredients are classified or listed as a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, CA Prop 65, or NTP
Mutagenicity (risk of heritable genetic effects)	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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<b>Reproductive Toxicity</b> (risk to sex functions)	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Teratogenicity</b> (risk of fetus malformation)	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT-single exposure	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT-repeated exposure	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Aspiration hazard	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. There is no category 1 components, and the kinematic viscosity is >>20.5 mm <sup>2</sup> /s at 40 °C.

#### **Section 12: Ecological Information**

Ecological classifications are based on the IMDG/GHS criteria in conjunction with ecotoxicological data from our suppliers, the European Chemical Agency database (<u>http://echa.europa.eu</u>), and other reliable sources.

Contains silver particles of less than a 1 mm but more than 100 nm (larger than nanoparticles), which release ionic silver levels that is very toxic to the environment. While massive silver is insoluble in water, its powders is considered sufficiently soluble to give rise to an ecological hazard by EU regulators. The classification that follows takes into account to chronic aqueous toxicity of category 1 (M = 10 for silver) of the EU.

The fatty acid-polyethylamine polymer is classified as a chronic category 2 environmental toxicant.

The 3,3'-(Oxybis(2,1-ethane-diyloxy))bis-1-propanamine is classified as a chronic category 3 environmental toxicant.

The 9,12-octadecadienoic acid-based polyamidoamine is not classified as an ecotoxic substance.

Literature values for the triethylenetetramine (CAS # 112-24-3) suggest an acute category 3 aquatic toxicity (LC50, IC50, and EC50 values of >100 mg/L for fish and between 10 and 100 mg/L for algae).

# **Acute Ecotoxicity**

Category 1 Very toxic to aquatic life



# **Chronic Ecotoxicity**

Category 1 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effect Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage.

#### Biodegradability

Not readily biodegradable

#### **Bioaccumulation**

Not available

# **Other Effects**

Not available

## Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Dispose of contents in accordance with all local, provincial, state, and federal regulations.

## Section 14: Transport Information

#### Ground

**Refer to TDG regulations** (Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods regulations); **USA DOT 49 CFR** (Parts 100 to 185) **Regulations.** 

Sizes 5 kg and under Limited Quantity Image: Sizes greater than 5 kg UN number: UN3077 Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (silver particles <1 mm) Class: 9 Packing Group: III Marine Pollutant: Yes



#### Air

#### **Refer to ICAO-IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations.**

Sizes 30 g and under	Sizes greater than 30 g up to 30 kg	
Excepted Quantity Document as class E1 Refer to Package Mark 2.6.7.1 in IATA for further instruction	Limited Quantity UN number: UN3077 Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (silver particles <1 mm) Class: 9 Packing Group: III Marine Pollutant: Yes	Y

Sea

Refer to IMDG regulations.		
Sizes 30 g and under	Sizes greater than 5 kg	
Excepted Quantity Document as class E1	<b>UN number</b> : UN3077 <b>Shipping Name:</b> ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (silver particles <1 mm) <b>Class:</b> 9	
Sizes 5 kg and under Limited Quantity	Packing Group: III Marine Pollutant: Yes	$\checkmark$

*Note:* Shipper must be appropriately <u>trained and certified</u> before involvement with the transport of dangerous goods.



#### Section 15: Regulatory Information

Canada

WHMIS 1988 Classification



E – Corrosive (Chemical burns); D1B – Toxic (Skin Absorption); D2B – Toxic Other (Skin Sensitizer)

Domestic Substance List (DSL)/Non-Domestic Substance Lists (NDSL)

All hazardous ingredients are listed on the DSL/NDSL.

#### **Industry and Science Canada**

MG Labels products intended for the workplace to conform to WHMIS labeling regulations. Product identification, net quantity declaration, minimum printing type size heights, and packaging of this product are in compliance.

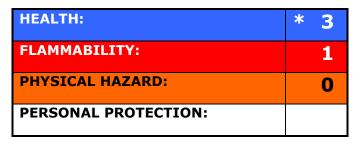
#### **Health Canada**

Products produced by MG Chemicals intended for retail display conform to the Canadian Consumer Labeling Regulations.

## USA

## **Other Classifications**

#### HMIS® RATING



NFPA® 704 CODES



Approximate HMIS and NFPA Risk Ratings Legend: 0 (Low or none); 1 (Slight); 2 (Moderate); 3 (Serious); 4 (Severe)

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**CAA** (Clean Air Act, USA)

This product does not contain any class 1 ozone depleting substances.

This product does not contain any class 2 ozone depleting substances.

This product does not contain substances that are listed as hazardous air pollutants.

EPCRA (Emergency Planning and Right to Know Act, USA, 40 CFR 372.45

This product contains silver (CAS# 7440-22-4; reportable quantity = 1000 lb), which is subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 Title III of the SARA of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372.

TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976, USA)

All substances are TSCA listed.

**California Proposition 65** (Chemicals known to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity, Sept 2, 2011 revision, USA).

This product does not contain any listed substances in California.

#### Europe

**RoHS** (Restriction of Hazardous Substances Directive)

This product does not contain any lead, cadmium, mercury, hexavalent chromium, PBB's, or PBDE's, and complies with European RoHS regulations.

WEEE (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment Directive)

This product is not a piece of electrical or electronics equipment, and is therefore not governed by this regulation.

#### **Section 16: Other Information**

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#### Reference

1) ACGIH 2013 TLVs and BEIs: Based on the documentation of the threshold limit values for chemical substances and physical agents & biological exposure indices, American Conference of Governmental of Industrial Hygienist Cincinnati, OH (2013).

2) All toxicological data were checked against the RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances®)

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#### Abbreviations

- ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)
- EC50 Half maximal effective concentration
- EL50 Half maximal effective loading
- NOELR No observable effect loading ratio
- GHS Globally Harmonized System of Classification of Labeling of Chemicals
- LC50 Lethal Concentration 50%
- LCLo Lowest published lethal concentration
- LD50 Lethal Dose 50%
- PEL Permissible Exposure Limit
- STEL Short-Term Exposure Limit
- TCLo Lowest published toxic concentration
- TWA Time Weighted Average
- VOC Volatile Organic Content
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