

SECTION 1: PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME	BISMUTH SUBNITRATE, USP
PRODUCT CODE	1047
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EMERGENCY PHONE	CHEMTREC Day or Night Within USA and Canada: 1-800-424-9300 NSW Poisons Information Centre: 131 126 National Chemical Emergency Centre 44(0)1235239670
RECOMMENDED USES	Pharmaceutical Manufacturing
RESTRICTIONS ON USE	Not applicable

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS CLASSIFICATION	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.	
PICTOGRAM	Not Applicable	
SIGNAL WORD	Not applicable	
HAZARD STATEMENT(S)	STRONG OXIDIZER: contact with other material may cause fire. Causes eye, skin and respiratory tract irritation.	
ADVERSE PHYSIOCHEMICAL, HUMAN HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS	Not applicable	
PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT(S)	Prevention	Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not touch eyes. Wear protective gloves. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/ vapors/spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
	Response	IF ON SKIN (HAIR): Wash with plenty of water; Get medical help; Immediately call a poison center or medical professional; Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists, get medical help. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Get medical help.
	Storage	Not applicable

HMIS CLASSIFICATION	Disposal	Not applicable		
	Health Hazard	1	Flammability	0
	Reactivity	0	Personal Protection	E

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CHEMICAL NAME	Bismuth hydroxide nitrate oxide
BOTANICAL NAME	Not applicable
SYNONYM	Not applicable
CHEMICAL FORMULA	BisO(OH) ₉ (NO ₃) ₄
CHEMICAL FAMILY	Bismuth salt
CAS NUMBER	1304-85-4
ALTERNATE CAS NUMBER	Not applicable
MOLECULAR WEIGHT	1462

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS NUMBER	EC NUMBER	% BY WEIGHT
BISMUTH SUBNITRATE	1304-85-4	215-136-8	100

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as health hazards and hence require reporting in this section.

SECTION 4: FIRST-AID MEASURES

IN CASE OF EYE CONTACT	Flush with copious amounts of water for 15 minutes, separating eyelids with fingers. If irritation persists seek medical aid.
IN CASE OF SKIN CONTACT	Wash with soap & water for 15 minutes. If irritation persists seek medical aid.
IF SWALLOWED	Call a physician. Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.
IF INHALED	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician
MEDICAL ATTENTION AND SPECIAL TREATMENT	Get emergency medical help.
SYMPTOMS CAUSED BY EXPOSURE	Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

SPECIFIC HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE CHEMICAL	Not applicable
FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES	May be combustible at high temperature
HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS	Under fire conditions, hazardous fumes will be present.
SUITABLE & UNSUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA	Small fire: dry chemical, CO ₂ or water spray. Large fire: dry chemical, CO ₂ , alcohol resistant foam or water spray. Do not get water inside containers.

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND PRECAUTIONS FOR FIREFIGHTERS

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

METHODS & MATERIAL FOR CONTAINMENT

On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Minimize generation of dust.

CLEANUP PROCEDURE

Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Wear respirator, chemical safety goggles, rubber boots and heavy rubber gloves. Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas. Shut off all sources of ignition. Evacuate the area. If necessary, employ water fog to disperse the vapors. Absorb the matter with compatible vermiculite or other absorbing material. Place in a suitable container and retain for disposal. Ventilate and clean the affected area. Do not flush into sewerage system or to drains.

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.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING

Do not inhale. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Wash thoroughly after handling. Store away from incompatible materials, in a well-ventilated area. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Store in accordance with local regulations. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE

Store away from incompatible materials, in a well-ventilated area. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Store in accordance with local regulations. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

STORAGE CONDITIONS

Store in original container, tightly sealed, protected from direct sunlight and moisture.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/ PERSONAL PROTECTION

Chemical Name: BISMUTH SUBNITRATE CAS #: 1304-85-4

	Country	Limit value-8 hours		Limit value-Short Term		IDLH	REL	Advisory	Notes
		ppm	mg/m ³	ppm	mg/m ³				
OSHA	USA	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
ACGIH	USA	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
NIOSH	USA	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
WEEL	USA	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
HSIS	Australia	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
HSE	UK	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
GESTIS	Add Country	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A

N/L = Not listed ; N/A = Not Available

PELs are 8-hour TWAs = Limit value - Eight hours

Ceiling or Short-Term TWA = STEL = Limit value - Short term

EXPOSURE GUIDELINES	Consult local authorities for provincial or state exposure limits. Particulates not otherwise regulated, respirable fraction: 5 mg/m ³
PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT	Eyes: Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by WHMIS or OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166. Skin: Wear appropriate gloves to prevent skin exposure. Clothing: Wear appropriate protective clothing to minimize contact with skin. Respirators: Follow WHMIS or OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced. Thermal Hazards: For products representing a thermal hazard, appropriate Personal Protective Equipment should be used.
SPECIFIC ENGINEERING CONTROLS	Adequate mechanical ventilation. Fumehood, eye wash station, and safety shower.
BIOLOGICAL MONITORING	Not available
CONTROL BANDING	Not available

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE	Solid				
DESCRIPTION	White, slightly hygroscopic powder.				
SOLUBILITY	Practically insoluble in water and in alcohol; readily dissolved by hydrochloric acid or by nitric acid.				
ODOR	Odorless				
FLAMMABILITY	May be combustible at high temperature				
AUTO-IGNITION TEMPERATURE	Not available	BOILING POINT	Not available	DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE	260 °C, 500 °F
EVAPORATION RATE	Not available	EXPLOSIVE LIMIT	Not available	FLASH POINT	Not available
log P (OCTANOL-WATER)	Not available	LOWER FLAMMABLE/EXPLOSIVE LIMIT(S)	Not available	MELTING/FREEZING POINT	>500°C, >932°F
PARTICLE CHARACTERISTICS	Not available	OXIDIZING PROPERTY	Not available	pH	Not available
RELATIVE DENSITY (WATER = 1)	Not available	SPECIFIC GRAVITY	4.928	UPPER FLAMMABLE/EXPLOSIVE LIMIT(S)	Not available
VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1)	Not available	VAPOR PRESSURE	Not available	VISCOSITY	Not available

The physical data presented above are typical values and should not be construed as a specification.

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY	Not established
CHEMICAL STABILITY	Stable under recommended storage conditions
INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS	Reducing agents. Organic material. Alkaline compounds. Iodides. Gallic acid. Calomel. Tannins. Salicylic acid. Sulfur. Bicarbonates. Combustible material.
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS	Toxic fumes of bismuth oxide, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxides and other gases may occur
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION	Will not occur
POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTION	Not established
CONDITIONS TO AVOID	Moisture, sunlight and extreme temperatures.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ACUTE TOXICITY	Oral: Rat: LD50: (mg/kg): > 2000 Dermal: Rabbit LD50: (mg/kg): Not available Inhalation: Rat: LC50: (mg/L/4hr): > 5.07
SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
RESPIRATORY SENSITIZATION	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
SKIN SENSITIZATION	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
GERM CELL MUTAGENICITY	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
CARCINOGENICITY	OSHA BISMUTH SUBNITRATE is not listed. NTP BISMUTH SUBNITRATE is not listed. IARC BISMUTH SUBNITRATE is not evaluated. California Proposition This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.
ADDITIONAL CARCINOGENICITY INFORMATION	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - SINGLE EXPOSURE	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - REPEATED EXPOSURE	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
ASPIRATION HAZARDS	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE
ROUTES OF EXPOSURE:

Oral, dermal

EARLY ONSET SYMPTOMS RELATED TO EXPOSURE:

Not available

DELAYED HEALTH EFFECT FROM EXPOSURE:

Delirium. Convulsions. Bone problems. Kidney failure. Liver damage. Methemoglobinemia. Encephalopathy. Unconsciousness. Death.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical, and toxicological characteristics

Nausea. Vomiting. Diarrhea. Loss of appetite. Swollen lips. Inflammation of mouth and throat. Blue line on gums. Skin discoloration. Tongue discoloration. Bad breath. Salivation. Tooth loss. Taste changes. Loss of smell. Bluish skin. Headache. Lethargy. Skin rash. Skin redness. Memory loss. Confusion. Tremor. Staggering. Muscle spasms. Slurred speech.

Medical conditions aggravated by exposure

Kidney impairment.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

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

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICITY

EC50: 48 Hr: Crustacea: Daphnia: (mg/L): > 137

LC50: 96 Hr: Fish: (mg/L): > 137

EC50: 72 Hr: Algae: (mg/L): > 137

PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY

Not available

BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL

Not available

MOBILITY IN SOIL

Practically insoluble in water

OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS

Not available

This product is not intended to be released into the environment

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

DISPOSAL METHODS

Dispose of in accordance with federal / local laws and regulations. Avoid release into the environment.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN PROPER SHIPPING NAME

NITRATES, INORGANIC, N.O.S.

UN NUMBER

1477

CLASS

5.1

PACKING GROUP

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AUSTRALIA
HAZCHEM

1Y

EU
**TRANSPORT IN BULK ACCORDING
TO ANNEX II OF MARPOL 73/78
AND THE IBC CODE**

Not Listed

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Not available

**SPECIAL SHIPPING
INFORMATION**

Not applicable

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION
UNITED STATES REGULATIONS

Chemical Name & CAS	CERCLA 40 CFR Part 302.4	SARA (Title III) 40 CFR	EPA 40 CFR Part 355		Pennsylvania	Right-to-know		California Prop 65
			Appendix A	Appendix B		New Jersey	Massachusetts	
BISMUTH SUBNITRATE, 1304-85-4	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L

N/L = Not Listed; X = Listed

AUSTRALIAN REGULATIONS

Chemical Name & CAS	Poisons and Therapeutic Goods	Therapeutic Goods Act	Code of Practices - Illicit Drug	Poisons Standard	Work Health and Safety Regulations	Inventory of Industrial Chemicals
BISMUTH SUBNITRATE, 1304-85-4	N/L	*Listed as Schedule 4*	N/L	Listed*	N/L	N/L

N/L = Not Listed

EU REGULATIONS

Chemical Name & CAS	REACH ANNEX XVII	REACH ANNEX XIV	EC 1005/2009	EC 850/2004	EC 1107/2009	PIC - Prior Informed Consent Regulation	EC 2012/18
BISMUTH SUBNITRATE, 1304-85-4	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L

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Any EU regulation not listed above is not applicable to this product.

**SUBJECT TO INTERNATIONAL
AGREEMENT**

Not applicable

NOTES

*Bismuth compounds are listed

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION
REFERENCES

Available upon request

ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists; **AIHA WEEL** – American Industrial Hygiene Association Workplace Environment Exposure Levels; **CAESAR** – Computer Assisted Evaluation of industrial chemical Substances According to Regulations; **CAS** – Chemical Abstract Service; **CERCLA** – Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; **EC50** – Effective Concentration, 50%; **EPA** – Environmental Protection Agency; **GHS** – Global Harmonized System; **HMIS** – Hazardous Materials Information System; **HSE** – Health and Safety Executive; **HSIS** – Hazardous Substances Information System; **IARC** – International Agency for Research on Cancer; **IDLH** - Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health; **IRFMN** – Ready Biodegradability Model; **ISS** – Istituto Superiore Sanità; **LC50** – Lethal Concentration, 50%; **LD50** – Lethal Dose, 50%; **MSHA** - Mine Safety and Health Administration; **NIOSH** – National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; **NTP** – National Toxicology Program; **OSHA PEL** – Occupational Safety & Health Administration Permissible Exposure Limits; **QSAR** – Quantitative Structure-activity relationship; **REL** - Recommended Exposure Limit; **SARA** – Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; **STEL** – Short Term Exposure Limit; **TLV** – Threshold Limit Value; **TWA** – Time Weighted Average; **WHMIS** – Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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SUPERSEDES

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For a list of changes to the SDS since the last version, please communicate with MEDISCA at www.medisca.com

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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