

Revision: 2.0  
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Date printed: 12 August 2023**Section 1. Identification****1.1 Product Identifier** 1933

Product Name CETRIMIDE

CAS Number 57-09-0

REACH Registration No A registration number is not available as the substance or its uses are exempt, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later date.

Molecular Formula  $\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_{15}\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{Br}$  =364.4

**1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture & uses advised against**

Uses of Material Chemical for industrial and laboratory use. Not suitable for domestic use.

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(Have this document to hand)**Section 2. Hazards Identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification according to regulation 1272/2008/EC**

Acute toxicity, category 4 (oral) H302: Harmful if swallowed.  
Skin corrosion/irritation, category 2 H315: Causes skin irritation.  
Serious eye damage/irritation, category 1 H318: Causes serious eye damage.  
Spec target organ tox - single, category 3 H335: May cause respiratory irritation.  
Spec target organ tox - repeat, category 2 H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.  
Hazard to aquatic environment, category 1 H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.  
Hazard to aquatic environment, category 1 H410: Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**2.2 Label elements****Labelling according to regulation 1272/2008/EC**

Signal word Danger

Hazard Pictograms



**Hazard Statements** Harmful if swallowed. Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye damage. May cause respiratory irritation. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary Statements** Wear protective gloves / protective clothing / eye protection. Wash thoroughly after handling. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do and continue rinsing. IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.

## Section 3. Composition

### 3.1 Substances

Component	CAS No.	EEC No.	REACH No.	Conc w/w	CLP Classification (1272/2008/CE)
Cetrimide	57-09-0	200-311-3		96%	Acute Tox. 4 (O), Skin Irrit. 2, Eye Dam. 1, STOT SE 3 (I), STOT RE 2, Aquatic Acute 1, Aquatic Chronic 1

## Section 4. First Aid

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

Eyes	Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open. If discomfort persists OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Skin	Wash off skin thoroughly with water.
Inhalation	Remove from exposure.
Ingestion	If conscious wash out mouth thoroughly with water and give water or milk to drink. In severe cases or if exposure has been great, OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Personal protection for first aiders	Wear protective gloves / eye protection.

### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute & delayed.

No further relevant information available.

### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed.

No further relevant information available.

## Section 5. Fire Fighting

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Extinguishing Media	Use sand, earth, dry powder or foam extinguisher.
Unsuitable Media	Nothing specified.

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards	May evolve toxic fumes if involved in a fire.
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### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Advice for firefighters	Evacuate area immediately. Keep up wind. Avoid exposure to toxic vapours and fumes. Fire-fighters should wear protective clothing and breathing apparatus.
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## Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

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

Personal Protection	Avoid breathing dust.
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## 6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental Presents no major environmental hazard.

## 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Major Spillage Shovel/sweep up into container for removal Wash area down with copious amounts of water.  
Minor Spillage Wash area down with copious amounts of water.

## 6.4 Reference to other sections

See section 8.2 for information on protective equipment and section 13 for information on disposal.

# Section 7. Storage & Handling

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breath dust. Do not allow to contaminate clothing.  
Ensure Local Exhaust Ventilation maintains dust concentrations to a minimum.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Well ventilated, cool, dry storage .

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2.

# Section 8. Workplace Exposure & Personal Protection

## 8.1 Control parameters

Component	CAS No	Concentration	Workplace Exposure Limits			
			Long Term (8hr TWA)		Short Term 15min period	
Cetrimide	57-09-0	96%	-	-	-	-

Exposure data source(s) No occupational exposure data currently available.

## 8.2 Exposure controls

Respiratory Protection If process creates significant amounts of dust use L.E.V. or wear suitable dust mask.  
Hand Protection Wear gloves.  
Eye Protection Use tightly fitting chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.  
Skin Protection Avoid contact with skin. If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.  
Special Hazards No special precautions required.

# Section 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance White to creamy white, free flowing powder.  
Odour No specific odour.  
pH Not applicable  
Boiling Point Not available  
Melting Point 240°C  
Flash Point Not applicable  
Upper Flammable Limit Not applicable  
Lower Flammable Limit Not applicable  
Auto Ignition Not applicable  
Explosive Properties Can form explosive dust clouds.  
Oxidising Properties No.  
Vapour Pressure Not applicable  
Relative Density Not available  
Water Solubility Slightly soluble in water.

## 9.2 Other information

No data available.

## Section 10. Stability & Reactivity

10.1	Reactivity	No data available.
10.2	Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions
10.3	Possibility of hazardous reactions	No data available.
10.4	Conditions to Avoid	Hot surfaces and naked flames.
10.5	Incompatible Materials	No specific materials to avoid.
10.6	Hazardous Decomposition Products	Can decompose in contact with fire, giving off harmful fumes.

## Section 11. Toxicological Information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Eyes	Causes serious eye damage.
Skin	Causes skin irritation. Repeated exposure may cause dermatitis.
LD50 Skin	Not available
Ingestion	Moderately toxic by ingestion. Ingestion may cause nausea, vomiting, gastric pain and diarrhoea.
LD50 Oral	410mg/kg Rat
Inhalation	Inhalation of dust is hazardous. May cause respiratory irritation.
LD50 Inhalation	Not available
TCLo	Not available
Carcinogenicity	Not considered to be a carcinogen.
Mutagenicity	Not considered to be a mutagen.
Reproductive Effects	None identified.

## Section 12. Ecological

12.1	Toxicity	Toxic to fish; do not allow to contaminate surface waterways.
	LC50 Algal	Not available
	LC50 Crustacea	0.03 mg/l Daphnia magna (48 hours)
	LC50 Fish	0.3 mg/l Fish (96 hours)
12.2	Persistence and degradability	No data available.
12.3	Bioaccumulative potential	No data available.
12.4	Mobility in soil	No data available.
12.5	Results of PBT & vPvB assessment	Assessment not required.
12.6	Other adverse effects	None known at present.

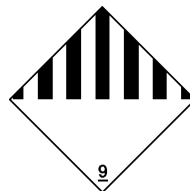
## Section 13. Disposal Considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Disposal Methods	Do not dispose of as domestic waste.
Contaminated Packaging	Wash out containers with water.

## Section 14. Transport Information

14.1 UN Number	3077
14.2 Proper Shipping Name	Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, N.O.S. (certimide)
14.3 Transport classes	
UN classification	9
Subsidiary hazard(s)	None
Transport category	3
ADR Hazard ID	90
Tunnel Restriction Code	E
Single packs and combination packages containing inner packs of up to 5L or 5Kg are excluded from regulation (ADR 2.2.9.1.10, IMDG code 2.10.3).	
14.4 Packing Group	III
14.5 Environment hazards	Marine pollutant.
14.6 Special precautions for user	No special precautions required.
14.7 Transport in bulk	Not transported in bulk.



## Section 15. Regulatory Information

### 15.1 Safety, health and environment regulations specific for substance/mixture.

#### Classification, Labeling & Packaging of Substances & Mixtures Regulations (1272/2008/CE)

Classification Acute toxicity, category 4 (oral); Skin corrosion/irritation, category 2; Serious eye damage/irritation, category 1; Spec target organ tox - single, category 3; Spec target organ tox - repeat, category 2; Hazard to aquatic environment, category 1; Hazard to aquatic environment, category 1

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Hazard Pictograms



Hazard Statements H302, H315, H318, H335, H373, H410  
Harmful if swallowed. Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye damage. May cause respiratory irritation. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements P280, P264, P305+P351+P338, P301+P312, P330  
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### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

Assessment not required.

## Section 16. Other Information

The information contained in this document only covers the hazards presented by this material, it DOES NOT constitute a workplace risk assessment. See sections 11 for toxicological information and section 12 for ecological information.

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