

Trimethylolpropane flake

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# **SECTION 1: Identification**

### 1.1. Product identifier

Identification of the substance/preparation

# Trimethylolpropane flake

**CAS-No** 77-99-6\*\*\*

# 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the Substance / Intermediate **Preparation** Monomer

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier OXEA Corporation** 

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Dallas, TX 75234

USA

Phone: +1 972 481 2700

**Product Information Product Stewardship** 

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

in USA, call 800 424 9300 **Emergency telephone number** 

outside USA, call 703 527 3887, collect calls accepted

available 24/7\*\*\*

# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

This substance is classified in accordance with paragraph (d) of §1910.1200 (GHS-US classification).\*\*\*

**OSHA Specified Hazards** 

Combustible dust\*\*\*

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# 2.2. Label elements

Signal word Warning\*\*\*

**Emergency telephone number** 



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**Hazard statements** 

May form combustible dust concentrations in air.\*\*\*

#### 2.3. Other hazards

None known

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Component	CAS-No	Concentration (%)	]
Trimethylolpropane (TMP)	77-99-6	> 98,0	***

# SECTION 4: First aid measures

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### Inhalation

Keep at rest. Aerate with fresh air. When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses. Immediate medical attention is required.

Wash off immediately with plenty of water. When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.

Call a physician immediately. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.

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

#### Main symptoms

cough.

#### Special hazard

Lung irritation.

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

#### General advice

Remove contaminated, soaked clothing immediately and dispose of safely. First aider needs to protect himself.

Treat symptomatically. If ingested, irrigate the stomach using activated charcoal.

# SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media



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#### Suitable extinguishing media

foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide (CO2), water spray

#### Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

# 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Under conditions giving incomplete combustion, hazardous gases produced may consist of: carbon monoxide (CO) carbon dioxide (CO2)

Combustion gases of organic materials must in principle be graded as inhalation poisons Dust can form an explosive mixture in air

## 5.3. Advice for firefighters

### Special protective equipment for firefighters

Fire fighter protection should include a self-contained breathing apparatus (NIOSH-approved or EN 133) and full fire-fighting turn out gear.

#### **Precautions for firefighting**

Cool containers / tanks with water spray. Dike and collect water used to fight fire. Keep people away from and upwind of fire.

# **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. For emergency responders: Personal protection see section 8.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage. Do not discharge product into the aquatic environment without pretreatment (biological treatment plant).

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

#### Methods for containment

Stop the flow of material, if possible without risk. Dike spilled material, where this is possible.

#### Methods for cleaning up

Use mechanical handling equipment. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapours).

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections



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For personal protective equipment see section 8.

# SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms.

#### **Hygiene measures**

When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

#### Advice on the protection of the environment

See Section 8: Environmental exposure controls.

#### Incompatible products

strong oxidizing agents

# 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Risk of dust explosion in fine crystalline powder form. Dust can form an explosive mixture in air. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapours). In case of fire, emergency cooling with water spray should be available. Ground and bond containers when transferring material.

#### **Technical measures/Storage conditions**

Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Handle and open container with care. Protect from moisture.

#### Unsuitable material

None known\*\*\*

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

### **Exposure limits United States of America**

#### **US ACGIH**

Component	TWA	TWA	STEL	STEL
	(mg/m³)	(ppm)	(mg/m³)	(ppm)
Dust, general threshold limit value (respirable fraction) CAS: None	3			



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Dust, general threshold limit value (inhalable fraction)	10		
CAS: None			

#### US OSHA Z-1

Component	Ceiling (mg/m³)	Ceiling (ppm)	PEL (mg/m³)	PEL (ppm)	Skin Designation
Dust, general threshold limit value (respirable fraction) CAS: None			5		
Dust, general threshold limit value (inhalable fraction) CAS: None			15		

#### Note

For details and further information please refer to the original regulation.

# 8.2. Exposure controls

#### **Appropriate Engineering controls**

General or dilution ventilation is frequently insufficient as the sole means of controlling employee exposure. Local ventilation is usually preferred. Explosion-proof equipment (for example fans, switches, and grounded ducts) should be used in mechanical ventilation systems.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

#### General industrial hygiene practice

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not breathe dust or mist. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

#### Hygiene measures

When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

#### Eve protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles.

#### **Hand protection**

Wear protective gloves. Recommendations are listed below. Other protective material may be used, depending on the situation, if adequate degradation and permeation data is available. If other chemicals are used in conjunction with this chemical, material selection should be based on protection for all chemicals present.

nitrile rubber Suitable material

according to EN 374: level 6 **Evaluation** 

approx 0,55 mm Glove thickness

> 480 min Break through time

Suitable material polyvinylchloride / nitrile rubber according to EN 374: level 6 **Evaluation** 

approx 0.9 mm Glove thickness > 480 min Break through time



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Skin and body protection

Impervious clothing. Wear face-shield and protective suit for abnormal processing problems.

#### Respiratory protection

Respirator with a particle filter (P1). Use the indicated respiratory protection if the occupational exposure limit is exceeded and/or in case of product release (dust). Equipment should conform to NIOSH.

#### **Environmental exposure controls**

If possible use in closed systems. If leakage can not be prevented, the substance needs to be suck off at the emersion point, if possible without danger. Observe the exposure limits, clean exhaust air if needed. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Inform the responsible authorities in case of leakage into the atmosphere, or of entry into waterways, soil or drains.

# SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

# 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Flakes wax like

Colour white Odour odourless

Odour thresholdNo data availablepH5,6 @ 25 °C (77 °F)Melting point/range136 °F (58 °C)

**Boiling point/range** 579 °F (304 °C) @ 1 atm (101,3 kPa)

Flash point 300 - 356 °F (149 - 180 °C)

**Evaporation rate** No data available

Flammability (solid, gas)

Does not apply, the substance is a liquid

Lower explosion limit 2 Vol % Upper explosion limit 11,8 Vol %

Vapour pressure \*\*\*

Values Values Values @ °C @ °F Method

[hPa] [kPa] [atm]

< 0,001\*\*\* < 0,0001 < 0,0001 20 68 **Vapour density** 4,63 (Air = 1) @ 20 °C (68 °F)

Relative density \*\*\*

Values @ °C @ °F Method

1,084 - 1,09\*\*\* 20 68 **Solubility** No data available

Water solubility 100 - 1000 g/l @ 68 °F (20 °C)\*\*\*

log Pow -0,47 (measured) Autoignition temperature ~707 °F (~375 °C)

Method DIN 51794

**Decomposition temperature**Viscosity
No data available
No data available

#### 9.2. Other information



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Molecular weight 134.17 C6 H14 O3 Molecular formula

Oxidizing properties Does not apply, substance is not oxidising. There are no chemical groups

associated with oxidizing properties

**Explosive properties** Does not apply, substance is not explosive. There are no chemical groups

associated with explosive properties

hygroscopic.

# SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

## 10.1. Reactivity

The reactivity of the product corresponds to the typical reactivity shown by the substance group as described in any text book on organic chemistry.

# 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

## 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Dust can form an explosive mixture in air.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid contact with heat, sparks, open flame and static discharge. Avoid any source of ignition.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

strong oxidizing agents.

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

# SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Likely routes of exposure Ingestion, Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact\*\*\*

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Main symptoms

cough.

Target Organ Systemic Toxicant - Single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for:

STOT SE\*\*\*

**Target Organ Systemic Toxicant - Repeated exposure** 

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for:

STOT RE\*\*\*



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Acute toxicity				
Trimethylolpropane (TI	MP) (77-99-6)			
Routes of Exposure	Endpoint	Values	Species	Method
Oral	LD50	~ 14700 mg/kg***	rat, male***	OECD 401
Dermal	LD50***	> 10000 mg/kg***	rabbit	OECD 402
Inhalative	LC50***	> 0.85 mg/l (4h)***	rat_male***	

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#### **Assessment**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for:

Acute oral toxicity
Acute dermal toxicity
Acute inhalation toxicity
STOT SE\*\*\*

Irritation and corrosion				
Trimethylolpropane (TMP) (77-99-6)				
Target Organ Effects	Species	Result	Method	
Skin	rabbit	No skin irritation		
Eyes	rabbit	No eye irritation		

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#### **Assessment**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for:

skin irritation/corrosion eye irritation/corrosion

For respiratory irritation, no data are available\*\*\*

Sensitization				
Trimethylolpropane (TMP)	(77-99-6)			
Target Organ Effects	Species	Evaluation	Method	
Skin***	mouse***	not sensitizing***	OECD 429***	

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#### **Assessment**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for:

Skin sensitization

For respiratory sensitization, no data are available\*\*\*

Subacute, subchronic and prolonged toxicity					
Trimethylolpropane (TMP) (77-99-6)					
Туре	Dose	Species	Method		
1	NOAEL: ~ 67 mg/kg/d (90d)***	rat, male/female***		Oral	

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#### **Assessment**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for: STOT RE\*\*\*

Carcinogenicity, Mutag	Carcinogenicity, Mutagenicity, Reproductive toxicity					
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Туре	Dose	Species	Evaluation	Method		
Mutagenicity		Salmonella typhimurium	negative	OECD 471 (Ames)	In vitro study	
Mutagenicity***		CHL***	negative***	OECD 473 (Chromosomal Aberration)***	In vitro study***	
Mutagenicity***		V79 cells, Chinese hamster***	negative***	OECD 476 (Mammalian Gene Mutation)***	In vitro study***	
Developmental Toxicity***	NOAEL 800 mg/kg/d***	rat***		OECD 422, Oral***	Maternal toxicity, Developmental toxicity, Teratogenicity***	
Reproductive toxicity***	NOAEL 800 mg/kg/d***	rat, parental***		OECD 422, Oral***	,	
Reproductive toxicity***	NOAEL 800 mg/kg/d***	rat, 1. Generation, male/female***		OECD 422, Oral***		

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**CMR Classification** 

The available data on CMR properties are summarized in the table above. They do not indicate a classification into categories 1A or 1B\*\*\*

#### Note

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Further details on substance data can be found in the registration dossier under the following link: http://apps.echa.europa.eu/registered/registered-sub.aspx.\*\*\*

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

# 12.1. Toxicity

Acute aquatic toxicity					
Trimethylolpropane (TMP) (77-99-6)					
Species	Exposure time	Dose	Method		
Daphnia magna (Water flea)	48h	EC50: 13000 mg/l			
Alburnus alburnus***	96h***	LC50: > 1000 mg/l***	DEV L8		
Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata	72h	EC50: > 1000 mg/l***			
Activated sludge (domestic)***	3 h***	EC50: > 1000 mg/l***			

Long term toxicity				
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Туре	Species	Dose	Method	



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1	Dapinna magna	NOEC: > 1000 mg/l	
	(Water flea)***	(21d)***	

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Biodegradation

6 % (28\*\*\* d), activated sludge, industrial, non-adapted, OECD 301 E.\*\*\*

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

log Pow -0,47 (measured)

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

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No data available\*\*\*

#### 12.5 Other adverse effects

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No data available\*\*\*

#### Note

Avoid release to the environment.

# SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### **Product Information**

Disposal required in compliance with all waste management related state and local regulations. The choice of the appropriate method of disposal depends on the product composition by the time of disposal as well as the local statutes and possibilities for disposal.

#### Uncleaned empty packaging

Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible and after appropriate cleansing may be taken for reuse.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

Section 14.1 - 14.6 \*\*\*

D.O.T. (49CFR) Not restricted

ICAO/IATA Not restricted



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Not restricted **IMDG** 

# 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II not applicable\*\*\* of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### **Federal and State Regulations**

Components of the product are listed in the quoted regulations. For details please refer to the regulations directly. This list is not exhaustive, please check for other applicable regulations.

#### **Federal Regulations**

This product is listed on the TSCA inventory

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#### **International Inventories**

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AICS (AU) DSL (CA) IECSC (CN) EC-No. 2010749 (EU) ENCS (2)-245 (JP) ISHL (2)-245 (JP) KECI KE-13838 (KR) INSQ (MX)\*\*\* PICCS (PH)

TSCA (US)

NZIoC-NZ May be used as single component chemical

TCSI (TW)\*\*\*

# SECTION 16: Other information

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#### **Hazard Rating Systems**

#### **NFPA (National Fire Protection Association)**

Health Hazard 1 Fire Hazard 1 Reactivity

#### **HMIS (Hazardous Material Information System)**

Health Hazard

Emergency telephone number 11 / 12

in USA, call 800 424 9300; outside USA, call USA 703 527 3887, collect calls accepted USA (A-US)



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Flammability 1 Physical Hazard 0

#### Training advice

For effective first-aid, special training / education is needed.

#### Sources of key data used to compile the datasheet

Information contained in this safety data sheet is based on Oxea owned data and public sources deemed valid or acceptable. The absence of data elements required by ANSI or Annex II, Regulation 1907/2006/EC indicates, that no data meeting these requirements is available.

#### Further information for the safety data sheet

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