# Material Safety Data Sheet (Trans 1,2 Dichloroethylene)

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### **Trans 1,2 Dichloroethylene**

### **1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Material Identification					
Corporate MSDS Number: TDCE		CAS Number: 156-60-5			
Product Name	Trans 1,2 Die	chloroethylene			
Chemical Formula	C2H2Cl2				
Chemical Name	Trans 1,2 Dichloroethylene				
Product Use	solvent, cleaning agent, vapor degreasing				
Company Identification					
MANUFACTURER/I	DISTRIBUTOR:	Cosutin Industrial CO., Limited			

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### 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient Name	CAS No.	Typical Wt. %
Trans 1,2 Dichloroethylene	156-60-5	99.5%+

## 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

NFPA RATINGS (SCALE 0-4): HEALTH=2 FIRE=3 REACTIVITY=2 EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: COLOR: colorless PHYSICAL FORM: liquid ODOR: pleasant odor MAJOR HEALTH HAZARDS: respiratory tract irritation, skin irritation, eye irritation, central nervous system depression PHYSICAL HAZARDS: Flammable liquid and vapor. Vapor may cause flash fire. May react on contact with air, heat, light or water.

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POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS: INHALATION: SHORT TERM EXPOSURE: irritation, nausea, vomiting, drowsiness, symptoms of drunkenness LONG TERM EXPOSURE: no information on significant adverse effects SKIN CONTACT: SHORT TERM EXPOSURE: irritation LONG TERM EXPOSURE: same as effects reported in short term exposure EYE CONTACT: SHORT TERM EXPOSURE: irritation LONG TERM EXPOSURE: irritation LONG TERM EXPOSURE: same as effects reported in short term exposure INGESTION: SHORT TERM EXPOSURE: symptoms of drunkenness LONG TERM EXPOSURE: no information on significant adverse effects

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**INHALATION:** If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. Get immediate medical attention.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Wash skin with soap and water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention, if needed. Thoroughly clean and dry contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse.

**EYE CONTACT:** Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Then get immediate medical attention.

**INGESTION:** If vomiting occurs, keep head lower than hips to help prevent aspiration. If person is unconscious, turn head to side. Get medical attention immediately.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: For ingestion, consider gastric lavage. Consider oxygen.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** Severe fire hazard. Vapor/air mixtures are explosive above flash point. The vapor is heavier than air. Vapors or gases may ignite at distant ignition sources and flash back.

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** regular dry chemical, carbon dioxide, water, regular foam Large fires: Use regular foam or flood with fine water spray.

**FIRE FIGHTING:** Move container from fire area if it can be done without risk. Cool containers with water spray until well after the fire is out. Stay away from the ends of tanks. For fires in cargo or storage area: Cool containers with water from unmanned hose holder or monitor nozzles until well after fire is out. If this is impossible then take the following precautions: Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry. Let the fire burn. Withdraw immediately in case of rising sound from venting safety device or any discoloration of tanks due to fire. For tank, rail car or tank truck: Evacuation radius: 800 meters (1/2 mile). Do not attempt to extinguish fire unless flow of material can be stopped first. Flood with fine water spray. Do not scatter spilled material with high-pressure water streams. Cool containers with water spray until well after the fire is out. Apply water from a protected location or from a safe distance. Avoid inhalation of material or combustion by-products. Stay upwind and keep out of low areas. Water may be ineffective.

FLASH POINT: 36 F (2 C) (CC) LOWER FLAMMABLE LIMIT: 9.7% UPPER FLAMMABLE LIMIT: 12.8%

#### ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES 6.

#### **OCCUPATIONAL RELEASE:**

Avoid heat, flames, sparks and other sources of ignition. Stop leak if possible without personal risk. Reduce vapors with water spray. Small spills: Absorb with sand or other non-combustible material. Collect spilled material in appropriate container for disposal. Large spills: Dike for later disposal. Remove sources of ignition. Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

STORAGE: Store and handle in accordance with all current regulations and standards. Subject to storage regulations: U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.106. Grounding and bonding required. Keep separated from incompatible substances.

#### 8. **EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

### **EXPOSURE LIMITS:**

#### TRANS-1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE: 1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE (ALL ISOMERS): 200 ppm (790 mg/m3) OSHA TWA

200 ppm ACGIH TWA

200 ppm (790 mg/m3) NIOSH recommended TWA 10 hour(s)

**VENTILATION:** Provide local exhaust ventilation system. Ventilation equipment should be explosion-resistant if explosive concentrations of material are present. Ensure compliance with applicable exposure limits.

EYE PROTECTION: Wear splash resistant safety goggles with a faceshield. Provide an emergency eye.

CLOTHING: Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing.

GLOVES: Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

**RESPIRATOR:** The following respirators and maximum use concentrations are drawn from NIOSH and/or OSHA.

2000 ppm

Any supplied-air respirator operated in a continuous-flow mode.

Any powered, air-purifying respirator with organic vapor cartridge(s).

Any air-purifying respirator with a full facepiece and an organic vapor canister.

Any air-purifying full-facepiece respirator (gas mask) with a chin-style, front-mounted or back-mounted organic vapor canister.

Any self-contained breathing apparatus with a full facepiece.

Any supplied-air respirator with a full facepiece.

Emergency or planned entry into unknown concentrations or IDLH conditions -

Any self-contained breathing apparatus that has a full facepiece and is operated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode.

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Any supplied-air respirator with a full facepiece that is operated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode in combination with an auxiliary self-contained breathing apparatus operated in pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode.

#### Escape

Any air-purifying full-facepiece respirator (gas mask) with a chin-style, front-mounted or back-mounted organic vapor canister.

Any appropriate escape-type, self-contained breathing apparatus.

#### For Unknown Concentrations or Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health-

Any supplied-air respirator with a full facepiece that is operated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode in combination with an auxiliary self-contained breathing apparatus operated in pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode. Any self-contained breathing apparatus that has a full facepiece and is operated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE: liquid	COLOR: colorless		
<b>ODOR:</b> pleasant odor	MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 96.94		
MOLECULAR FORMULA: C2H2CL	2		
BOILING POINT: 118 F (48 C)			
FREEZING POINT: -58 F (-50 C)			
VAPOR PRESSURE: 400 mmHg @ 31	l C		
VAPOR DENSITY (air=1): 3.34			
SPECIFIC GRAVITY (water=1): 1.25	65		
WATER SOLUBILITY: slightly solub	le		
PH: Not available	<b>VOLATILITY:</b> Not available		
<b>ODOR THRESHOLD:</b> Not available	<b>EVAPORATION RATE:</b> Not available		
COEFFICIENT OF WATER/OIL DISTRIBUTION: Not available			
SOLVENT SOLUBILITY: Soluble: ethanol, ether			

### **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**REACTIVITY:** May decompose on contact with air, light, moisture, heat or storage and use above room temperature. Releases toxic, corrosive, flammable or explosive gases. **CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Avoid heat, flames, sparks and other sources of ignition. Containers may rupture or explode if exposed to heat. Keep out of water supplies and sewers. **INCOMPATIBILITIES:** bases, metals, combustible materials, oxidizing materials, acids **HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION:** 

Thermal decomposition products: phosgene, halogenated compounds, oxides of carbon **POLYMERIZATION:** May polymerize. Avoid contact with incompatible materials.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**TRANS-1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE:** IRRITATION DATA: 500 mg/24 hour(s) skin-rabbit moderate; 10 mg eyes-rabbit moderate TOXICITY DATA: 24100 ppm inhalation-rat LC50; >5 gm/kg skin-rabbit LD50; 1235 mg/kg oral-rat LD50

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LOCAL EFFECTS: Irritant: inhalation, skin, eye ACUTE TOXICITY LEVEL: Moderately Toxic: ingestion Slightly Toxic: inhalation TARGET ORGANS: central nervous system MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: respiratory disorders MUTAGENIC DATA: Available. REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS DATA: Available.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicological Information Toxicity Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 220,00 mg/l - 48 h Persistence and degradability no data available Bioaccumulative potential no data available Mobility in soil no data available Results of PBT and vPvB assessment no data available Other adverse effects Harmful to aquatic life.

## **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### Waste treatment methods

Product

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Consult an expert for disposal. Any disposal must be in accordance with local, state and federal laws and regulations. Contact local, state or federal administering agency for specific rules.

#### **Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

## 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

UN number ADR/RID: 1150 IMDG: 1150 IATA: 1150 UN proper shipping name ADR/RID: 1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE IMDG: 1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE IATA: 1,2-Dichloroethylene Transport hazard class(es) ADR/RID: 3 IMDG: 3 IATA: 3

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Packaging group ADR/RID: II IMDG: II IATA: II Environmental hazards ADR/RID: no IMDG Marine pollutant: no IATA: no Special precautions for user no data available

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

OSHA: Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200): Yes TSCA status: Listed in the TSCA Inventory CERCLA Reportable Quantity (R.Q.): 1000 lbs. (454 kg) SARA Title III: Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance: No Section 311/312 Hazard Categories: Acute, Fire and Reactive Hazard Section 302 Threshold Planning Quantity (TPQ): None Section 313: Yes

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

### **Revision Information**

Revision Data Supercedes Revision Dated 20 Dec 2012 20-Dec-2012 Revision Number 1

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NA= Not Applicable

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