

# **1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

## ROCIMA (TM) 404D

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Supplier

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For non-emergency information contact: 215-592-3000

#### **Emergency telephone number**

Spill Emergency	215-592-3000
Health Emergency	215-592-3000
Chemtrec	800-424-9300

## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS-No.	Concentration
Tetrachloro-1,3-dicyanobenzene	1897-45-6	41.4%
Water	7732-18-5	48.3%
Non-hazardous ingredients	Not Hazardous	10.3%

## **3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

## **Emergency Overview**

Appearance	
Form	

Form	liquid
Colour	Light gray
Odour	slight

Hazard Summary	<u>CAUTION!</u> Irritating to respiratory system. Causes moderate eye irritation May cause allergic skin reaction
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## Potential Health Effects

Primary Routes of Entry:	Inhalation Skin contact	

Eye contact

**Eyes:** Direct contact with material can cause the following: Moderate irritation. temporary corneal injury

**Skin:** Prolonged or repeated skin contact can cause the following: possible irritation

**Inhalation:** Inhalation of vapor or mist can cause the following: irritation of nose, throat, and lungs headache nausea dizziness

**Chronic Exposure:** Prolonged or repeated exposure can cause the following: allergic skin reaction

Tetrachloro-1,3-dicyanobenzene	US CA CRT	Carcinogenic.
Tetrachloro-1,3-dicyanobenzene	IARC	Possible carcinogen.
Tetrachloro-1,3-dicyanobenzene	IARC	Inadequate data.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation: Move to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if breathing has stopped. Consult a physician.

**Skin contact:** Remove contaminated clothing. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Do not take clothing home to be laundered. Consult a physician.

Eye contact: Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

**Ingestion:** Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water. IMMEDIATELY see a physician. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep airway clear. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

## **5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Flash point Thermal decomposition	Nonflammable Combustion generates toxic fumes of the following:, Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx), hydrogen chloride
Suitable extinguishing media:	Use water spray, foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Special protective equipment for fire-fighters:** In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### **Personal precautions**

Appropriate protective equipment must be worn when handling a spill of this material. See SECTION 8, Exposure Controls/Personal Protection, for recommendations.

If exposed to material during clean-up operations, see SECTION 4, First Aid Measures, for actions to follow.

## **Environmental precautions**

WARNING: KEEP SPILLS AND CLEANING RUNOFFS OUT OF MUNICIPAL SEWERS AND OPEN BODIES OF WATER.

#### Methods for cleaning up

Keep spectators away. Ventilate the area. Transfer liquids and solid diking material to separate suitable containers for recovery or disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Handling

Wash after handling and shower at end of work period. Vapors can be evolved when material is heated during processing operations. See SECTION 8, Exposure Controls/Personal Protection, for types of ventilation required.

#### Storage

**Storage conditions:** Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. **Other data:** Do not freeze.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

## Exposure limit(s)

Exposure limits are listed below, if they exist.

Component	Regulation	Type of listing	Value
Tetrachloro-1,3- dicyanobenzene	Rohm and Haas	TWA	1.0 mg/m3
	Rohm and Haas	STEL	3 mg/m3

**Eye protection:** Use chemical splash goggles (ANSI Z87.1 or approved equivalent). Eye protection worn must be compatible with respiratory protection system employed.

**Hand protection:** Chemical-resistant gloves should be worn whenever this material is handled. The glove(s) listed below may provide protection against permeation. (Gloves of other chemically resistant materials may not provide adequate protection): Neoprene gloves

**Protective measures:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower.

**Engineering measures:** Use local exhaust ventilation with a minimum capture velocity of 100 ft/min. (0.5 m/sec.) at the point of vapor evolution. Refer to the current edition of Industrial Ventilation: A Manual of Recommended Practice published by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists for information on the design, installation, use, and maintenance of exhaust systems.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	
Form	liquid
Colour	Light gray
Odour	slight
рН	6.0 - 8.0
Flash point	Nonflammable
Water solubility	dispersible
Relative density	1.24
Bulk density	1.2 kg/m3
Percent volatility	2 %

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

## **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Hazardous decomposition products	hydrogen chloride,
polymerization	Product will not undergo polymerization.

## **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute oral toxicity	LD50 rat 4,100 mg/kg
Acute inhalation toxicity	LC50 rat 4 h 0.13 mg/l
Acute dermal toxicity	LD50 rabbit >2,000 mg/kg
Skin irritation	rabbit Mild skin irritation
Eye irritation	rabbit Moderate eye irritation
Sensitization	guinea pig Not a sensitizer.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## Tetrachloro-1,3-dicyanobenzene

Ecotoxicity effects Toxicity to fish LC50 0.049 mg/l Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates

EC50 Daphnia magna 0.2 mg/l

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Environmental precautions:** WARNING: KEEP SPILLS AND CLEANING RUNOFFS OUT OF MUNICIPAL SEWERS AND OPEN BODIES OF WATER.

## Disposal

Disposal:

Incinerate liquid and contaminated solids in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations. **Waste Classification:** 40 CFR 261.20 - .24 - Characteristic Waste Hexachlorobenzene (118-74-1), D032, RQ 10lbs.

When a decision is made to discard this material as supplied, it is classified as a RCRA hazardous waste with the characteristic of toxicity.

## **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# DOT

Not regulated for transport

# IMO/IMDG

Proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (Tetrachloroisophthalonitrile)
UN-No.	UN 3082
Class	9
Packing group	III
Marine pollutant	Tetrachloroisophthalonitrile

Transportation classifications may vary by container volume and may be influenced by regional or country variations in regulations

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### Workplace Classification

This product is considered hazardous under the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

This product is a 'controlled product' under the Canadian Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS).

# SARA TITLE III: Section 311/312 Categorizations (40CFR370): Acute Health Hazard Chronic Health Hazard

## SARA TITLE III: Section 313 Information (40CFR372)

SARA Title III Components: Tetrachloro-1,3-dicyanobenzene 1897-45-6

## CERCLA Information (40CFR302.4)

**US. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)** This product is subject to regulation under the US Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) and is therefore exempt from U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory listing requirements.

## Pennsylvania

Any material listed as "Not Hazardous" in the CAS REG NO. column of SECTION 2, Composition/Information On Ingredients, of this MSDS is a trade secret under the provisions of the Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act.

The following chemicals are listed because of the additional requirements of Pennsylvania law:Components:Hexachlorobenzene118-74-1

## California (Proposition 65)

This product contains a component or components known to the state of California to cause cancerand birth defects or other reproductive harm:Components:Hexachlorobenzene118-74-1

## California (Proposition 65)

This product contains a component or components known to the state of California to cause cancer:Components:Tetrachloro-1,3-dicyanobenzene1897-45-6

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

## Hazard Rating

	Health	Fire	Reactivity
HMIS	3	0	0

#### Legend

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
BAc	Butyl acetate
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
STEL	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):
TLV	Threshold Limit Value
TWA	Time Weighted Average (TWA):
	Bar denotes a revision from prior MSDS.

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