

# Material Safety Data Sheet

## o-Tolidine Dihydrochloride Solution 0.1% w/v

ACC# 40199

### Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

**MSDS Name:** o-Tolidine Dihydrochloride Solution 0.1% w/v

**Catalog Numbers:** SO14-1, SO14-500

**Synonyms:** 3,3'-Dimethylbenzidine dihydrochloride in dilute hydrochloric acid.

**Company Identification:**

Fisher Scientific

1 Reagent Lane

Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

**For information, call:** 201-796-7100

**Emergency Number:** 201-796-7100

**For CHEMTREC assistance, call:** 800-424-9300

**For International CHEMTREC assistance, call:** 703-527-3887

### Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

CAS#	Chemical Name	Percent	EINECS/ELINCS
7732-18-5	Water	92.57	231-791-2
7647-01-0	Hydrochloric acid	7.3	231-595-7
612-82-8	o-Tolidine dihydrochloride	0.13	210-322-5

### Section 3 - Hazards Identification

#### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Appearance: clear, colorless liquid.

**Danger!** Causes eye burns. Causes digestive tract burns. Cancer suspect agent. Causes skin burns. Causes respiratory tract burns. Corrosive to metal.

**Target Organs:** Eyes, mucous membranes.

**Potential Health Effects**

**Eye:** Causes severe eye burns. May cause irreversible eye injury.

**Skin:** Causes skin irritation.

**Ingestion:** Causes gastrointestinal tract burns.

**Inhalation:** Effects may be delayed. May cause irritation of the respiratory tract with burning pain in the nose and throat, coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath and pulmonary edema.

**Chronic:** Possible cancer hazard based on tests with laboratory animals. Repeated inhalation may cause chronic bronchitis. Repeated exposure may cause erosion of teeth.

### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Eyes:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical aid immediately.

**Skin:** Get medical aid immediately. Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Discard contaminated clothing in a manner which limits further exposure. Destroy contaminated shoes.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting. If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid immediately.

**Inhalation:** Get medical aid immediately. Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If breathing has ceased apply artificial respiration using oxygen and a suitable mechanical device such as a bag and a mask.

**Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.

### Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**General Information:** As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Reacts with most metals to form highly flammable hydrogen gas which can form explosive mixtures with air.

**Extinguishing Media:** Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or appropriate foam.

**Flash Point:** Not applicable.

**Autoignition Temperature:** Not applicable.

**Explosion Limits, Lower:** Not available.

**Upper:** Not available.

**NFPA Rating:** (estimated) Health: 3; Flammability: 0; Instability: 0

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**General Information:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

**Spills/Leaks:** Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. vermiculite, sand or earth), then place in suitable container. Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Provide ventilation.

## Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Use with adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not ingest or inhale.

**Storage:** Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Corrosives area. Keep containers tightly closed.

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate general or local exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below the permissible exposure limits.

### Exposure Limits

Chemical Name	ACGIH	NIOSH	OSHA - Final PELs
Water	none listed	none listed	none listed
Hydrochloric acid	2 ppm Ceiling	50 ppm IDLH	5 ppm Ceiling; 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling
o-Tolidine dihydrochloride	none listed	none listed	none listed

**OSHA Vacated PELs:** Water: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical. Hydrochloric acid: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical. o-Tolidine dihydrochloride: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

### Personal Protective Equipment

**Eyes:** Wear chemical splash goggles.

**Skin:** Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

**Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respirators:** Follow the 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.

## Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical State:** Liquid

**Appearance:** clear, colorless

**Odor:** none reported

**pH:** Not available.

**Vapor Pressure:** 14 mm Hg @20C

**Vapor Density:** 0.7

**Evaporation Rate:**>1 (ether=1)

**Viscosity:** Not available.

**Boiling Point:** Not available.

**Freezing/Melting Point:**14 deg F

**Decomposition Temperature:**Not available.

**Solubility:** Soluble in water.

**Specific Gravity/Density:**1.03

**Molecular Formula:**Mixture

**Molecular Weight:**Not available.

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

**Conditions to Avoid:** High temperatures.

**Incompatibilities with Other Materials:** Strong bases.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Hydrogen chloride, nitrogen oxides, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Has not been reported.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

### RTECS#:

**CAS#** 7732-18-5: ZC0110000

**CAS#** 7647-01-0: MW4025000; MW4031000

**CAS#** 612-82-8: DD1226000

### LD50/LC50:

**CAS#** 7732-18-5:

Oral, rat: LD50 = >90 mL/kg;

**CAS#** 7647-01-0:

Inhalation, mouse: LC50 = 1108 ppm/1H;

Inhalation, mouse: LC50 = 20487 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/5M;

Inhalation, mouse: LC50 = 3940 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/30M;

Inhalation, mouse: LC50 = 8300 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/30M;  
Inhalation, rat: LC50 = 3124 ppm/1H;  
Inhalation, rat: LC50 = 60938 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/5M;  
Inhalation, rat: LC50 = 7004 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/30M;  
Inhalation, rat: LC50 = 45000 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/5M;  
Inhalation, rat: LC50 = 8300 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/30M;  
Oral, rabbit: LD50 = 900 mg/kg;

CAS# 612-82-8:

**Carcinogenicity:**

CAS# 7732-18-5: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

CAS# 7647-01-0: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

CAS# 612-82-8:

- **ACGIH:** Not listed.
- **California:** carcinogen, initial date 4/1/92
- **NTP:** Not listed.
- **IARC:** Not listed.

**Epidemiology:** Not available.

**Teratogenicity:** See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

**Reproductive Effects:** Not available.

**Mutagenicity:** Not available.

**Neurotoxicity:** Not available.

**Other Studies:**

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

No information available.

## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

**RCRA P-Series:** None listed.

**RCRA U-Series:** None listed.

## Section 14 - Transport Information

	<b>US DOT</b>	<b>Canada TDG</b>
<b>Shipping Name:</b>	HYDROCHLORIC ACID SOLUTION	No information available.
<b>Hazard Class:</b>	8	
<b>UN Number:</b>	UN1789	
<b>Packing Group:</b>	III	

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

### US FEDERAL

**TSCA**

CAS# 7732-18-5 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

CAS# 7647-01-0 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

CAS# 612-82-8 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

**Health & Safety Reporting List**

None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

**Chemical Test Rules**

None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

**Section 12b**

None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

**TSCA Significant New Use Rule**

None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

**CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs**

CAS# 7647-01-0: 5000 lb final RQ; 2270 kg final RQ

**SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances**

CAS# 7647-01-0: 500 lb TPQ

**SARA Codes**

CAS # 7647-01-0: immediate.

CAS # 612-82-8: immediate, delayed.

**Section 313**

This material contains Hydrochloric acid (CAS# 7647-01-0, 7.3%), which is subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of SARA Title III and 40 CFR Part 373.

This material contains o-Tolidine dihydrochloride (CAS# 612-82-8, 0.13%), which is subject to the reporting requirements of Section

**Clean Air Act:**

CAS# 7647-01-0 is listed as a hazardous air pollutant (HAP).

This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depletors.

This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depletors.

**Clean Water Act:**

CAS# 7647-01-0 is listed as a Hazardous Substance under the CWA.

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA.

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

**OSHA:**

CAS# 7647-01-0 is considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

**STATE**

CAS# 7732-18-5 is not present on state lists from CA, PA, MN, MA, FL, or NJ.

CAS# 7647-01-0 can be found on the following state right to know lists: California, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Minnesota, Massachusetts.

CAS# 612-82-8 is not present on state lists from CA, PA, MN, MA, FL, or NJ.

**California Prop 65**

WARNING: This product contains o-Tolidine dihydrochloride, a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer.

California No Significant Risk Level: CAS# 612-82-8: 0.059 æg/day NSRL

**European/International Regulations**

**European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives**

**Hazard Symbols:**

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**Risk Phrases:**

R 23 Toxic by inhalation.

R 41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.

R 45 May cause cancer.

**Safety Phrases:**

S 45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

S 53 Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

S 61 Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions /safety data sheets.

**WGK (Water Danger/Protection)**

CAS# 7732-18-5: No information available.

CAS# 7647-01-0: 1

CAS# 612-82-8: No information available.

**Canada - DSL/NDSL**

CAS# 7732-18-5 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

CAS# 7647-01-0 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

CAS# 612-82-8 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

**Canada - WHMIS**

This product has a WHMIS classification of E, D2A.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

**Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List**

CAS# 7647-01-0 is listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List.

## Section 16 - Additional Information

**MSDS Creation Date:** 10/26/1998

**Revision #4 Date:** 10/03/2005

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