

# Material Safety Data Sheet

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## 1 Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### Product identifier

**Product name:** cis-1,4-Dichloro-2-butene

**Stock number:** A18956

**CAS Number:**  
1476-11-5

**EINECS Number:**  
216-021-5

**Index number:**  
602-073-00-X

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

**Sector of Use** SU24 Scientific research and development

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

#### Manufacturer/Supplier:

Alfa Aesar, A Johnson Matthey Company  
Johnson Matthey Catalog Company, Inc.  
30 Bond Street  
Ward Hill, MA 01835-8099  
Emergency Phone: (978) 521-6300  
CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300  
Web Site: www.alfa.com

**Information Department:** Health, Safety and Environmental Department

#### Emergency telephone number:

During normal hours the Health, Safety and Environmental Department. After normal hours call Chemtrec at (800) 424-9300.

## 2 Hazards identification

### Classification of the substance or mixture



GHS02 Flame

H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.



GHS06 Skull and crossbones

H300 Fatal if swallowed.

H310 Fatal in contact with skin.

H330 Fatal if inhaled.



GHS08 Health hazard

H350 May cause cancer.



GHS05 Corrosion

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.



GHS09 Environment

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC



T+; Very toxic

R26: Very toxic by inhalation.



T; Toxic

R45-24/25: May cause cancer. Toxic in contact with skin and if swallowed.



C; Corrosive

R34: Causes burns.

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N; Dangerous for the environment

R50/53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

R10: Flammable.

**Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:** Not applicable

### Label elements

#### Labelling according to EU guidelines:

#### Code letter and hazard designation of product:

T+ Very toxic

N Dangerous for the environment

#### Risk phrases:

45 May cause cancer.

10 Flammable.

24/25 Also toxic in contact with skin and if swallowed.

26 Also very toxic by inhalation.

34 Causes burns.

50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

#### Safety phrases:

53 Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately.

60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

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

#### Hazard description:

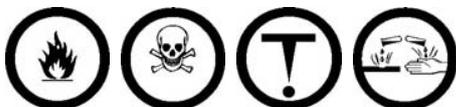
##### WHMIS classification

B3 - Combustible liquid

D1A - Very toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects

D2A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects

E - Corrosive material



#### Classification system

##### HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)

(Hazardous Materials Identification System)

HEALTH	4	Health (acute effects) = 4
FIRE	2	Flammability = 2
REACTIVITY	1	Reactivity = 1

#### Other hazards

##### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

### 3 Composition/information on ingredients

#### Chemical characterization: Substances

##### (CAS#) Description:

1476-11-5 cis-1,4-Dichloro-2-butene

##### Identification number(s):

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### 4 First aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

##### General information

Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

Remove breathing apparatus only after contaminated clothing has been completely removed.

In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.

##### After inhalation

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm.

Seek immediate medical advice.

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**After skin contact**

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.  
Seek immediate medical advice.

**After eye contact**

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

**After swallowing**

Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help.  
Seek immediate medical advice.

**Information for doctor****Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

No further relevant information available.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

**5 Firefighting measures****Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing agents**

Carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

**Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

In case of fire, the following can be released:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Hydrogen chloride (HCl)

**Advice for firefighters****Protective equipment:**

Wear self-contained respirator.

Wear fully protective impervious suit.

**6 Accidental release measures****Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

**Environmental precautions:**

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Use neutralizing agent.

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

**Reference to other sections**

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

**7 Handling and storage****Handling****Precautions for safe handling**

Keep container tightly sealed.

Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.

Open and handle container with care.

**Information about protection against explosions and fires:** Keep ignition sources away.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities****Storage**

**Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Refrigerate

**Information about storage in one common storage facility:**

Store in the dark.

Protect from heat.

Store away from oxidizing agents.

**Further information about storage conditions:**

Keep container tightly sealed.

Protect from exposure to light.

Refrigerate

**Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

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## 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

### Additional information about design of technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

### Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

1,4-Dichloro-2-butene

	ppm
ACGIH TLV	0.005 (skin); Suspected human carcinogen
Austria	Carcinogen
Russia TWA	0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> -STEL (skin)
United Kingdom	Carcinogen

### Control parameters

#### Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

Additional information: No data

### Exposure controls

#### Personal protective equipment

#### General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Store protective clothing separately.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

**Breathing equipment:** Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.

#### Protection of hands:

Impervious gloves

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

#### Material of gloves

The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality.

Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer.

#### Eye protection:

Safety glasses

Tightly sealed goggles

Full face protection

**Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

## 9 Physical and chemical properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### General Information

#### Appearance:

Form:	Liquid
Color:	Not determined.
Odor:	Not determined
Odour threshold:	Not determined.

pH-value: Not determined.

#### Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range:	-48°C (-54 °F)
Boiling point/Boiling range:	152.5°C (307 °F)
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined

Flash point: 55°C (131 °F)

Flammability (solid, gaseous) Not applicable.

Ignition temperature: Not determined

Decomposition temperature: Not determined

Auto igniting: Not determined.

#### Explosion limits:

Lower:	Not determined
Upper:	Not determined

Vapor pressure at 20°C (68 °F): 3.5 hPa (3 mm Hg)

Density at 20°C (68 °F): 1.188 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (9.914 lbs/gal)

Relative density Not determined.

Vapour density Not determined.

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<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not determined.
<b>Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:</b>	Not miscible or difficult to mix
<b>Segregation coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b>	Not determined.
<b>Viscosity:</b>	
<b>dynamic:</b>	Not determined.
<b>kinematic:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Other information</b>	No further relevant information available.

### 10 Stability and reactivity

#### Reactivity

#### Chemical stability

#### Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known

#### Incompatible materials:

Heat

Light

Oxidizing agents

#### Hazardous decomposition products:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Hydrogen chloride (HCl)

### 11 Toxicological information

#### Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity:

#### Primary irritant effect:

**on the skin:** Corrosive effect on skin and mucous membranes.

**on the eye:** Strong corrosive effect.

**Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

#### Subacute to chronic toxicity:

Corrosive materials are acutely destructive to the respiratory tract, eyes, skin and digestive tract. Eye contact may result in permanent damage and complete vision loss. Inhalation may result in respiratory effects such as inflammation, edema, and chemical pneumonitis. May cause coughing, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, headache, nausea and vomiting. Ingestion may cause damage to the mouth, throat and esophagus. May cause skin burns or irritation depending on the severity of the exposure.

#### Additional toxicological information:

To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

Danger through skin absorption.

Swallowing will lead to a strong corrosive effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach.

ACGIH A2: Suspected human carcinogen: Agent is carcinogenic in experimental animals at dose levels, by route(s) of administration, at site(s), of histologic type(s), or by mechanism(s) considered relevant to worker exposure. Available epidemiologic studies are conflicting or insufficient to confirm an increased risk of cancer in exposed humans.

### 12 Ecological information

#### Toxicity

**Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

**Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.

#### Behavior in environmental systems:

**Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

**Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.

#### Ecotoxicological effects:

**Remark:** Very toxic for aquatic organisms

#### Additional ecological information:

#### General notes:

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.

Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.

Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.

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**Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

**13 Disposal considerations****Waste treatment methods**

Recommendation Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal.

**Uncleaned packagings:**

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

**14 Transport information****DOT regulations:**

**Hazard class:** 6.1  
**Identification number:** UN3390  
**Packing group:** I  
**Proper shipping name (technical name):** TOXIC BY INHALATION LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (cis-1,4-Dichloro-2-butene)  
**Label:** 6.1+8

**Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)**

**ADR/RID class:** 6.1 (TC1) Toxic substances  
**Danger code (Kemler):** 668  
**UN-Number:** 3390  
**Packaging group:** I  
**Special marking:** Symbol (fish and tree)  
**UN proper shipping name:** 3390 TOXIC BY INHALATION LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (cis-1,4-Dichloro-2-butene)

**Maritime transport IMDG:**

**IMDG Class:** 6.1  
**UN Number:** 3390  
**Label:** 6.1+8  
**Packaging group:** I  
**Marine pollutant:** No  
**Proper shipping name:** TOXIC BY INHALATION LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (cis-1,4-Dichloro-2-butene)

**Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:**

**ICAO/IATA Class:** 6.1  
**UN/ID Number:** 3390  
**Label:** 6.1+8  
**Packaging group:** I  
**Proper shipping name:** TOXIC BY INHALATION LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S.

**UN "Model Regulation":** UN3390, TOXIC BY INHALATION LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S., 6.1 (8), I  
**Environmental hazards:** Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid; Marine Pollutant  
**Special precautions for user:** Warning: Toxic substances

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**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.**

### 15 Regulatory information

**Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

**Product related hazard informations:**

**Hazard symbols:**

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**National regulations**

All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory.

This product contains a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL).

**Information about limitation of use:**

For use only by technically qualified individuals.

This product is subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act of 1986 and 40CFR372.

**Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

### 16 Other information

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

**Department issuing MSDS:** Health, Safety and Environmental Department.

**Contact:**

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Global EHS Manager

**Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada)

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