

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

Dow Chemical Canada ULC

Product Name: TRITON(TM) CF-76 SURFACTANT

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Dow Chemical Canada ULC encourages and expects you to read and understand the entire (M)SDS, as there is important information throughout the document. We expect you to follow the precautions identified in this document unless your use conditions would necessitate other appropriate methods or actions.

#### 1. **Product and Company Identification**

#### **Product Name**

TRITON(TM) CF-76 SURFACTANT

This product is distributed by Canada Colors and Chemicals Limited General Inquiry: (905) 459-1232 24 Hour Emergency: (416) 444-2112



**COMPANY IDENTIFICATION** 

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CCC: Product Code: 940305 CCC: Product Name: TRITON CF-76

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**Customer Information Number:** 

800-258-2436

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# **EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER**

24-Hour Emergency Contact: **Local Emergency Contact:** 

(989) 636-4400 989-636-4400

#### 2. Hazards Identification

**Emergency Overview** 

Color: Yellow Physical State: Liquid. Odor: Pungent

Hazards of product:

CAUTION! May cause eye irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May be harmful if swallowed. Isolate area. Slipping hazard.

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#### Potential Health Effects

Eye Contact: May cause slight eye irritation. Corneal injury is unlikely.

Skin Contact: Brief contact may cause slight skin irritation with local redness.

Skin Absorption: Prolonged skin contact is unlikely to result in absorption of harmful amounts.

Inhalation: Brief exposure (minutes) is not likely to cause adverse effects.

Ingestion: Low toxicity if swallowed. Small amounts swallowed incidentally as a result of normal handling operations are not likely to cause injury; however, swallowing larger amounts may cause injury.

Aspiration hazard: Based on physical properties, not likely to be an aspiration hazard.

#### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Component CAS# Amount W/W 4-Nonylphenoxy polyethoxy polypropoxy ethyl 160799-28-0 <= 100.0 %

Amounts are presented as percentages by weight.

#### 4. First-aid measures

### Description of first aid measures

General advice: If potential for exposure exists refer to Section 8 for specific personal protective equipment.

Inhalation: Move person to fresh air; if effects occur, consult a physician.

Skin Contact: Wash skin with plenty of water.

Eye Contact: Flush eyes thoroughly with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses after the initial 1-2 minutes and continue flushing for several additional minutes. If effects occur, consult a physician, preferably an ophthalmologist.

Ingestion: If swallowed, seek medical attention. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.

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

Aside from the information found under Description of first aid measures (above) and Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed (below), no additional symptoms and effects are anticipated.

#### Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No specific antidote. Treatment of exposure should be directed at the control of symptoms and the clinical condition of the patient.

#### 5. Fire Fighting Measures

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Water fog or fine spray. Dry chemical fire extinguishers. Carbon dioxide fire extinguishers. Foam. Alcohol resistant foams (ATC type) are preferred. General purpose synthetic foams (including AFFF) or protein foams may function, but will be less effective.

Extinguishing Media to Avoid: Do not use direct water stream. May spread fire.

# Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous Combustion Products: During a fire, smoke may contain the original material in addition to combustion products of varying composition which may be toxic and/or irritating. Combustion products may include and are not limited to: Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Violent steam generation or eruption may occur upon application of direct water stream to hot liquids.

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#### Advice for firefighters

**Fire Fighting Procedures:** Keep people away. Isolate fire and deny unnecessary entry. Burning liquids may be extinguished by dilution with water. Do not use direct water stream. May spread fire. Burning liquids may be moved by flushing with water to protect personnel and minimize property damage.

Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters: Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and protective fire fighting clothing (includes fire fighting helmet, coat, trousers, boots, and gloves). Avoid contact with this material during fire fighting operations. If contact is likely, change to full chemical resistant fire fighting clothing with self-contained breathing apparatus. If this is not available, wear full chemical resistant clothing with self-contained breathing apparatus and fight fire from a remote location. For protective equipment in post-fire or non-fire clean-up situations, refer to the relevant sections.

See Section 9 for related Physical Properties

#### 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Isolate area. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering the area. Spilled material may cause a slipping hazard. Refer to Section 7, Handling, for additional precautionary measures. Use appropriate safety equipment. For additional information, refer to Section 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection.

**Environmental precautions:** Prevent from entering into soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater. See Section 12, Ecological Information.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:** Contain spilled material if possible. Absorb with materials such as: Sand. Dirt. Do not use water for cleanup. Collect in suitable and properly labeled containers. See Section 13, Disposal Considerations, for additional information.

# 7. Handling and Storage

#### Handling

**General Handling:** Avoid contact with eyes. Do not swallow. Wash thoroughly after handling. See Section 8, EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION.

### **Storage**

No specific requirements. Additional storage and handling information on this product may be obtained by calling your sales or customer service contact. The shelf life given is for unopened containers stored under moderate temperature conditions.

Shelf life: Use within 24 Months

# 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

# **Exposure Limits**

Consult local authorities for recommended exposure limits. None established

#### **Personal Protection**

Eye/Face Protection: Use safety glasses (with side shields).

**Skin Protection:** Use protective clothing chemically resistant to this material. Selection of specific items such as face shield, boots, apron, or full body suit will depend on the task.

Hand protection: Use gloves chemically resistant to this material. Examples of preferred glove barrier materials include: Butyl rubber. Chlorinated polyethylene. Polyethylene. Ethyl vinyl alcohol laminate ("EVAL"). Neoprene. Nitrile/butadiene rubber ("nitrile" or "NBR"), Polyvinyl chloride ("PVC" or "vinyl"). Styrene/butadiene rubber. Viton. Examples of acceptable glove barrier materials include: Polyvinyl alcohol ("PVA"). Natural rubber ("latex"). NOTICE: The selection of a specific glove for a particular application and duration of use in a workplace should also take into account all relevant workplace factors such as, but not limited to: Other chemicals which may be handled, physical requirements (cut/puncture protection, dexterity, thermal protection), potential body reactions to glove materials, as well as the instructions/specifications provided by the glove supplier.

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Respiratory Protection: Respiratory protection should be worn when there is a potential to exceed the exposure limit requirements or guidelines. If there are no applicable exposure limit requirements or guidelines, wear respiratory protection when adverse effects, such as respiratory irritation or discomfort have been experienced, or where indicated by your risk assessment process. For most conditions no respiratory protection should be needed; however, if discomfort is experienced, use an approved air-purifying respirator. The following should be effective types of air-purifying respirators: Organic vapor cartridge.

**Ingestion:** Use good personal hygiene. Do not consume or store food in the work area. Wash hands before smoking or eating.

# **Engineering Controls**

**Ventilation:** Use local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below exposure limit requirements or guidelines. If there are no applicable exposure limit requirements or guidelines, general ventilation should be sufficient for most operations. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary for some operations.

# 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance

Physical State Liquid.
Color Yellow
Odor Pungent

Odor Threshold No test data available pH 10.3 Calculated

Melting Point Not applicable to liquids Freezing Point 3 °C Calculated

Boiling Point (760 mmHg) > 200 °C Calculated.
Flash Point - Closed Cup 201 °C ASTM D93
Flash Point - Open Cup 251 °C ASTM D93
Evaporation Rate (Butyl <0.01 Calculated

Acetate = 1)

Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable to liquids

Flammable Limits In Air
Lower: No test data available
Upper: No test data available
Vapor Pressure

Lower: No test data available
Upper: No test data available

Co.01 mmHg @ 20 °C Calculated

3.59 Estimated.

Vapor Density (air = 1) >1.0 Calculated

Specific Gravity (H2O = 1) 1.04 20 °C/20 °C Calculated Solubility in water (by 100 % @ 20 °C Calculated

weight)

Partition coefficient, noctanol/water (log Pow)
Autoingtion Temperature

Autoignition Temperature No test data available No test data available

**Temperature** 

Kinematic Viscosity Explosive properties

284 cSt @ 25 °C Calculated

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Explosive properties
Oxidizing properties
Molecular Weight

no data available no data available 1460 g/mol Calculated

# 10. Stability and Reactivity

#### Reactivity

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

### Chemical stability

Thermally stable at recommended temperatures and pressures.

# Possibility of hazardous reactions

Polymerization will not occur.

Conditions to Avoid: Exposure to elevated temperatures can cause product to decompose.

**Incompatible Materials:** Avoid contact with: Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizers. Strong reducing agents.

#### Hazardous decomposition products

Decomposition products depend upon temperature, air supply and the presence of other materials.

# 11. Toxicological Information

## **Acute Toxicity**

# Ingestion

LD50, rat, male > 1,000 mg/kg LD50, rat, female 1,070 mg/kg

#### Dermal

LD50, rabbit, male 4,760 mg/kg LD50, rabbit, female 11,300 mg/kg

#### Inhalation

As product: The LC50 has not been determined.

## Eye damage/eye irritation

May cause slight eye irritation. Corneal injury is unlikely.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Brief contact may cause slight skin irritation with local redness.

## Sensitization

#### Skin

No relevant information found.

#### Respiratory

No relevant information found.

#### Repeated Dose Toxicity

No relevant data found.

### **Chronic Toxicity and Carcinogenicity**

No relevant data found.

#### **Developmental Toxicity**

No relevant data found.

## Reproductive Toxicity

No relevant data found.

# **Genetic Toxicology**

No relevant data found.

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# 12. Ecological Information

#### **Toxicity**

Material is moderately toxic to aquatic organisms on an acute basis (LC50/EC50 between 1 and 10 mg/L in the most sensitive species tested).

#### Fish Acute & Prolonged Toxicity

LC50, Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow), 96 h: 2.7 mg/l

**Aquatic Invertebrate Acute Toxicity** 

EC50, Daphnia magna (Water flea), 48 h, immobilization: 10 - 50 mg/l

Toxicity to Micro-organisms

IC50; Bacteria, 16 h: > 5,000 mg/l

#### Persistence and Degradability

Based on stringent OECD test guidelines, this material cannot be considered as readily biodegradable; however, these results do not necessarily mean that the material is not biodegradable under environmental conditions.

#### Biological oxygen demand (BOD):

BOD 5	BOD 10	BOD 20	BOD 28
< 5 %	< 5 %	14 %	

#### Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient, n-octanol/water (log Pow): 3.59 Estimated.

Bioconcentration Factor (BCF): 103; Fish; Estimated.

#### Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil: No data available.

# 13. Disposal Considerations

DO NOT DUMP INTO ANY SEWERS, ON THE GROUND, OR INTO ANY BODY OF WATER. All disposal practices must be in compliance with all Federal, State/Provincial and local laws and regulations. Regulations may vary in different locations. Waste characterizations and compliance with applicable laws are the responsibility solely of the waste generator. AS YOUR SUPPLIER, WE HAVE NO CONTROL OVER THE MANAGEMENT PRACTICES OR MANUFACTURING PROCESSES OF PARTIES HANDLING OR USING THIS MATERIAL. THE INFORMATION PRESENTED HERE PERTAINS ONLY TO THE PRODUCT AS SHIPPED IN ITS INTENDED CONDITION AS DESCRIBED IN MSDS SECTION: Composition Information. FOR UNUSED & UNCONTAMINATED PRODUCT, the preferred options include sending to a licensed, permitted: Incinerator or other thermal destruction device.

# 14. Transport Information

**TDG Small container** 

Proper Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.

**Technical Name:** 4-nonylphenoxy polyethoxy polypropoxy ethyl acetal **Hazard Class:** 9 **ID Number:** UN3082 **Packing Group:** PG III

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#### **TDG** Large container

Proper Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.

Technical Name: 4-nonylphenoxy polyethoxy polypropoxy ethyl acetal Hazard Class: 9 ID Number: UN3082 Packing Group: PG III

#### **IMDG**

Proper Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.

Technical Name: 4-nonylphenoxy polyethoxy polypropoxy ethyl acetal Hazard Class: 9 ID Number: UN3082 Packing Group: PG III

EMS Number: F-A,S-F Marine pollutant.: Yes

#### ICAO/IATA

Proper Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.

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Cargo Packing Instruction: 964
Passenger Packing Instruction: 964

# 15. Regulatory Information

#### **US. Toxic Substances Control Act**

All components of this product are on the TSCA Inventory or are exempt from TSCA Inventory requirements under 40 CFR 720.30

### European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)

This product is a polymer according to the definition in Directive 92/32/EEC (7th Amendment to Directive 67/548/EEC) and all of its starting materials and intentional additives are listed in the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS) or in compliance with European (EU) chemical inventory requirements.

#### CEPA - Domestic Substances List (DSL)

All substances contained in this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) or are not required to be listed.

#### Hazardous Products Act Information: CPR Compliance

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

### Hazardous Products Act Information: WHMIS Classification

D2B Eye or Skin Irritant

#### Hazardous Products Act Information: Hazardous Ingredients

This product contains the following ingredients which are Controlled Products and/or are on the Ingredient Disclosure List (Canadian HPA Section 13 and 14).

Component

CAS#

Amount W/W

4-Nonylphenoxy polyethoxy polypropoxy ethyl 160799-28-0 acetal

>= 99.0 - <= 100.0 %

# 16. Other Information

## **Product Literature**

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Additional information on this and other products may be obtained by visiting our web page. Additional information on this product may be obtained by calling your sales or customer service contact. Ask for a product brochure.

**Hazard Rating System** 

NFPA Health Fire Reactivity
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# Recommended Uses and Restrictions

#### Identified uses

Multi-purpose surfactant. We recommend that you use this product in a manner consistent with the listed use. If your intended use is not consistent with the stated use, please contact your sales or technical service representative.

#### Revision

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#### Legend

Not available	
Weight/Weight	
Occupational Exposure Limit	
Short Term Exposure Limit	
Time Weighted Average	
American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, Inc.	
Dow Industrial Hygiene Guideline	
Workplace Environmental Exposure Level	
HAZ_DES Hazard Designation	
Volume/Volume	

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