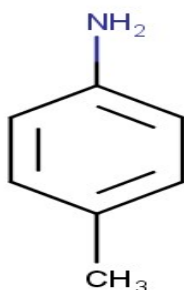


1. General Statement

P-toluidine is a colorless solid. Produces toxic oxides of nitrogen during combustion. May be absorbed through the skin. Used in dyes, and in organic chemical manufacturing.

2. Chemical Identity

Name : p-toluidine
CAS number(s) : 106-49-0
EC number : 203-403-1
Molecular formula : C₇H₉N
Structure :



3. Uses and Benefits

Produces toxic oxides of nitrogen during combustion. May be absorbed through the skin. Used in dyes, and in organic chemical manufacturing. P-toluidine is an aminotoluene in which the amino substituent is para to the methyl group.

4. Physical / chemical properties

Property	Value
Physical state :	Solid
Colour :	Pure substance: colourless to white. Unpurified: yellow to brown.
Odour :	Aromatic odour.
pH :	No data available
Melting point	44 °C
Boiling point :	200.5 °C (1013 hPa)
Flash point :	87 °C (Closed cup, 1013 hPa)

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Density :	1050 kg/m ³
Solubility in Water:	Water: 0.74 g/100ml (20 °C)

5. Health Effects

Effect Assessment	Result
Acute toxicity (Oral / inhalation / dermal)	Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin & if inhaled.
Irritation / corrosion Skin / eye/ respiratory tract	Causes serious eye irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Toxicity after repeated exposure Oral / inhalation / dermal	NA
Genotoxicity / Mutagenicity	Not classified
Carcinogenicity	Suspected of causing cancer.
Toxicity for reproduction	No

6. Environmental Effects

Effect Assessment	Result
Aquatic toxicity	Yes
Fate and behavior	Result
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (Log Kow < 4).

7. Exposure

Human health

The substance may cause cancer, Causes serious eye irritation, and also it may cause an allergic skin reaction. Breathing p-Toluidine can irritate the nose and throat. High levels can interfere with the ability of the blood to carry Oxygen causing headache, fatigue, dizziness, and a blue color to the skin and lips (methemoglobinemia). Higher levels can cause trouble breathing, collapse and even death.

The most likely route of human exposure (workers) is through skin. In industrial settings, ingestion is not an anticipated route of exposure. Workers may be exposed during (un)loading, mixing, sampling, analysis or maintenance operations and particularly in case of batch processes. The exposure must be kept as minimum as possible by the use of appropriate risk management measures as suitable collective and personal protective equipment, good industrial hygiene practices and risk communication through appropriate training of workers. Careless handling or accidental spillage of the chemical could result in exposure to potentially hazardous levels of chemicals. The substance is handled in closed systems, and it is usual for operators to wear

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impervious suits and self-contained breathing apparatus for operations involving the transfer of dimethyl sulfate, where there is the possibility of greater exposure.

Industrial workers should ensure that they follow the advice found in the extended safety data sheet (SDS).

Environment

Care should be taken to avoid releases of these products to sewage, drainage systems and water bodies. Spillage shall be quickly collected in the event of an accidental release. More information about release measures and accidental release measures are available in the extended safety data sheet.

8. Risk Management Recommendations

Human health measures

Organizational	A basic standard of occupational hygiene is recommended. Ensure operatives are well informed of the hazards and trained to minimise exposures. Ensure regular inspection and maintenance of equipment and machines. Handle and store according to the indications of the Safety Data Sheet.	
Protection	Eye protection:	Face shield (EN 166). In case of dust production: protective goggles (EN 166)
	Skin and body protection:	Protective clothing (EN 14605 or EN 13034). In case of dust production: head/neck protection. In case of dust production: dustproof clothing (EN 13982)
	Respiratory protection:	Dust production: dust mask with filter type P2. High dust production: self-contained breathing apparatus (EN 136 + EN 137)
Engineering controls	Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure good ventilation of the work station.	
Environment protective measures		
Product must not be released into water without pre-treatment. Neutralize wastewater before release.		

9. First-aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove the victim into fresh air. Immediately consult a doctor/medical service.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash immediately with lots of water. Soap may be used. Do not apply (chemical) neutralizing agents. Remove clothing before washing. Consult a doctor/medical service.

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First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Do not apply neutralizing agents.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth with water. Immediately consult a doctor/medical service. Call Poison Information Centre. Ingestion of large quantities: immediately to hospital. Take the container/vomit to the doctor/hospital.

10. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Quick-acting ABC powder extinguisher. Class A foam extinguisher. Water (quick-acting extinguisher, reel). Water. Class A foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Quick-acting BC powder extinguisher. Quick-acting CO2 extinguisher.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : On heating/burning: release of toxic and corrosive gases/vapours (nitrous vapours, carbon monoxide - carbon dioxide).

Advice for firefighters

Precautionary measures fire : Exposure to fire/heat: keep upwind. Exposure to fire/heat: consider evacuation. Exposure to fire/heat: have neighbourhood close doors and windows.

Firefighting instructions : Cool tanks/drums with water spray/remove them into safety. Dilute toxic gases with water spray. Take account of toxic/corrosive precipitation water. Take account of toxic fire-fighting water. Use water moderately and if possible collect or contain it.

11. Accidental release measures

Protective equipment : Gloves (EN 374). Face shield (EN 166). Protective clothing (EN 14605 or EN 13034). Dust cloud production: self-contained breathing apparatus (EN 136 + EN 137). Dust cloud production: dust-tight suit (EN 13982).

Environmental precautions: Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Avoid discharge to the atmosphere. Do not allow entering drains or water courses.

For containment : Contain released product, pump into suitable containers. Plug the leak, cut off the supply. Dam up the solid spill. Knock down/dilute dust cloud with water spray. Take account of toxic/corrosive precipitation water. Powdered form: no compressed air for pumping over spills.

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12. Disposal consideration

Regional legislation (waste) : Disposal must be done according to official regulations.

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

Sewage disposal recommendations :Remove waste in accordance with local and/or national regulations. Hazardous waste shall not be mixed together with other waste. Different types of hazardous waste shall not be mixed together if this may entail a risk of pollution or create problems for the further management of the waste. Hazardous waste shall be managed responsibly. All entities that store, transport or handle hazardous waste shall take the necessary measures to prevent risks of pollution or damage to people or animals. Remove to an authorized incinerator equipped with an afterburner and a flue gas scrubber with energy recovery.

13. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling : Avoid raising dust. Keep away from naked flames/heat. In a finely divided state: use spark-explosion proof appliances. Finely divided: keep away from ignition sources/sparks. Measure the concentration in the air regularly. Carry operations in the open/under local exhaust/ventilation or with respiratory protection. Comply with the legal requirements. Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Clean contaminated clothing. Thoroughly clean/dry the installation before use. Do not discharge the waste into the drain. Powdered form: no compressed air for pumping over. Keep the container tightly closed.

Hygiene measures : Always wash hands after handling the product. Remove contaminated clothes. Wear personal protective equipment.Observe strict hygiene.

14. Classification and Labeling

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP)



Signal word (CLP)

Hazard statements (CLP)

Precautionary statements (CLP)

- : Danger
- : H351 - Suspected of causing cancer.
H301+H311+H331 - Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life.
- : P101 - If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
P102 - Keep out of reach of children.
P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P272 - Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P273 - Avoid release to the environment.
P321 - Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instruction on this label).
P304+P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P361+P364 - Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P330 - Rinse mouth.
P311 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor.
P391 - Collect spillage.
P403+P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P405 - Store locked up.
P501 - Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation.

15. Conclusion

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