# Avocado Research Chemicals Ltd - Material Safety Data Sheet 13783

### 1. IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE AND SUPPLIER

Name On Label 1,5-Hexadiyne, 50% soln. in pentane

Product Number 13783

Supplier Johnson Matthey Catalog Company Inc.

30 Bond Street, Ward Hill, Massachusetts, 01835-8099

Emergency Telephone Number: (978) 521-6300; CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300

Alternative Names None in common use.

# 2. COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON COMPONENTS

Name 1,5-Hexadiyne, 50% soln. in pentane

Minor Impurities Not determined

**CAS No.** 628-16-0 **EINECS No.** 2110295 **EEC No.** 

### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Designation** HIGHLY FLAMMABLE

Risk Phrases R11 Highly flammable.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

InhalationRemove to fresh air. Seek medical advice if symptoms persist.Eye ContactFlush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes.Skin ContactWash affected area with soap and water. Rinse thoroughly.

**Ingestion** Rinse out mouth and drink lots of water. If unusual symptoms are observed, seek medical advice.

# 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing Medium** Use fire fighting measures which suit the environment and take into account other materials which

may be involved. In general, water-based extinguishers should not be used for fires involving

organic materials. Use carbon dioxide or dry powder.

Protective Equipment Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.

Hazardous Products of Combustion may include: carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Protection Keep away from ignition sources. Avoid inhalation of vapour. Wear protective equipment including

rubber gloves, eye protection and breathing equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

**Environmental Protection** 

Collection

Take precautions to ensure product does not contaminate the ground or enter the drainage system.

Absorb in vermiculite or proprietary absorbent material and transfer to sealed containers for

disposal.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Chemicals should be used only by those trained in handling potentially hazardous materials. Rubber

gloves, eye protection and protective clothing should be worn. Operations should be carried out in

an efficient fume hood or equivalent system.

Storage Store in tightly sealed containers in a refrigerator or cold room at 5 degrees centigrade or below.

Protect from moisture.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Respiratory** Volatile product. Avoid inhalation of vapour. Handle in an efficient fume hood or equivalent system.

Eye Avoid eye contact. Wear safety spectacles or goggles.

Hands and Body Avoid skin contact. Wear rubber gloves and protective clothing.

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### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Appearance** 

Physical Constants Not available

Molecular formulaC6H6Formula Wt.78.11Water solubilityInsolDensityNot available

Flash Point Not available

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Specific Hazard

**Incompatibilities** Strong oxidising agents.

**Decomposition** Hazardous products of decomposition may include: carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

RTECS No. Not listed

Acute Toxicity LD<sub>50</sub>: No data reported

# 12. ECOLOGICAL EFFECTS

**General** Take care to prevent chemicals from entering the ground, water courses or drainage systems.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Disposal** Disposal should be via an approved contractor and should take full account of local regulations.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number 1993

Land TransportADR/RIC Code/Class3.2Packing Group IIMaritime TransportIMDG Code/Class3.2Packing Group IIAir TransportIATA Code/Class3.2Packing Group II

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**CAS No.** 628-16-0 **EINECS No.** 2110295 **EEC No. UN No.** 1993 **RTECS No.** Not listed

Hazard Indication HIGHLY FLAMMABLE
Risk & Safety Phrases Highly flammable.

Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No Smoking.

Do not empty into drains.

Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Not listed. For research and development use only.

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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It must be recognised that the physical and chemical properties of any product may not be fully understood and that new, possibly hazardous products may arise from reactions between chemicals. The information given in this data sheet is based on our present knowledge and shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

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