

# Material Safety Data Sheet

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : SELECTFLUOR F-TEDA-BF4

Company : Air Products and Chemicals, Inc  
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Allentown, PA 18195-1501

Telephone : 1-800-345-3148 Chemicals  
1-800-752-1597 Gases and Electronic Chemicals

Emergency telephone number : 800-523-9374 USA  
01-610-481-7711 International

## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS Number	Concentration (Weight)
1,4-Diazoniabicyclo[2.2.2]octane, 1-(chloromethyl)-4-fluoro-, bis[tetrafluoroborate(1-)]	140681-55-6	100 %

## 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Emergency Overview

Toxic if swallowed.  
Components of the product may affect the nervous system.  
Moderate respiratory irritant.  
Moderate skin irritant.  
Severe eye irritant.

### Potential Health Effects

Inhalation : May cause central nervous system effects, such as headache, nausea, dizziness, confusion, breathing difficulties. Severe cases of overexposure can result in respiratory failure. May cause nose, throat, and lung irritation. Inhalation of vapors and/or aerosols in high concentration may cause irritation of respiratory system.

Eye contact : Severe eye irritation.

Skin contact : If absorbed through the skin, may cause central nervous system effects, such as headache, nausea, dizziness, confusion, breathing difficulties. Causes skin irritation.

Ingestion : May be fatal if swallowed. Toxic if swallowed. May cause central nervous system effects, such as headache, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, dizziness, confusion, breathing difficulties. Severe cases of overexposure can result in respiratory failure.

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Chronic Health Hazard : This product contains no listed carcinogens according to IARC, ACGIH, NTP and/or OSHA in concentrations of 0.1 percent or greater.

## Exposure Guidelines

Target Organs : Respiratory system.  
Skin.  
Eyes.  
Kidney.  
Heart.  
Teeth and bone.  
Central nervous system.

Symptoms : Repeated and/or prolonged exposure to low concentrations of vapors and/or aerosols may cause: Sore throat.

## Aggravated Medical Condition

Neurological disorders Kidney disorders Asthma. Skin disorders and Allergies. Eye disease

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## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- General advice : The potential for hydrogen fluoride formation exists with every exposure, therefore its toxicity must also be considered. Seek medical advice. If breathing has stopped or is labored, give assisted respirations. Supplemental oxygen may be indicated. If the heart has stopped, trained personnel should begin cardiopulmonary resuscitation immediately.
- Eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water also under the eyelids for at least 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses.
- Skin contact : Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 20 minutes. Immediately remove contaminated clothing, and any extraneous chemical, if possible to do so without delay.
- Ingestion : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If a person vomits when lying on his back, place him in the recovery position. Prevent aspiration of vomit. Turn victim's head to the side.
- Inhalation : If breathing has stopped or is labored, give assisted respirations. Supplemental oxygen may be indicated. If the heart has stopped, trained personnel should begin cardiopulmonary resuscitation immediately. Move to fresh air.

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## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

- Suitable extinguishing media : Alcohol-resistant foam.  
The product itself does not burn.  
Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).  
Dry chemical.  
Dry sand.  
Limestone powder.

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- Specific hazards : Incomplete combustion may form carbon monoxide. Potential dust explosion hazard. As discussed in NFPA 68 and NFPA 69 standards, mixing any dust that can propagate a deflagration with flammable vapor will increase the hazard rating. Where explosive dusts are contained in equipment, that equipment should contain adequate explosion relief vents, explosion suppression systems, or an oxygen-deficient atmosphere. Care should be taken to prevent the escape of dust from horizontal surfaces. Downwind personnel must be evacuated.
- Special protective equipment for fire-fighters : Use personal protective equipment. Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.
- Further information : The product, as distributed, is noncombustible.

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## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Personal precautions : Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. Use self-contained breathing apparatus and chemically protective clothing. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.
- Methods for cleaning up : Approach suspected leak areas with caution. Contact Air Products' Emergency Response Center for advice. Place in appropriate chemical waste container.
- Additional advice : Open enclosed spaces to outside atmosphere. If possible, stop flow of product.

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Handling

Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe vapors/dust. Emergency showers and eye wash stations should be readily accessible. Adhere to work practice rules established by government regulations. Avoid contact with eyes. Use only in well-ventilated areas. Use personal protective equipment. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

### Storage

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. Store under a nitrogen atmosphere. Keep away from heat.

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Engineering measures

Provide readily accessible eye wash stations and safety showers.  
Provide natural or explosion-proof ventilation adequate to ensure concentrations are kept below exposure limits.

### Personal protective equipment

- Respiratory protection : Respirator must be worn if exposed to dust. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved full-face respirator with acid gas cartridges.
- Hand protection : Impervious gloves.

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The breakthrough time of the selected glove(s) must be greater than the intended use period.

Eye protection : Dust resistant safety goggles.  
Chemical resistant goggles must be worn.

Skin and body protection : Long sleeve shirts and trousers without cuffs.

Special instructions for protection and hygiene : Provide readily accessible eye wash stations and safety showers. Wash at the end of each workshift and before eating, smoking or using the toilet.

## Exposure limit(s)

1,4-Diazoniabicyclo[2.2.2]octane, 1-(chloromethyl)-4-fluoro-, bis[tetrafluoroborate(1-)]	Time Weighted Average (TWA): ACGIH	-	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form : Powder.

Color : White.

Odor : Stinging.

Molecular Weight : 354.26 g/mol

Melting point/range : 347 °F (175 °C)

Water solubility : Completely soluble.  
Decomposes in contact with water.

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability : Stable under normal conditions.

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Conditions to avoid : Elevated temperatures.

Materials to avoid : Reducing agents.  
Alkalies.  
Flammable materials.

Hazardous decomposition products : Carbon monoxide.  
Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).  
Hydrogen fluoride.  
Boron trifluoride hydrates.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Acute Health Hazard

Ingestion : LD50 : 500 mg/kg  
Species : Rat.

Inhalation : No data is available on the product itself.

Skin. : LD50 : > 2,000 mg/kg  
Species : Rat.

Eye irritation/corrosion : Severe eye irritation.

Acute dermal irritation/corrosion : Skin irritation.

Sensitization : May cause sensitization by skin contact.

### Chronic Health Hazard

Boron compounds (particularly boric acid) have caused anemia, and adverse liver, kidney, central nervous system and reproductive effects. Testicular atrophy, reduced sperm counts, abnormal sperm and sterility have been observed in mice, rats and dogs fed at a daily level of 45 mg/kg of body weight based on boron product equivalents. Oral administration of boric acid to pregnant mice, rats and rabbits has caused increased incidences of fetal death and malformed offspring.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity effects

Aquatic toxicity : LC50 (96 h) : 100 mg/l  
Species : Rainbow trout (*Oncorhynchus mykiss*).  
EC50 (48 h) : 25 mg/l  
Species : Daphnia

Toxicity to other organisms : No data available.

### Persistence and degradability

Mobility : No data available.

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Bioaccumulation : No data is available on the product itself.

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste from residues / unused products : Contact supplier if guidance is required.

Contaminated packaging : Dispose of container and unused contents in accordance with federal, state, and local requirements.

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## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### CFR

Proper shipping name : Self-heating, solid, organic, n.o.s. (N-fluoro-N-chloromethyl-triethylenediamine bis (tetrafluoroborate) )  
Class : 4.2  
UN/ID No. : UN3088  
Packing group : II

### IATA

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### IMDG

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### CTC

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) Hazard Class(es)  
Toxic. Irritant.

Country	Regulatory list	Notification
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USA	TSCA	Included on Inventory.
EU	EINECS	Not on Inventory.
Canada	DSL	Not on Inventory.
Australia	AICS	Not on Inventory.
Japan	ENCS	Not on Inventory.
South Korea	ECL	Not on Inventory.
China	SEPA	Included on Inventory.
Philippines	PICCS	Not on Inventory.

EPA SARA Title III Section 312 (40 CFR 370) Hazard Classification:

Acute Health Hazard Chronic Health Hazard Reactivity Hazard.

Acute Health Hazard

US. California Safe Drinking Water & Toxic Enforcement Act (Proposition 65)

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or any other harm.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### NFPA Rating

Health : 2  
Fire : 0  
Instability : 1

### HMIS Rating

Health : 2  
Flammability : 0  
Physical hazard : 1

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<http://www.airproducts.com/productstewardship/>