

AMERICAN DYE SOURCE, INC.

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Section 1 - Product and Company Information

PRODUCT NAME: Light Emitting Polymer ADS133YE

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Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient

SUBSTANCE NAME: Poly[(9,9-dioctylfluorenyl-2,7-diyl)-alt-co-(1,4-benzo-{2,1',3}-thiadiazole)]

CAS REGISTRY NUMBER: Not available

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: Avoid contact and inhalation

HMIS-RATING: Health: 1
Flammability: 0
Reactivity: 0

For additional information on toxicity, please refer to Section 11.

NFPA-RATING: Health: 1
Flammability: 0
Reactivity: 0

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

ORAL EXPOSURE: If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious.
Call a physician.

INHALATION EXPOSURE: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult, call a physician.

DERMAL EXPOSURE: In case of contact, immediately wash skin with soap and copious amounts of water.

EYE EXPOSURE: In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. Call a physician.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

FLASH POINT: Not available

AUTOIGNITION TEMP: Not available

FLAMMABILITY:	Not available
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:	Suitable: Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.
FIREFIGHTING:	Protective Equipment: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. Specific Hazard(s): Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S):	Exercise appropriate precautions to minimize direct contact with skin or eyes and prevent inhalation of dust.
METHODS FOR CLEANING UP:	Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal. Avoid raising dust. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

HANDLING:	User Exposure: Avoid inhalation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.
STORAGE:	Suitable: Keep tightly closed.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE

ENGINEERING CONTROLS:	Use only in a chemical fume hood. Safety shower and eye bath.
PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:	Respiratory: Wear dust mask. Hand: Protective gloves. Eye: Chemical safety goggles.
GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES:	Wash thoroughly after handling.

Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

APPEARANCE:	Yellow fibers
MOLECULAR WEIGHT:	42 000
MELTING POINT:	Not available
DENSITY:	Not available
VAPOR PRESSURE:	Not available

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

STABILITY:	Stable: Stable. Materials to Avoid: Strong-oxidizing agents.
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:	Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

ROUTE OF EXPOSURE: Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation.
 Skin Absorption: May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Eye Contact: May cause eye irritation.
 Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material may be irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.
 Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

SENSITIZATION: Sensitization: Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause allergic reactions in certain sensitive individuals.

TARGET ORGAN(S) OR SYSTEM(S): No data available

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE: To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Section 12 - Ecological Information

No data available.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

APPROPRIATE METHOD OF DISPOSAL OF SUBSTANCE OR PREPARATION: Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

DOT : Proper Shipping Name: None
 Non-Hazardous for Transport: This substance is considered to be non-hazardous for transport.

IATA: Non-Hazardous for Air Transport: Non-hazardous for air transport.

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION: S: 22 24/25
 Safety Statements: Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

US CLASSIFICATION AND LABEL TEXT: US Statements: Caution: Avoid contact and inhalation.

UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION: SARA LISTED: No

**CANADA REGULATORY
INFORMATION:**

WHMIS Classification: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.
DSL: No
NDSL: No

Section 16 - Other Information**DISCLAIMER:**

For R&D use only. Not for drug, household or other uses.

WARRANTY:

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