SAFETY DATA SHEET

MOLTOX®
Molecular Toxicology, Inc.

NAME OF PRODUCT 4-nitroquilonine *N*-oxide

SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product/Catalog Number(s):

32-60127	50 µg/mL/vial
60-121.1	50 µg/vial
60-121.2	500 µg/vial
60-121.3	10 µg/vial
60-127	100 µg/vial
60-128	1 mg/vial
60-128.1	100 mg/vial
60-128A100	25 µg/ml, 100 µL/vial
60-128A150	1 mg/ml, 150 µl/vial
60-159	50 µg/vial
60-163	12.5 µg/vial
60-214	20 µg/vial
60-176	50 µg/ml, 1.6 ml/vial

Product name:	**4-nitroquilinone *N*-oxide**
Synonyms:	4-nitroquilinone 1-oxide, 4-NQO
Manufacturer:	Molecular Toxicology Inc.
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Emergency contact (Chemtrec):	Contact 1800-424-9300 (USA) or 703 527 3887 (International) at other times Email: chemtrec@chemtrec.com; http://www.chemtrec.com/
Recommended use:	Laboratory, For Research Only
Restrictions on use:	Not for clinical use

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture per GSH and EU Directive 1272/2008

Danger

Physical hazards	None known
Health hazards	Carcinogenicity (Category 1B)
Environmental hazards	See eco-toxicity section 12.

Labelling

Hazard Statements	H350 May cause cancer
Precautionary Statements	P201 Receive special instructions before use P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions are understood P281 Use personal protective equipment as required. P308+313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention P405 Store locked up P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.
Hazards not otherwise classified or not covered by GHS	None

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance

Component	Purpose	CAS-No	EC-No.	Weight %
$C_9H_6N_2O_3$ 4-nitroquilonine *N*-oxide	Biochemical used in the study of carcinogenesis	56-57-5	200-281-1	Varies by part number

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Eye Contact	Rinse eyes and under eyelids immediately with plenty of water. Consult a doctor.
Skin Contact	Wash off immediately with plenty of soap and water and rinse thoroughly. Seek immediate medical advice.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth with plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek immediate medical attention.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Get medical attention for any breathing difficulties.
Protection of first-aiders	Not required

In the event that symptoms develop or persists, obtain medical attention.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Acute: None known
Chronic: None known

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Seek medical attention if ingested or if breathing difficulties are observed.

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

Not flammable; use media suitable for extinguishing surrounding fire (carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder or water spray). Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous thermal decomposition products: Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides

Advice for firefighters

Fire-fighters should wear fully protective impervious protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate surrounding areas. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas.

Environmental precautions

Do not release material into drains.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13. Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Reference to other sections

Refer to Sections 7 for information on safe handling

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store according to product packaging, tightly sealed. Keep in a dry, well-ventilated place. Recommended storage temperature -20^{o}C. Light sensitive, hygroscopic

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure limits

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Monitoring methods

N/A

Exposure controls

Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimize release or contact, and the use of properly designed

ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source. Use of a properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals is recommended.

Personal protective equipment

Eye Protection: Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Hand Protection

Chemical resistant gloves; nitrile rubber recommended. Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves (refer to manufacturer/supplier for information). If material is solubilized, account for solvent in glove assessment.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Skin and body protection

Impervious clothing. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory Protection

Exposure risk assessment must be performed by a qualified Industrial Hygienist. Where risk assessment shows air purifying respirators are appropriate use a dust mask type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) respirator. NIOSH approved Respiratory Protection is required by EPA. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator.For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Hygiene Measures - Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before smoking, eating and using lavatory, and at the end of the work period. Employ techniques to avoid contamination of clothing. Keep away from food, beverages, and feed.

Environmental exposure controls – Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals.

Exposure limits

Permissible Exposure Limits and Threshold Limit Values not specified by OSHA.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Yellow Crystals
Auto-ignition temperature	no data available
Boiling point	no data available
Decomposition temperature	no data available
Evaporation Rate	no data available
Flammable limits in air	no data available
Flash point	no data available
Formula	$C_9H_6N_2O_3$

Melting point	154-156°C
Molecular weight	190.16 g/mol
Odor threshold	no data available
Osmolality	no data available
Partition coefficient	no data available
pH	no data available
Solubility in water	no data available
Specific gravity	no data available
Vapor density	no data available
Vapor pressure	no data available
Viscosity	no data available

Other information

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Not reactive.

Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions. Decomposition will not occur if used and stored appropriately.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

No hazardous reactions known.

Conditions to avoid

No specific data.

Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizers

Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxides

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity
LD_{50} Subcutaneous – rat 12.6 mg/kg

Other information on acute toxicity
Acute pulmonary edema and dyspnea in: lungs, thorax, and in respiration
Changes in nutrition and gross metabolism
Body temperature decrease

Skin corrosion/irritation
No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation
No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization
No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity
No data available

Carcinogenicity
Not considered a carcinogen according to IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity
No data available

Teratogenicity
No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System)
No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System)
No data available

Aspiration hazard
No data available

Potential health effects
Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled.
Ingestion May be harmful if swallowed.
Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.
Eyes May cause eye irritation.
Synergistic effects
No data available

Additional toxicological information:
RTECS: CA9275000

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity
Aquatic ecotoxicity: No further relevant information available.
Persistance and degradability: No further relevant information available.
Behavior in environment systems: No further relevant information available.

Bioaccumulative potential: No further relevant information available.
Mobility in soil: No further relevant information available.
Additional ecological information:
General notes:
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course, or sewage system.
Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Results of PBT and vPVB Assessment
PBT: Not applicable
vPvB: Not applicable

Other adverse effects: No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product
Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

Contaminated packaging
Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT regulations:
Not a dangerous good

Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)
Not a dangerous good

Maritime transport IMDG:
Not a dangerous good

Air transport ICAO_TI and IATA-DGR:
Not a dangerous good

Special precautions for user: Not applicable

Transport/Additional information: None available
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code: Not applicable

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA 302 Components
SARA 302: Chemicals in this material are not subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302

SARA 313 Components
SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Hazards
Acute Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right-to-Know Act

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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New Jersey Right To Know Components

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California Prop. 65 Components

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

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Molecular Toxicology, Inc. shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.moltox.com and/or the invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.