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# Material Safety Data Sheet

[SPI #02821-AB, 02821-CA, 02821-NA SPI-Chem™ BDMA; N, N-Dimethylbenzylamine; Benzyl dimethylamine](#)

[Component of 02663-AB SPI-Pon™ 812 Kit, BDMA Formulation](#)

## Section 01 Identification

Date Effective..... January 8, 2009  
(most recent revision)

Chemical Name/Synonyms... Benzyl dimethylamine;  
N,N-Benzyl dimethylamine; N,N-Dimethylbenzylamine

Emergencies  
Contacting CHEMTREC:

24 Hour Emergency Use Only #'s...  
Worldwide phone: 1-(703)-527-3887  
Worldwide FAX: 1-(703)-741-6090  
Toll-free phone: 1-(800)-424-9300 USA only

Product or Trade Name.... SPI #02821-AB, 02821-CA, 02821-NA BDMA  
Synonyms..... Benzyl dimethylamine; N,N-Benzyl dimethylamine; N,  
N-Dimethylbenzylamine



<b>Hazardous Material Information System USA</b>	<b>Health</b>	3	<b>National Fire Protection Association USA</b>	
	<b>Fire Hazard</b>	3		
	<b>Reactivity</b>	0		
	<b>Personal Protection</b>			

### NFPA Ratings: (estimated)

Health: 3 Flammability: 3 Reactivity: 0

## Section 2 Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component Name	CAS #	Percent	EINECS/ELINCS
Benzyl dimethylamine	103-83-3	>99%	203-149-1

## Section 3: Hazard Identification

### Emergency overview:

Flammable, Corrosive

This material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes, the upper respiratory tract, the eyes, and the skin.

**Appearance:** Colorless liquid

**Flash Point:** 127.4°F (53°C) Closed Cup

**Target Organs:** Central Nervous System

### Potential Health Effects

**Eye:** Causes burns. Eye contact harmful.

**Skin:** Causes burns. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Skin contact may cause sensitization.

**Ingestion:** Harmful by ingestion.

**Inhalation:** Harmful by inhalation. Inhalation may cause sensitization. Symptoms of exposure may include burning sensation, coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath, laryngitis, headache, nausea, and vomiting. Exposure may lead to edema of the larynx and bronchi, chemical pneumonitis, and pulmonary edema.

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#### Section 4: First Aid Measures

**Eyes:** In case of eye contact, immediately flush eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting the eyelids. Seek medical attention.

**Skin:** In case of skin contact, flush skin with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated shoes and clothing. Seek medical attention.

**Ingestion:** If the victim is alert and conscious, rinse mouth out with water. Seek immediate medical attention. Do not induce vomiting.

**Inhalation:** Remove victim to fresh air. If breathing stops, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek medical attention.

**Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.

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#### Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

**General Information:** Flammable liquid. Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions. Containers may explode under fire conditions. Flash back danger - vapor may travel back considerable distance to a source of ignition and flash back.

Flash Point: 127.4°F (53°C) Closed Cup

Explosion Limits:

Lower: 0.9%

Upper: 6.3%

Autoignition Temperature: 410°C

**Extinguishing Media:**

Alcohol foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide for small fires. Flooding quantities of water as a mist or spray for large fires. Solid streams of water may be ineffective.

**Protective Equipment:**

Wear full fire fighting protective clothing, including a full face piece, positive pressure, self contained breathing apparatus to prevent skin and eye contact.

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#### Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

**General Information:**

Evacuate area. Eliminate sources of ignition. Use non-sparking equipment.

**Spills/Leaks:**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus, rubber boots, rubber gloves.

Cover with inert material such as sand, soda ash, or dry lime. Place in sealed containers for disposal. Ventilate area. Wash spill site after pick-up is complete.

#### Section 7: Handling and Storage

**Handling:**

Use only in a chemical fume hood - do not breathe vapor. Use rubber gloves, chemical safety goggles and protective clothing to avoid all eye and skin contact. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Storage:**

Store in tightly sealed containers in a cool, dry area away from all sources of ignition.

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#### Section 8: Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:**

Safety shower, eye wash station and chemical fume hood required for work area.

**Exposure Limits:**

Chemical Name	ACGIH	NIOSH	OSHA - Final PELs
Benzylidimethylamine	n/a	n/a	n/a

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eyes:** Chemical splash goggles with face shield.

**Skin:** Chemical resistant gloves to prevent skin contact.

**Clothing:** Protective clothing to prevent skin contact.

**Respirators:** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Always use a NIOSH or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator when necessary. If risk assessment indicates that air purifying respirators are needed, use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination respirator cartridges.

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**Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

<b>Physical State:</b>	Liquid
<b>Appearance:</b>	Colorless
<b>Odor:</b>	amine-like
<b>pH:</b>	10 @20°C, concentration 10 g/l
<b>Vapor Pressure:</b>	n/a
<b>Vapor Density:</b>	n/a
<b>Evaporation Rate:</b>	n/a
<b>Viscosity:</b>	n/a
<b>Boiling Point:</b>	178-181°C
<b>Freezing/Melting Point:</b>	-75°C
<b>Autoignition Temperature:</b>	410°C
<b>Flash Point:</b>	127.4°F (53°C) Closed Cup
<b>Decomposition Temperature:</b>	n/a
<b>Explosion Limits,</b>	
<b>Lower:</b>	0.9%
<b>Upper:</b>	6.3%
<b>Solubility in water:</b>	soluble
<b>Specific Gravity/Density:</b>	0.899 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> N(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	135.21

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**Section 10: Stability and Reactivity**

**Chemical Stability:** Stable

**Conditions to Avoid:** Heat, sources of ignition

**Incompatibility with Other Materials:** Strong oxidizing agents, Acids, Acid chlorides, Carbon dioxide

**Hazardous Decomposition of Products:** Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Oxides of nitrogen, Nitric acid

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur

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**Section 11: Toxicological Information**

**RTECS#:** DP4500000

**CAS# 103-83-3:**

LD50	Rat, oral	265 mg/kg
LD50	Rabbit, skin	1660 mg/kg

**Other Studies:**

Skin studies with rabbits show severe skin irritation effects. Eye studies with rabbits show severe eye irritation effects.

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**Section 12: Ecological Information**

The ecological effects of this material have not been fully investigated. Therefore, take care to prevent it from entering the ground, bodies of water, or the atmosphere.

**Exotoxicity:****Aquatic:**

LC50	Fathead minnow	35.8-39.9 mg/l (96 hours)
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### Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Disposal should be via a licensed professional disposal service. This material may be burned in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber, but caution should be exercised to the highly flammable nature of the material. Observe all federal, state and local regulations.

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### Section 14: Transport Information

**US DOT Hazard Class:**

Proper shipping name: Benzyldimethylamine  
UN#: 2619  
Class: 8  
Packing Group II  
Label: Corrosive  
Label: Flammable Liquid  
Not a poisonous inhalation hazard (PIH)

**IATA (for international shipments)**

Proper shipping name: Benzyldimethylamine  
UN#: 2619  
Class: 8  
Packing Group II

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### Section 15: Regulatory Information

**United States:****TSCA**

CAS# 103-83-3 Is listed on the TSCA Inventory.

**SARA:**

CAS# 103-83-3 is not listed under SARA.

**California Prop. 65:**

CAS# 103-83-3 is not listed under California Prop. 65.

**European/International Regulations:**

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

Hazard Symbols: Xn, C      harmful, corrosive

**Risk Phrases:**

R10 Flammable  
R20/21/22 Harmful by inhalation in contact with skin and if swallowed.  
R34 Causes burns  
R52/53 Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**Safety Phrases:**

S1/2 Keep locked up and out of reach of children.  
S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.  
S45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).  
S61 Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/Safety data sheets.  
S36 Wear suitable protective clothing.

**CANADA****WHMIS:**

This material has a WHMIS classification of B2, E.

**DSL/NDSL List:**

CAS# 103-83-3 is listed on the DSL List and is not listed on the NDSL List.

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### Section 16: Other Information

**Disclaimer of Liability:**

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