

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

100579

SECTION 1 - MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME LONZACURE<sup>®</sup> MCDEA CURING AGENT  
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 EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

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 HMIS/NFPA HEALTH 1 FLAMMABILITY 1 REACTIVITY 0  
 PHYSICAL FORM Crystalline powder

COLOR Off-White

ODOR Odorless

HAZARDS Mild eye irritant.

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA Ignition will give rise to a Class A fire. In case of large fire use: alcohol foam, water spray. In case of small fire use: carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, dry sand or limestone.

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 C.A.S. CHEMICAL NAME Benzamine, 4,4'-methylenebis[3-chloro-2,6-diethyl-]

SYNONYMS None

CHEMICAL FAMILY Diamine

EMPIRICAL FORMULA No Data

INTENDED USE , Extender

REVISION NOTES Updated regulatory information. DSL

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**SECTION 2 - INGREDIENTS**  
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#	%	CAS Number and Chemical Name
1.	100.00	106246-33-7 Benzamine, 4,4'-methylenebis[3-chloro-2,6-diethyl-1

**OSHA (ACGIH) EXPOSURE LIMITS**

	TWA		STEL		CEILING	
	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>
1. OSHA	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
ACGIH	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E

N/E = Not Established.

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**SECTION 3 - HEALTH HAZARDS**  
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**ROUTES OF EXPOSURE**

Eye Contact  
 Skin Contact  
 Ingestion

**EXPOSURE STANDARDS**

No standards established for the product. When handling large quantities in an open system, dusting can occur. Such dust should be treated as a 'nuisance dust.' Levels should be maintained below 30 mppcf or 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> through appropriate ventilation of the workplace. Maintain air contaminant concentrations in the workplace at the lowest feasible levels.

**HEALTH HAZARDS**

Mild eye irritant.

**TARGET ORGANS**

None known

**SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE (Acute effects)**

Contact with eyes may cause mild irritation and discomfort.  
 Inhalation of dust may cause irritation in the respiratory tract.

**SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE (Possible Longer Term Effects)**

No known effects

**MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE**

None known

**CARCINOGENS UNDER OSHA, ACGIH, NTP, IARC, OTHER**

This product contains no carcinogens in concentrations of 0.1

percent or greater.

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**SECTION 4 - FIRST AID**

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**EYE CONTACT**

Hold eyelids apart and immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.

**SKIN CONTACT**

Wash affected area with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Destroy contaminated leather apparel. Launder contaminated clothing prior to reuse.

**INHALATION**

Move patient to fresh air. If breathing has stopped or is labored give assisted respiration (e.g. mouth-to-mouth). Supplemental oxygen may be indicated. Prevent aspiration of vomit. Turn victim's head to the side. Seek medical advice.

**INGESTION**

If swallowed, call a physician immediately. Remove stomach contents by gastric suction or induce vomiting only as directed by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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**SECTION 5 - FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA**

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FLASH POINT (closed cup)	No Data
UPPER EXPLOSION LIMIT (UEL)	No Data
LOWER EXPLOSION LIMIT (LEL)	No Data
AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE	>300.00 C (>572.00 F)
FIRE HAZARD CLASSIFICATION (OSHA/NFPA)	Combustible Solid

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

Ignition will give rise to a Class A fire. In case of large fire use: water spray, alcohol foam. In case of small fire use: carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), dry chemical, dry sand or limestone.

**SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES**

Firefighters should wear butyl rubber boots, gloves, and body suit and a self-contained breathing apparatus.

**UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS**

**WARNING -DUST EXPLOSION HAZARD!** Dust from this product is capable of propagating a deflagration. As discussed in NFPA 68 and NFPA 69 standards, mixing any dust that can propagate a deflagration with flammable vapors 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. Process equipment should also be electrically bonded and grounded. Care should be taken to prevent the escape of dust from horizontal surfaces.

May generate toxic or irritating combustion products.

Sudden reaction and fire may result if product is mixed with an oxidizing agent.

May generate carbon monoxide gas. May generate toxic nitrogen oxide gases. May generate ammonia gas.

Personnel in vicinity and downwind should be evacuated.

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## SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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### CONTAINMENT TECHNIQUES (Removal of ignition sources, diking etc)

Stop the leak, if possible. Reduce vapor spreading with a water spray. Shut off or remove all ignition sources.

### CLEAN-UP PROCEDURES

Shovel spilled chemical product into empty, dry container for later disposal or recovery. Place in metal containers for recovery or disposal. Flush area with water spray. Clean-up personnel must be equipped with self contained breathing apparatus and butyl rubber protective clothing. Avoid procedures which cause dusting during clean-up.

### OTHER EMERGENCY ADVICE

Avoid dusting in closed spaces. Dust explosion hazard may exist. Wear protective clothing, boots, gloves, and eye protection.

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## SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

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### STORAGE

Keep away from: acids, oxidizers. Keep in cool, dry, ventilated storage and in closed containers. Do not store in reactive metal containers.

### HANDLING

Avoid dusting conditions. When handling, do not eat, drink, or smoke. Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid contact with skin

### OTHER PRECAUTIONS

Emergency showers and eye wash stations should be readily accessible. Adhere to work practice rules established by government regulations (e.g. OSHA).

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## SECTION 8 - PERSONAL PROTECTION / EXPOSURE CONTROLS

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**EYE PROTECTION**

Chemical safety glasses. Dust resistant safety goggles.

**HAND PROTECTION**

Nitrile rubber gloves. Polyvinyl chloride gloves.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION**

In conditions where dust may be generated, wear a suitable dust mask.

**PROTECTIVE CLOTHING**

No specific recommendation.

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

No specific controls needed.

**WORK AND HYGIENIC PRACTICES**

Provide readily accessible eye wash stations and safety showers. Discard contaminated leather articles.

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**SECTION 9 - TYPICAL PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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PHYSICAL FORM	Crystalline powder
COLOR	Off-White
ODOR	Odorless
pH	No Data
VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg at 21C (70F))	<1.00000
VAPOR DENSITY (Air = 1)	No Data
BOILING POINT	No Data
MELTING POINT	88.00 C (190.40F)
SOLUBILITY IN WATER	Insoluble (<0.1%)
SPECIFIC GRAVITY (Water = 1)	0.95
VISCOSITY (CPS)	60 @ 100C (212.00 F)
MOLECULAR WEIGHT	No Data

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**SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

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**CHEMICAL STABILITY**

Stable

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID (if unstable)**

Not applicable

**INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to Avoid)**

Mineral acids (i.e. sulfuric, phosphoric, etc.). Organic acids (i.e. acetic acid, citric acid etc.). Oxidizing Agents (i.e. perchlorates, nitrates etc.). Sodium or Calcium Hypochlorite. Reaction with peroxides may result in violent decomposition of peroxide possibly creating an explosion.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS (from burning, heating, or reaction with other materials).

Nitrogen oxide can react with water vapors to form corrosive nitric acid (TLV=2 ppm). Carbon Monoxide in a fire. Carbon Dioxide in a fire. Ammonia when heated. Nitrogen Oxides in a fire. Irritating and toxic fumes at elevated temperatures. The oxides of nitrogen gases (except nitrous oxide) emitted on decomposition are highly toxic.

#### HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

Will not occur

CONDITIONS TO AVOID (if polymerization may occur)

Not applicable

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### SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

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#### ACUTE ORAL TOXICITY (LD50, RAT)

>5000.00 mg/kg (No deaths)

#### ACUTE DERMAL TOXICITY (LD50, RABBIT)

>2000.00 mg/kg (No deaths)

#### ACUTE INHALATION TOXICITY (LC50, RAT)

No Data

#### OTHER DATA

AMES TEST: Negative (activated and nonactivated)

#### OTHER ACUTE EFFECTS

No Data

#### IRRITATION EFFECTS DATA

Mild irritant to the eyes of a rabbit. Non-irritant to the skin of a rabbit.

#### CHRONIC/SUBCHRONIC DATA

Subacute oral toxicity (28 day, rat): No effects were observed at 300 ppm (approximately 38 mg/kg/day). At a dose of 1000 ppm (138 mg/kg/day), observed effects include increased liver weight and hypertrophy of the centrilobular hepatocytes. The hypertrophy was not accompanied by any biochemical evidence of liver damage, and is considered to be adaptive. Subacute dietary toxicity (90 days, rat): The NOEL was considered to be 300 ppm (ca. 23-26 mg/kg/day). At a dose of 1600 ppm (129-143 mg/kg/day), observed effects include increased liver, spleen and kidney weights, hypertrophy, and only in females, increased cholesterol and triglyceride levels were observed. There was no evidence of retinotoxicity. Mutagenicity: in vivo/in vitro unscheduled DNA synthesis (UDS) test in rat hepatocytes (liver cells) showed no DNA damage over the tested range of 100 mg/kg to 1000 mg/kg. This product has been tested and shown not to cause

sensitization in guinea pigs.

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**SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**  
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**ECOTOXICITY**

Guppy 96 hour LC0 1 mg/kg Suspension (No deaths)

Daphnia magna 48 hour EC0 100 mg/l Suspension No immobilization was observed.

Algae 72 hour ErC/EbC50 > 7.4 mg/l

**ENVIRONMENTAL FATE**

(Modified Sturm Test): Not rapidly biodegradable (4.7%/28d)

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**SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**  
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**WASTE DISPOSAL**

Comply with all Federal, State and Local Regulations.

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**SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION**  
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DOT NON-BULK SHIPPING NAME	Chemicals, N.O.I. - Not DOT Regulated
DOT BULK SHIPPING NAME	Refer to Bill of Lading.
IMO SHIPPING DATA	Refer to Bill of Lading.
ICAO/IATA SHIPPING DATA	Chemicals, N.O.I. - Not IATA Regulated

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**SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**  
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**US FEDERAL REGULATIONS**

**TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA)-**

All components are included in the EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substance Inventory.

OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29CFR1910.1200) hazard class(es)  
None

EPA SARA Title III Section 312 (40CFR370) hazard class  
None

EPA SARA Title III Section 313 (40CFR372) toxic chemicals above "de minimis" level are  
None

**STATE REGULATIONS**

**PROPOSITION 65 SUBSTANCES** (component(s) known to the State of

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California to cause cancer and/or reproductive toxicity and subject to warning and discharge requirements under the "Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986")

None

NEW JERSEY TRADE SECRET REGISTRY NUMBER(S)

None

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**SECTION 16 - INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS**

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**CANADA**

DSL

Included on Inventory.

WHMIS HAZARD CLASSIFICATION

None

WHMIS TRADE SECRET REGISTRY NUMBER(S)

Not applicable

WHMIS SYMBOLS

None

**EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY (EEC)**

EINECS/ELINCS MASTER INVENTORY

On ELINCS. Importation or manufacture requires notification.

EEC RISK (R) PHRASES

There are no known health hazards.

**AUSTRALIA**

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Not on Inventory.