

CAMEO Chemicals

esigned to assist first responders and emergency planners get key information quickly, CAMEO Chemicals provides response recommendations and hazard predictions for thousands of

Key Program Features

hazardous materials.

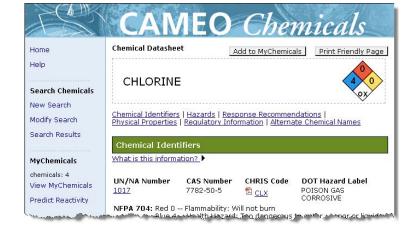
- Extensive Chemical Database: CAMEO
 Chemicals uses a chemical database, which
 contains response recommendations for thousands
 of chemicals. Find a chemical of interest by
 searching on a name, identification number, or other
 search criteria.
- Critical Response Information: Chemical datasheets provide physical properties, health hazards, information about air and water hazards, and recommendations for firefighting, first aid, and spill response. UN/NA datasheets provide response information from the Emergency Response Guidebook and shipping information from the Hazardous Materials Table (49 CFR 172.101).
- Chemical Reactivity: This tool predicts what hazards could arise if chemicals were to mix.
- Online and Desktop Versions: Use CAMEO Chemicals online to get quick, convenient access to all of the response datasheets and the reactivity prediction tool. All of the same functionality is also included in a desktop version that you can download and then run from your computer without an Internet connection.

CAMEO Chemicals was developed by NOAA in partnership with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the U.S. Coast Guard.

Chemical Datasheets with Critical Response Information

Each chemical datasheet contains:

- Chemical identifiers (such as CAS numbers)
- Hazards
- · Response recommendations
- Physical properties
- Regulatory information
- · Alternate chemical names

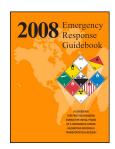


UN/NA Datasheets

Each UN/NA datasheet represents a single UN/NA number, and includes information from two sources:

Emergency Response Guidebook

- Material names
- Response guides
- Initial isolation and protective action distances
- Toxic-by-inhalation gases
- Polymerization hazards





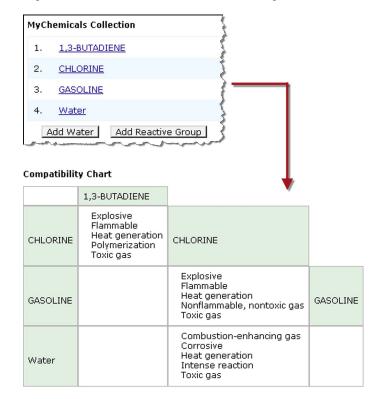
Hazardous Materials Table (49 CFR 172.101)

- · Proper shipping names
- · Hazard classes and divisions
- Placard and label information



Predicting Reactivity Hazards

You can add chemicals to the MyChemicals collection to see what hazards (such as explosions or toxic gases) might occur if the chemicals were mixed together.



The predicted hazards are summarized in the compatibility chart. You can click on any cell in the chart to get more detailed information about the predictions, including potential gas byproducts.

Getting CAMEO Chemicals

CAMEO Chemicals is available in two versions:

- Online Version: The CAMEO Chemicals site is available at http://cameochemicals.noaa.gov.
- Downloadable Version: Alternately, you can download it as a desktop program from http://response.restoration.noaa.gov/cameochemicals.
 Once the program is installed on your Windows or Macintosh computer, you'll be able to run CAMEO Chemicals without an Internet connection.

Note: Only the downloadable version of CAMEO Chemicals can share information with other programs in the CAMEO® software suite.

CAMEO Chemicals Contact Information

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