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MSDS/SDS REQUIREMENTS	Under the *Hazardous Product Act* and *Controlled Products Regulations*, MSDSs for 'controlled products' must include nine categories of information identified by designated headings: 1) Hazardous ingredients 2) Preparation information 3) Product information 4) Physical data 5) Fire or explosion hazard 6) Reactivity data 7) Toxicological properties 8) Preventative measures 9) First aid measures	The information in a safety data sheet (SDS) should be presented using the following 16 headings in the following order: 1) Identification 2) Hazard identification 3) Composition/information on ingredients 4) First aid measures 5) Fire-fighting measures 6) Accidental release measures 7) Handling and storage 8) Exposure controls/personal protection 9) Physical and chemical properties 10) Stability and reactivity 11) Toxicological information 12) Ecological information 13) Disposal considerations 14) Transport information 15) Regulatory information 16) Other information