

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Diethyl oxalate

Product Number : 135364 Brand : Aldrich

Index-No. : 607-147-00-5 CAS-No. : 95-92-1

# 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

# 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.

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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

# GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable liquids (Category 4), H227 Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

Skin corrosion (Category 1B), H314

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Oral (Category 2), Kidney, H373

Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 3), H402

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram





Signal word	Danger
Hazard statement(s)	
H227	Combustible liquid.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H373	May cause damage to organs (Kidney) through prolonged or repeated exposure if swallowed.
H402	Harmful to aquatic life.
Precautionary statement(s)	
P210	Keep away from heat/ sparks/ open flames/ hot surfaces. No smoking.
P260	Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.
P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301 + P312 + P330	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.
P301 + P330 + P331	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
P303 + P361 + P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
P304 + P340 + P310	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.
P305 + P351 + P338 +	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.
P310	Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.
P314	Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P370 + P378	In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.
P403 + P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

# 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

# 3.1 Substances

Component	Classification	Concentration
diethyl oxalate		
	Flam. Liq. 4; Acute Tox. 4;	<= 100 %
	Skin Corr. 1B; Eye Dam.	
	1; STOT RE 2; Aquatic	



Acute 3; H227, H302,	
H314, H318, H373, H402	

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

# 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

#### **General advice**

First aiders need to protect themselves. Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

# If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.

## In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Call a physician immediately.

## In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

## If swallowed

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most), avoid vomiting (risk of perforation). Call a physician immediately. Do not attempt to neutralise.

# 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

# 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

## Suitable extinguishing media

Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO2) Dry powder

# Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides

Combustible.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

## 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.



#### 5.4 Further information

Remove container from danger zone and cool with water. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert. For personal protection see section 8.

# 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

# 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

## 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

# 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

# Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

# **Hygiene measures**

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

For precautions see section 2.2.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

# Storage conditions

Tightly closed. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.

Moisture sensitive.

#### Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1C: Combustible, acute toxic Cat.3 / toxic compounds or compounds which causing chronic effects

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated



## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

## 8.1 Control parameters

# Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

## 8.2 Exposure controls

# **Appropriate engineering controls**

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

# **Personal protective equipment**

# Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Tightly fitting safety goggles

# Skin protection

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Full contact

Material: butyl-rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.7 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Butoject® (KCL 898)

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Internet: www.kcl.de).

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm

Break through time: 10 min

Material tested: Camatril® (KCL 730 / Aldrich Z677442, Size M)

# **Body Protection**

protective clothing

## Respiratory protection

required when vapours/aerosols are generated. Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

# **Control of environmental exposure**

Do not let product enter drains.



# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** Form: liquid

Color: colorless

b) Odor aromatic c) Odor Threshold 0.1 ppm

No data available d) pH

Melting point/range: -41 °C (-42 °F) - lit. e) Melting point/freezing point

Initial boiling point f) and boiling range

185 °C 365 °F - lit.

75 °C (167 °F) - closed cup g) Flash point

No data available h) Evaporation rate No data available Flammability (solid, i) gas)

Upper explosion limit: 2.67 %(V) Upper/lower j) Lower explosion limit: 0.42 %(V) flammability or explosive limits

k) Vapor pressure 1.33 hPa at 47 °C (117 °F) 0.27 hPa at 20 °C(68 °F)

5.04 - (Air = 1.0)I) Vapor density

m) Density 1.076 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F) - lit.

Relative density 1.08 at 20 °C (68 °F) n) Water solubility (slow decomposition)

o) Partition coefficient: log Pow: 0.56 - (Lit.), Bioaccumulation is not expected. n-octanol/water

412 °C (774 °F) at 984 hPa p) Autoignition temperature

q) Decomposition Distillable in an undecomposed state at normal pressure. temperature

No data available r) Viscosity No data available s) Explosive properties

t) Oxidizing properties none

#### 9.2 Other safety information

Surface tension 32.22

Relative vapor 5.04 - (Air = 1.0)

density

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## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

## 10.1 Reactivity

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

A range from approx. 15 Kelvin below the flash point is to be rated as critical.

## 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature).

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

increased reactivity with:

strong oxidising agents

Strong bases

Strong acids

strong reducing agents

nitrates

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Strong heating.

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

various plastics

# 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

# Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Mouse - 2,000 mg/kg

Remarks: Behavioral:Somnolence (general depressed activity).

Behavioral: Antipsychotic.

(RTECS)

Inhalation: No data available

LD50 Dermal - Rat - male and female - > 2,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 402)

## Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - reconstructed human epidermis (RhE)

Result: Causes burns.

(OECD Test Guideline 431)

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Causes serious eye damage.

# Respiratory or skin sensitization

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 429)

# Germ cell mutagenicity

In vitro tests did not show mutagenic effects

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Escherichia coli/Salmonella typhimurium Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test

Test system: Mouse lymphoma test

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

Result: negative

Test Type: Micronucleus test Test system: Human lymphocytes

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 487

Result: negative

# Carcinogenicity

IARC: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is

identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No ingredient 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

on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

# **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

# Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Oral - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. - Kidney

# Aspiration hazard

No data available

#### 11.2 Additional Information

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - 90 Days - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - 63 mg/kg

RTECS: RO2800000

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

After long-term exposure to the chemical:

Systemic effects:

cardiovascular disorders

Headache

Nausea

Reduction of the blood calcium concentration.

Toxic effect on:

Kidney

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.



Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

# 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish semi-static test LC50 - Oryzias latipes - 27 mg/l - 96 h

(OECD Test Guideline 203)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic

EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 15 mg/l - 48 h

and other aquation invertebrates

(OECD Test Guideline 202)

Toxicity to algae static test ErC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata - 22 mg/l - 72 h

(OECD Test Guideline 201)

Toxicity to bacteria static test EC50 - activated sludge - 669 mg/l - 3 h

(OECD Test Guideline 209)

# 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability aerobic - Exposure time 28 d

Result: 67.9 % - Readily biodegradable.

(OECD Test Guideline 301D)

Remarks: The 10 day time window criterion is not fulfilled.

# 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

# 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

## 12.6 Other adverse effects

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

## **Product**

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself. See www.retrologistik.com for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

DOT (US)



UN number: 2525 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Ethyl oxalate

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 2525 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-A, S-A

Proper shipping name: ETHYL OXALATE

**IATA** 

UN number: 2525 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Ethyl oxalate

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

# **SARA 302 Components**

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

# **SARA 313 Components**

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

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

# **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

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

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

## **Further 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 and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.sigma-aldrich.com and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.

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