

# 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 Thioglycolic acid

Product Number : 528056 Brand Aldrich

Index-No. : 607-090-00-6

CAS-No. : 68-11-1

## 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

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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)

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3), H301

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 3), H331

Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 3), H311

Skin corrosion (Category 1B), H314

Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

Skin sensitization (Sub-category 1B), H317

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)

H301 + H311 + H331 Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H402 Harmful to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement(s)

P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P272 Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the

workplace.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face

protection.

P301 + P310 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

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. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

P305 + P351 + P338 + IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue

rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.

P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

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

Vesicant., Stench., Rapidly absorbed through skin.

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

#### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : Mercaptoacetic acid

Component Classification Concentration



2-Thioglycolic acid				
	Acute Tox. 3; Skin Corr.	<= 100 %		
	1B; Eye Dam. 1; Skin			
	Sens. 1B; Aquatic Acute 3;			
	H301, H331, H311, H314,			
	H318, H317, H402			

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#### **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. Immediately call in physician. If breathing stops: immediately apply artificial respiration, if necessary also oxygen.

#### 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

If swallowed: give water to drink (two glasses at most). Seek medical advice immediately. In exceptional cases only, if medical care is not available within one hour, induce vomiting (only in persons who are wide awake and fully conscious), administer activated charcoal (20 - 40 g in a 10% slurry) and consult a doctor as quickly as possible. 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

Sulfur 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

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapors/mists with a water spray jet. 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. 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 safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapours/aerosols.

#### **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.

# Storage stability

Recommended storage temperature 2 - 8 °C

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#### 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

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Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
2-Thioglycolic acid	68-11-1	TWA	1 ppm 4 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
	Remarks	Potential for dermal absorption		
		PEL	1 ppm 3.8 mg/m3	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)
		Skin		
		TWA	1 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		Dermal Sensitization Danger of cutaneous absorption		

## 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: Chloroprene

Minimum layer thickness: 0.65 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested: KCL 720 Camapren®

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Splash contact

Material: Latex gloves

Minimum layer thickness: 0.6 mm Break through time: 120 min

Material tested:Lapren® (KCL 706 / Aldrich Z677558, Size M)

# **Body Protection**

Acid-resistant 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

a) Appearance Form: liquid

Color: colorless

b) Odor Stench.

c) Odor Threshold No data available

d) pH 1.5 at 10 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F)

e) Melting point/range: -16 °C (3 °F) - lit.

point/freezing point

f) Initial boiling point 96 °C 205 °F at 7 hPa - lit.

and boiling range

g) Flash point 130 °C (266 °F) - closed cup

h) Evaporation rate No data availablei) Flammability (solid, No data available

gas)

j) Upper/lower Lower explosion limit: 5.9 %(V)

flammability or explosive limits

k) Vapor pressure 0.5 hPa at 25 °C (77 °F)

I) Vapor density 3.18 - (Air = 1.0)

m) Density 1.326 g/cm3 at 20 °C (68 °F) - lit.

Relative density No data available

n) Water solubility 1,000 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 105 -

completely soluble

o) Partition coefficient: log Pow: -2.99 at 22 °C (72 °F) - Bioaccumulation is not

n-octanol/water expected.

p) Autoignition 315 °C (599 °F) at 1,020 hPa - ASTM E-659

temperature

q) Decomposition No data available

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r) Viscosity 4.69 mm2/s at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 114 -

s) Explosive properties No data available

t) Oxidizing properties none

## 9.2 Other safety information

Relative vapor

3.18 - (Air = 1.0)

density

## **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

Violent reactions possible with:

Organic Substances Strong oxidizing agents

strong alkalis

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Strong heating.

## 10.5 Incompatible materials

various metals

#### 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 - Rat - male and female - > 50 - 200 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 423)

Acute toxicity estimate Inhalation - Expert judgment - 4 h - 3.1 mg/l - vapor

(Expert judgment)

Remarks: Classified according to Regulation (EU) 1272/2008, Annex VI (Table 3.1/3.2)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - male and female - 848 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 402)

No data available

## **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - reconstructed human epidermis (RhE)

Result: Causes burns. - 3 - 60 min

Remarks: (ECHA)

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Causes serious eye damage.

(Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, B.5)

Causes serious eye damage.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse

Result: positive

(OECD Test Guideline 429)

## Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: S. 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 cells

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation Method: Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, B.17

Result: negative

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro

Test system: Human lymphocytes

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Result: negative

Test Type: Micronucleus test

Species: Mouse

Cell type: Bone marrow Application Route: Dermal

Method: OECD Test Guideline 474

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

No data available

## **Aspiration hazard**

No data available



#### 11.2 Additional Information

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - 13 Weeks - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - 20 mg/kg - LOAEL (Lowest observed adverse effect level) - 60 mg/kg

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Dermal - 14 Weeks - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - >= 180 mg/kg - LOAEL (Lowest observed adverse effect level) - 11.25 mg/kg

RTECS: AI5950000

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

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

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

## 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish flow-through test LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - >

100 mg/l - 96 h

(OECD Test Guideline 203)

Toxicity to daphnia

and other aquatic invertebrates

static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 38 mg/l - 48 h

(OECD Test Guideline 202)

Toxicity to algae static test ErC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata - 27 mg/l - 72 h

(OECD Test Guideline 201)

Toxicity to bacteria static test EC50 - activated sludge - 530 mg/l - 3 h

(OECD Test Guideline 209)

Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)

The value is given in analogy to the following substances: Ammonium

thioglycolate

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

## 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 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

#### 12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available



#### **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: 1940 Class: 8 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Thioglycolic acid

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 1940 Class: 8 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-A, S-B

Proper shipping name: THIOGLYCOLIC ACID

**IATA** 

UN number: 1940 Class: 8 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Thioglycolic acid

## **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

Acute 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



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