

1. Identification of the substance/preparation and of the company/undertaking

Identification of the product

Glycerol

Manufacturer/supplier identification

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2. Hazards identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [EU-GHS/CLP]

Skin corrosion / irritation (category 3)

Serious eye damage / eye irritation (Category 2B)

Label elements

Pictogram none

Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H316 Causes mild skin irritation.

H320 Causes eye irritation.

Precautionary statement(s)

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

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

P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Supplemental Hazard Statements

none

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Synonyms

Glycerol

CAS-No.: 56-81-5

M: 92.09 g/mol

Molecular formula: C₃H₈O₃

4. First aid measures

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

5. Fire-fighting measures**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides

Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

6. Accidental release measures**Personal precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

7. Handling and storage**Precautions for safe handling**

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

8. Exposure controls and personal protection**Appropriate engineering controls**

General industrial hygiene practice.

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).

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Body Protection

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Form: viscous liquid

Colour: clear

Odour: odorless

pH value: not available

Melting point: 18 °C

Boiling point: 290 °C

Ignition temperature: not available

Flash point: 160 °C

Autoignition temperature: not available

Explosion limits

lower: 2.7 %(V) at 1013 hPa

upper: 19 %(V) at 1013 hPa

Density : 1.26 g/L

Bulk density: not available

Solubility in

water (20 °C) : soluble in water

diluted acids (20 °C) : not available

Thermal decomposition: not available

10. Stability and reactivity

Chemical stability

no data available

Conditions to avoid

no data available

Materials to avoid

Strong bases, Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - no data available

11. Toxicological information

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - 12.600 mg/kg

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - > 10.000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion or irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: Mild skin irritation - 24 h

Serious eye damage or eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Mild eye irritation - 24 h

Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

no data available

Aspiration hazard

no data available

12. Ecological information

Toxicity

Toxicity to fish

LC50 - Carassius auratus - > 5,000 mg/l

LC50 - Pimephales promelas - 44,000 mg/l

LC50 - Other fish - > 100,100 mg/l

LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss - 67,500 mg/l - 96 h

Persistence and degradability

no data available

Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

Mobility in soil

no data available

13. Disposal considerations

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

14. Transport information

ADR/RID

UN-Number: - Class: - Packing group: -

Proper shipping name: Not dangerous goods

IMDG

UN-Number: - Class: - Packing group: -

Proper shipping name: Not dangerous goods

Marine pollutant: no

IATA

UN-Number: - Class: - Packing group: -

Proper shipping name: Not dangerous goods

15. Regulatory information

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

16. Other information

General update.

Regional representation:

This information is given on the authorised Safety Data Sheet for your country.