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# 1. Product and Company Identification

Company
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## 2. Hazards Identification

### **Emergency overview**

Contains a suspect teratogen. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

State of matter: liquid Colour: brown, clear Odour: of hydrocarbons

## Potential health effects

## Acute toxicity:

Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal disturbances.

## Sensitization:

Skin sensitizing effects were not observed in animal studies. The substance did not cause skin sensitization in humans.

## **Chronic toxicity:**

**Repeated dose toxicity:** The substance may cause damage to the kidney after repeated ingestion of high doses, as shown in animal studies.

Teratogenicity: Contains a suspect teratogen.

# 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

 CAS Number
 Content (W/W)

 107-21-1
 >= 0.1 - <= 1.0 %</td>

 25791-96-2
 >= 1.0 - <= 5.0 %</td>

**Hazardous ingredients** 

ethyleneglycol Poly[oxy(methyl-1,2-ethanediyl)], .alpha.,.alpha.',.alpha.''-1,2,3-propanetriyltris[.omega.-hydroxy-

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### 4. First-Aid Measures

#### General advice:

Remove contaminated clothing.

#### If inhaled:

Remove the affected individual into fresh air and keep the person calm. Assist in breathing if necessary. Immediate medical attention required.

#### If on skin:

Wash affected areas thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.

#### If in eyes:

In case of contact with the eyes, rinse immediately for at least 15 minutes with plenty of water. Immediate medical attention required.

#### If swallowed:

Rinse mouth immediately and then drink plenty of water, induce vomiting, seek medical attention.

## Note to physician

Treatment: Symptomatic treatment (decontamination, vital functions).

# 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash point: > 93.3 °C The product has not been tested. The

statement has been derived from products of

a similar structure and composition.

Autoignition: > 250 °C

Self-ignition temperature: not self-igniting

## Suitable extinguishing media:

water spray, dry powder, carbon dioxide, foam

## Hazards during fire-fighting:

No particular hazards known.

# Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turn-out gear.

# 6. Accidental release measures

# **Environmental precautions:**

Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

## Cleanup:

Sweep/shovel up. Place into suitable containers for reuse or disposal in a licensed facility.

# 7. Handling and Storage

# **Handling**

## Protection against fire and explosion:

No explosion proofing necessary.

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### **Storage**

### General advice:

No special precautions necessary. Avoid extreme heat. Store protected against freezing.

#### Storage stability:

Protect against moisture.

# 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

# Components with workplace control parameters

ethyleneglycol

**ACGIH** CLV 100 mg/m3 aerosol;

(20°C)

### Advice on system design:

Provide local exhaust ventilation to control vapours/mists.

### Personal protective equipment

## Respiratory protection:

Wear a NIOSH-certified (or equivalent) organic vapour/particulate respirator as needed.

#### Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves

### Eye protection:

Tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles). Wear face shield if splashing hazard exists.

## General safety and hygiene measures:

Wash soiled clothing immediately.

# 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: liquid

Odour: of hydrocarbons Odour threshold: No data available. Colour: brown, clear pH value: >= 7

Vapour pressure: < 10 mbar

1.20 g/cm3 Density:

Solubility in water: slightly soluble

# 10. Stability and Reactivity

## Conditions to avoid:

Avoid moisture.

## Hazardous reactions:

The product is chemically stable.

### **Decomposition products:**

Hazardous decomposition products: carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide

## Corrosion to metals:

No corrosive effect on metal.

### Oxidizing properties:

not fire-propagating

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# 11. Toxicological information

## **Acute toxicity**

Information on: Ethylene glycol Assessment of acute toxicity:

Harmful if swallowed. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact.

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## Repeated dose toxicity

Information on: Ethylene glycol Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:

The substance may cause damage to the kidney after repeated ingestion of high doses, as shown in animal

studies.

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# 12. Ecological Information

# 13. Disposal considerations

### Waste disposal of substance:

Incinerate in a licensed facility. Do not discharge substance/product into sewer system.

# 14. Transport Information

## Land transport

TDG

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Sea transport

**IMDG** 

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Air transport IATA/ICAO

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

# 15. Regulatory Information

## **Federal Regulations**

Registration status:

Chemical DSL, CA released; restriction on use / listed

CEPA, Significant New Activity Restriction (SNAc)

For use only in closed loop cooling systems or in foam blowing agents.

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WHMIS classification: D2A: Materials Causing Other Toxic Effects - Very toxic

material

D2B: Materials Causing Other Toxic Effects - Toxic

material



THIS PRODUCT HAS BEEN CLASSIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE HAZARD CRITERIA OF THE CPR AND THE MSDS CONTAINS ALL THE INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE CPR.

# 16. Other Information

We support worldwide Responsible Care® initiatives. We value the health and safety of our employees, customers, suppliers and neighbors, and the protection of the environment. Our commitment to Responsible Care is integral to conducting our business and operating our facilities in a safe and environmentally responsible fashion, supporting our customers and suppliers in ensuring the safe and environmentally sound handling of our products, and minimizing the impact of our operations on society and the environment during production, storage, transport, use and disposal of our products.

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