

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION:

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2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION:

Classification of the substance or mixture

The substance is not classified according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC

Not applicable.

Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:

Not applicable.

Label elements

GHS label elements

Not Applicable

Hazard pictograms

Not Applicable

Signal word


Not Applicable

Hazard statements

Not Applicable

Classification system:

NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)

 Health = 0
Fire = 1
Reactivity = 0

HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)



Health = 0

Fire = 2

Reactivity = 0

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT:

Not applicable.

vPvB:

Not applicable.

3. COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS:

Chemical characterization: Substances

CAS No. Description

108-29-2 gamma-valerolactone

Identification number(s)

EC number:

203-569-5

4. FIRST-AID GUIDE:

Description of first aid measures

General information:

No special measures required.

After inhalation:

Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

After skin contact:

Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

After eye contact:

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

After swallowing:

If symptoms persist consult doctor.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No further relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No further relevant information available.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING GUIDE:

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents:

CO2 or extinguishing powder. Fight larger fires with alcohol resistant foam.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No further relevant information available.

Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment:

No special measures required.

Additional information

Cool endangered receptacles with water spray.

Collect contaminated firefighting water separately. It must not enter the sewage system.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE GUIDE:

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Not required.

Environmental precautions:

Dilute with plenty of water.

Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE:

Precautions for safe handling

No special measures required.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

No special measures required.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage:

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:

No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Not required.

Further information about storage conditions:

None.

Specific end use(s)

No further relevant information available.

8. EXPOSURE AND PERSONAL PROTECTION:

Additional information about design of technical systems:

No further data; see item 7.

Control parameters

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

Not required.

Additional information:

The lists that were valid during the creation were used as a basis.

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment:

General protective and hygienic measures:

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

Breathing equipment:

Not required.

Protection of hands:

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material should be based on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

Material of gloves

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Penetration time of glove material

The exact break through time has to be determined by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Eye protection:

Goggles recommended during refilling.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information	
Appearance:	
Form:	Liquid
Color:	Colorless to pale yellow
Odor:	Herbaceous
Odour threshold:	Not determined.
pH-value:	Not determined.
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	-31 °C (-24 °F)
Boiling point/Boiling range:	206 °C (403 °F)
Flash point:	96 °C (205 °F)
Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not applicable.
Ignition temperature:	
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
Auto igniting:	Not determined.
Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
Vapor pressure:	Not determined.
Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	1.054 g/cm ³ (8.796 lbs/gal)
Relative density	Not determined.
Vapour density	Not determined.
Evaporation rate	Not determined.
Solubility in / Miscibility with	
Water:	Fully miscible.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
Organic solvents:	0.0 %
Other information	No further relevant information available.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY:

Reactivity

Chemical stability

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

No decomposition if used according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known.

Conditions to avoid

No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials:

No further relevant information available.

Hazardous decomposition products:

No dangerous decomposition products known.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

108-29-2 gamma-valerolactone

Oral	LD50	8800 mg/kg (rat)
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Primary irritant effect:

On the skin:

No irritant effect.

On the eye:

No irritating effect.

Sensitization:

No sensitizing effects known.

Additional toxicological information:

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects according to our experience and the information provided to us.

The substance is not subject to classification.

Carcinogenic categories

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Substance is not listed.

NTP (National Toxicology Program)

Substance is not listed.

OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)

Substance is not listed.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity:

No further relevant information available.

Persistence and degradability

No further relevant information available.

Bioaccumulative potential

No further relevant information available.

Mobility in soil

No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information:**General notes:**

Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): hazardous for water

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**PBT:**

Not applicable.

vPvB:

Not applicable.

Other adverse effects

No further relevant information available.

13. DISPOSAL RECOMMENDATIONS:**Waste treatment methods****Recommendation:**

Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste.

Un cleaned packaging:**Recommendation:**

Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Recommended cleansing agent:

Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION:

UN-Number DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Not Regulated
UN proper shipping name DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Not Regulated

Transport hazard class(es) DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Class	Not Regulated
Packing group DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Not Regulated
Environmental hazards: Marine pollutant:	No
Special precautions for user	Not applicable.
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
Transport/Additional information:	Not dangerous according to the above specifications.
UN "Model Regulation":	-

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION:

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

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Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):

Substance is not listed.

Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

Substance is not listed.

TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):

Substance is listed.

Proposition 65

Chemicals known to cause cancer:

Substance is not listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

Substance is not listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

Substance is not listed.

Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

Substance is not listed.

Carcinogenic categories

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Substance is not listed.

TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)

Substance is not listed.

NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

Substance is not listed.

GHS label elements

Not Applicable

Hazard pictograms

Not Applicable

Signal word

Not Applicable

Hazard statements

Not Applicable

Chemical safety assessment:

A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16. OTHER INFORMATION:

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