

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

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name **Methacrylic acid**

Stock number: A11543

CAS Number:

79-41-4

EC number:

201-204-4

Index number:

607-088-00-5

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against. No further relevant information available.

Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:

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1.4 Emergency telephone number:

Carechem 24: +44 (0) 1235 239 670 (Multi-language emergency number)

Poison Information Center Mainz

www.giftinfo.uni-mainz.de Telephone: +49(0)6131/19240

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



GHS06 skull and crossbones

Acute Tox. 3 H311 Toxic in contact with skin.



GHS05 corrosion

Skin Corr. 1A H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Acute Tox. 4 H332 Harmful if inhaled.

STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Other hazards that do not result in classification No information known.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 The substance is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

Hazard pictograms



GHS05 GHS06

Signal word Danger

Hazard statements

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H311 Toxic in contact with skin.

H332 Harmful if inhaled.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statements

P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

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

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

P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

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

P361 Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

2.3 Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

CAS# Designation:

79-41-4 Methacrylic acid

Concentration: ≤100%

Identification number(s):

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Impurities and stabilising additives:

Stabilised with:

4-Methoxyphenol (CAS# 150-76-5)

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General information Instantly remove any clothing soiled by the product.

After inhalation

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.
Seek immediate medical advice.

After skin contact

Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult doctor.

After swallowing Seek medical treatment.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Causes severe skin burns.

Harmful if swallowed.

Toxic in contact with skin.

Harmful if inhaled.

May cause respiratory irritation.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents CO₂, extinguishing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet or alcohol-resistant foam.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Danger of containers bursting upon heating.

If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear full protective suit.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

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

Use neutralizing agent.

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Prevention of secondary hazards: Keep away from ignition sources.

6.4 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 information on disposal.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Keep containers tightly sealed.

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Store in the dark.

Protect from heat.

Store away from water.

Store away from strong bases.

Store away from oxidising agents.

Store away from amines.

Further information about storage conditions:

This product is moisture sensitive.

Freezing temperatures should be avoided as inhibitor separates from the product.

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

Protect from humidity and keep away from water.

Protect from the effects of light.

Store in a locked cabinet or with access restricted to technical experts or their assistants.

Store under dry air. Do not store under inert gas.

Maximum storage temperature: 25°C (77°F)

Minimum storage temperature: 18°C (65°F)

7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

8.1 Control parameters

Components with critical values that require monitoring at the workplace:

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MAK (Germany) Long-term value: 18 mg/m³, 5 ppm

REL (USA) Long-term value: 70 mg/m³, 20 ppm

TLV (USA) Skin

Long-term value: 70 mg/m³, 20 ppm

Additional information: No data

8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to in handling the chemicals.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.

Instantly remove any soiled and impregnated garments.

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

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Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.
Breathing equipment: Use breathing protection with high concentrations.
Recommended filter device for short term use:
 Use a respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) as a backup to engineering controls. Risk assessment should be performed to determine if air-purifying respirators are appropriate. Only use equipment tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (USA) or CEN (EU).
Protection of hands:
 Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.
 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.
Material of gloves Butyl rubber, BR
Penetration time of glove material (in minutes) 480
Glove thickness 0.3 mm
Eye protection:
 Tightly sealed safety glasses.
 Full face protection
Body protection: Protective work clothing.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form: Liquid
Odour: Acrid
Odour threshold: Not determined.

pH-value (100 g/l) at 20 °C: 2,0-2,2

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: 16 °C
Boiling point/Boiling range: 163 °C
Sublimation temperature / start: Not determined

Flash point: 65 °C
Inflammability (solid, gaseous) Not applicable.
Ignition temperature: Not determined
Decomposition temperature: Not determined
Self-inflammability: Not determined.

Danger of explosion: Not determined.

Critical values for explosion:

Lower: 1,6 Vol %
Upper: 8,7 Vol %
Steam pressure at 20 °C: 0,87 hPa
Density at 20 °C 1,015 g/cm³
Relative density Not determined.
Vapour density Not determined.
Evaporation rate Not determined.

Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water at 20 °C: 97 g/l

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.

Viscosity:

dynamic: Not determined.

kinematic: Not determined.

9.2 Other information No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity No information known.

10.2 Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts with strong oxidising agents

Danger of polymerisation

10.4 Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

10.5 Incompatible materials:

Oxidising agents

Bases

Water/moisture

Amines

Heat

Light

Ultraviolet radiation

Free radical initiators

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Additional information:

Avoid loss of stabilizer.

Unless inhibited, the product can polymerize resulting in a temperature and pressure increase that may rupture the container.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

Harmful if inhaled.

Harmful if swallowed.

Toxic in contact with skin.

Danger by skin resorption.

Swallowing will lead to a strong caustic effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach.

The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains acute toxicity data for this substance.

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

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| Oral | LD50 | 1250 mg/kg (mouse) |
| | | 1060 mg/kg (rat) |
| | | 1200 mg/kg (rabbit) |

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| Dermal | LD50 | 1 gm/kg (guinea pig) |
| | | 500 mg/kg (rabbit) |

Skin irritation or corrosion: Causes severe skin burns.

Eye irritation or corrosion: Causes serious eye damage.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effect known.

Germ cell mutagenicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains mutation data for this substance.

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Carcinogenicity:

This product contains a substance or substances listed as a carcinogen by one or more of the following agencies; IARC, NTP, OSHA, ACGIH and EPA. Since this product contains <0.1% of the substance/substances, the cancer warning has been omitted.

Reproductive toxicity: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: May cause respiratory irritation.

Aspiration hazard: No effects known.

Subacute to chronic toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains multiple dose toxicity data for this substance.

Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

12.2 Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.

12.4 Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information:

General notes:

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Water hazard class 1 (Assessment by list): slightly hazardous for water.

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

Avoid transfer into the environment.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

12.6 Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Recommendation

Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste.

Must be specially treated under adherence to official regulations.

Consult state, local or national regulations for proper disposal.

Uncleaned packagings:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

UN-Number

ADR, IMDG, IATA

UN2531

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR

IMDG, IATA

2531 METHACRYLIC ACID, STABILIZED
METHACRYLIC ACID, STABILIZED

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR



Class

Label

IMDG, IATA

8 (C3) Corrosive substances.
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Class

Label

8 Corrosive substances.
8

Packing group

ADR, IMDG, IATA

II

14.5 Environmental hazards:

Not applicable.

14.6 Special precautions for user

Kemler Number:

EMS Number:

Segregation groups

Warning: Corrosive substances.
89
F-A,S-B
Acids

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC

Code

Not applicable.

Transport/Additional information:

ADR

Excepted quantities (EQ):

Limited quantities (LQ)

Transport category

Tunnel restriction code

E2
1L
2
E

UN "Model Regulation":

UN2531, METHACRYLIC ACID, STABILIZED, 8, II

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances Substance is listed.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons Substance is not listed.

National regulations

Information about limitation of use:

Employment restrictions concerning young persons must be observed.

For use only by technically qualified individuals.

Classification according to VbF: A III

Water hazard class: Water hazard class 1 (Assessment by list): slightly hazardous for water.

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations

ELINCS (European List of Notified Chemical Substances) Substance is not listed.

Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.

The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed.

Substance is not listed.

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Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.
15.2 Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

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SECTION 16: Other information

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

Department issuing SDS: Global Marketing Department

Abbreviations and acronyms:

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization
ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
VbF: Verordnung über brennbare Flüssigkeiten, Österreich (Ordinance on the storage of combustible liquids, Austria)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)
NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)
Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 4
Acute Tox. 3: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 3
Skin Corr. 1A: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 1A
STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure, Hazard Category 3

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