

**Sulfolane W**

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

Product Name : Sulfolane W
Material : 1120162, 1099779, 1100043, 1024627, 1024628, 1024629,
1024630, 1024631, 1024632, 1024633

Use : Solvent

Company : Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LP
Specialty Chemicals
10001 Six Pines Drive
The Woodlands, TX 77380

Emergency telephone:**Health:**

866.442.9628 (North America)

1.832.813.4984 (International)

Transport:

CHEMTREC 800.424.9300 or 703.527.3887(int'l)

Asia: CHEMWATCH (+612 9186 1132) China: 0532 8388 9090

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South America SOS-Cotec Inside Brazil: 0800.111.767 Outside Brazil: +55.19.3467.1600

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Responsible Department : Product Safety and Toxicology Group
E-mail address : SDS@CPChem.com
Website : www.CPChem.com

SECTION 2: Hazards identification**Classification of the substance or mixture**

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard communication standard 29 CFR 1910.1200; the SDS and labels contain all the information as required by the standard.

Classification


: Reproductive toxicity, Category 1B

Labeling

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Symbol(s) : 

Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : H360: May damage fertility or the unborn child.

Precautionary Statements : **Prevention:**
 P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
 P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
 P281 Use personal protective equipment as required.
Response:
 P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
Storage:
 P405 Store locked up.
Disposal:
 P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

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.

ACGIH

No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Synonyms : tetramethylene Sulfone
 Sulfolane W
 Sulfolane w/Water
 Tetrahydrothiophene 1,1-dioxide

Molecular formula : C₄H₈SO₂

Component	CAS-No.	Weight %
Sulfolane	126-33-0	96.5

SECTION 4: First aid measures

General advice : Move out of dangerous area. Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Do not leave the victim unattended.

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| If inhaled | : | If unconscious, place in recovery position and seek medical advice. If symptoms persist, call a physician. |
| In case of eye contact | : | Flush eyes with water as a precaution. Remove contact lenses. Protect unharmed eye. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist. |
| If swallowed | : | Induce vomiting immediately and call a physician. Keep respiratory tract clear. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If symptoms persist, call a physician. |

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

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| Flash point | : | 166 °C (331 °F)
Method: Cleveland Open Cup |
| Autoignition temperature | : | No data available |
| Unsuitable extinguishing media | : | High volume water jet. |
| Special protective equipment for fire-fighters | : | Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary. |
| Further information | : | Standard procedure for chemical fires. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. |
| Fire and explosion protection | : | Normal measures for preventive fire protection. |
| Hazardous decomposition products | : | Carbon oxides. Sulfur oxides. |

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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| Environmental precautions | : | Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities. |
| Methods for cleaning up | : | Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. |

SECTION 7: Handling and storage**Handling**

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| Advice on safe handling | : | Do not breathe vapors/dust. For personal protection see section 8. Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area. Dispose of rinse water in accordance with local and national regulations. |
| Advice on protection | : | Normal measures for preventive fire protection. |

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against fire and explosion

Storage

Requirements for storage : Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.
 areas and containers : Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the technological safety standards.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**Ingredients with workplace control parameters****Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LP**

Ingredients	Basis	Value	Control parameters	Note
Sulfolane	Manufacturer	TWA	0.37 ppm,	

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Ingredients	Basis	Value	Control parameters	Note
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Engineering measures

Adequate ventilation to control airborne concentrations below the exposure guidelines/limits. Consider the potential hazards of this material (see Section 2), applicable exposure limits, job activities, and other substances in the work place when designing engineering controls and selecting personal protective equipment. If engineering controls or work practices are not adequate to prevent exposure to harmful levels of this material, the personal protective equipment listed below is recommended. The user should read and understand all instructions and limitations supplied with the equipment since protection is usually provided for a limited time or under certain circumstances.

Personal protective equipment

Hand protection : The suitability for a specific workplace should be discussed with the producers of the protective gloves. Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. Also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion, and the contact time. Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough.

Eye protection : Eye wash bottle with pure water. Tightly fitting safety goggles.

Skin and body protection : Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place. Wear as appropriate: Protective suit. Safety shoes.

Hygiene measures : When using do not eat or drink. When using do not smoke. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**Information on basic physical and chemical properties****Appearance**

Form : Liquid
 Physical state : Liquid
 Color : clear
 Odor : Slight ammonium like

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Safety data

Flash point	: 166 °C (331 °F) Method: Cleveland Open Cup
Lower explosion limit	: No data available
Upper explosion limit	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: no
Autoignition temperature	: No data available
Molecular formula	: C ₄ H ₈ SO ₂
Molecular weight	: 120.18 g/mol
pH	: Not applicable
Freezing point	: 5.5 - 10 °C (41.9 - 50 °F)
Pour point	No data available
Boiling point/boiling range	: 100 - 286 °C (212 - 547 °F)
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative density	: 1.26 at 30 °C (86 °F)
Water solubility	: Partly soluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Relative vapor density	: 1 (Air = 1.0)
Evaporation rate	: 1
Percent volatile	: > 99 %

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Chemical stability	: This material is considered stable under normal ambient and anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature and pressure.
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Possibility of hazardous reactions

Conditions to avoid	: No data available.
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- Materials to avoid : May react with oxygen and strong oxidizing agents, such as chlorates, nitrates, peroxides, etc.
- Hazardous decomposition products : Carbon oxides
Sulfur oxides
- Other data : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information**Sulfolane W**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50: 2,143 mg/kg
Method: Acute toxicity estimate

Acute inhalation toxicity

Sulfolane : LC50: > 12000 mg/m³ Exposure time: 4 h
Species: Rat
Sex: male and female
Test atmosphere: vapor
An LC50/inhalation/4h/rat could not be determined because no mortality of rats was observed at the maximum achievable concentration.

Acute dermal toxicity

Sulfolane : LD50: >2000 mgKg
Species: Rat
Method: Directive 67/548/EEC, Annex V, B.3.

Skin irritation

Sulfolane : No skin irritation

Eye irritation

Sulfolane : No eye irritation

Sensitization

Sulfolane : Did not cause sensitization on laboratory animals.

Repeated dose toxicity

Sulfolane : Species: Rat
Application Route: Oral
Dose: 60, 200, 700 mg/kg bw/day
Exposure time: 28 days
Number of exposures: Daily
NOEL: 200 mg/kg bw/day
Lowest observable effect level: 700 mg/kg bw/day

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Species: Rat
Application Route: Inhalation
Dose: 2.8, 4.0, 20 mg/m³
Exposure time: 90-110 days
Number of exposures: 23 hrs/d, 7d/wk
NOEL: 20 mg/m³

Reproductive toxicity

Sulfolane : Species: Rat
Sex: female
Application Route: oral gavage
Dose: 60, 200, 700 mg/kg
Number of exposures: Daily
Test period: 2 wk pre mating to lactation D4
Method: OECD Guideline 421
NOAEL Parent: 200 mg/kg bw/day
NOAEL F1: 60 mg/kg bw/day
Decrease birth index and number of pups

Developmental Toxicity

Sulfolane : Species: Rat
Application Route: oral gavage
Dose: 60, 200, 700 mg/kg
Number of exposures: Daily
Test period: 2 wk pre mating to lactation D4
NOAEL Teratogenicity: 60 mg/kg bw/day
NOAEL Maternal: 200 mg/kg bw/day

Species: Rat
Application Route: oral gavage
Dose: 100, 200, 500 mg/kg/day
Number of exposures: Daily
Test period: GD 1 - 19
NOAEL Teratogenicity: 200 mg/kg
NOAEL Maternal: 100 mg/kg
May damage the unborn child.

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Aspiration toxicity : No aspiration toxicity classification.

CMR effects

Sulfolane : Carcinogenicity: Not available
Mutagenicity: Did not show mutagenic effects in animal experiments.
Teratogenicity: Clear evidence of adverse effects on sexual function and fertility, and/or on development, based on animal experiments
Reproductive toxicity: No toxicity to reproduction

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Further information : No data available.

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SECTION 12: Ecological information**Toxicity to fish**

Sulfolane : LC50: > 100 mg/l
Exposure time: 96 h
Species: *Oryzias latipes* (Orange-red killifish)
static test Method: OECD Test Guideline 203

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

Sulfolane : EC50: 852 mg/l
Exposure time: 48 h
Species: *Daphnia magna* (Water flea)
static test Method: OECD Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae

Sulfolane : EC50: 500 mg/l
Exposure time: 72 h
Species: *Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata* (green algae)
Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

NOEC: 171 mg/l
Exposure time: 72 h
Species: *Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata* (green algae)
Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

Bioaccumulation

Sulfolane : Bioconcentration factor (BCF): < 1.3
This material is not expected to bioaccumulate.

Biodegradability

Sulfolane : Result: Not readily biodegradable.
10.1 %
Testing period: 14 d
Method: OECD Test Guideline 301C

Ecotoxicology Assessment

Results of PBT assessment
Sulfolane : Non-classified vPvB substance, Non-classified PBT substance

Additional ecological information : This material is not expected to be harmful to aquatic organisms.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

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Use material for its intended purpose or recycle if possible. This material, if it must be discarded, may meet the criteria of a hazardous waste as defined by US EPA under RCRA (40 CFR 261) or other State and local regulations. Measurement of certain physical properties and analysis for regulated components may be necessary to make a correct determination. If this material is classified as a hazardous waste, federal law requires disposal at a licensed hazardous waste disposal facility.

Product : Do not dispose of waste into sewer. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Send to a licensed waste management company.

Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents. Dispose of as unused product. Do not re-use empty containers.

SECTION 14: Transport information

The shipping descriptions shown here are for bulk shipments only, and may not apply to shipments in non-bulk packages (see regulatory definition).

Consult the appropriate domestic or international mode-specific and quantity-specific Dangerous Goods Regulations for additional shipping description requirements (e.g., technical name or names, etc.) Therefore, the information shown here, may not always agree with the bill of lading shipping description for the material. Flashpoints for the material may vary slightly between the SDS and the bill of lading.

US DOT (UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION)

NOT REGULATED AS A HAZARDOUS MATERIAL OR DANGEROUS GOODS FOR TRANSPORTATION BY THIS AGENCY.

IMO / IMDG (INTERNATIONAL MARITIME DANGEROUS GOODS)

NOT REGULATED AS A HAZARDOUS MATERIAL OR DANGEROUS GOODS FOR TRANSPORTATION BY THIS AGENCY.

IATA (INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION)

NOT REGULATED AS A HAZARDOUS MATERIAL OR DANGEROUS GOODS FOR TRANSPORTATION BY THIS AGENCY.

ADR (AGREEMENT ON DANGEROUS GOODS BY ROAD (EUROPE))

NOT REGULATED AS A HAZARDOUS MATERIAL OR DANGEROUS GOODS FOR TRANSPORTATION BY THIS AGENCY.

RID (REGULATIONS CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS (EUROPE))

NOT REGULATED AS A HAZARDOUS MATERIAL OR DANGEROUS GOODS FOR TRANSPORTATION BY THIS AGENCY.

ADN (EUROPEAN AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY INLAND WATERWAYS)

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Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****National legislation****SARA 311/312 Hazards** : Reproductive toxicity**CERCLA Reportable Quantity** : This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.**SARA 302 Reportable Quantity** : This material does not contain any components with a SARA 302 RQ.**SARA 302 Threshold Planning Quantity** : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.**SARA 304 Reportable Quantity** : This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.**SARA 313 Ingredients** : 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.**Clean Air Act****Ozone-Depletion Potential** : This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

The following chemical(s) are listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCM I Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489):

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Pennsylvania Right To Know

: Sulfolane - 126-33-0
 Water - 7732-18-5

New Jersey Right To Know

: Sulfolane - 126-33-0
 Water - 7732-18-5

**California Prop. 65
Ingredients**

: This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

Notification status**Europe REACH**

: This mixture contains only ingredients which have been registered according to Regulation (EU) No. 1907/2006 (REACH).

**United States of America (USA)
TSCA**

: On TSCA Inventory

Canada DSL

: All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

Australia AICS

: On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

New Zealand NZIoC

: On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Japan ENCS

: On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Korea KECI

: On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Philippines PICCS

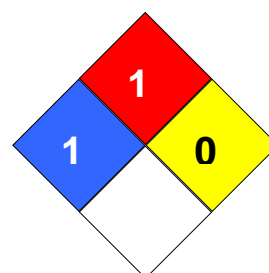
: On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

China IECSC

: On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

SECTION 16: Other information**NFPA Classification**

: Health Hazard: 1
 Fire Hazard: 1
 Reactivity Hazard: 0

**Further information**

Legacy SDS Number : 2073

Significant changes since the last version are highlighted in the margin. This version replaces all previous versions.

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The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is

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not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet			
ACGIH	American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists	LD50	Lethal Dose 50%
AICS	Australia, Inventory of Chemical Substances	LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
DSL	Canada, Domestic Substances List	NFPA	National Fire Protection Agency
NDSL	Canada, Non-Domestic Substances List	NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety & Health
CNS	Central Nervous System	NTP	National Toxicology Program
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service	NZIoC	New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals
EC50	Effective Concentration	NOAEL	No Observable Adverse Effect Level
EC50	Effective Concentration 50%	NOEC	No Observed Effect Concentration
EGEST	EOSCA Generic Exposure Scenario Tool	OSHA	Occupational Safety & Health Administration
EOSCA	European Oilfield Specialty Chemicals Association	PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
EINECS	European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances	PICCS	Philippines Inventory of Commercial Chemical Substances
MAK	Germany Maximum Concentration Values	PRNT	Presumed Not Toxic
GHS	Globally Harmonized System	RCRA	Resource Conservation Recovery Act
>=	Greater Than or Equal To	STEL	Short-term Exposure Limit
IC50	Inhibition Concentration 50%	SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act.
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	TLV	Threshold Limit Value
IECSC	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China	TWA	Time Weighted Average
ENCS	Japan, Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances	TSCA	Toxic Substance Control Act
KECI	Korea, Existing Chemical Inventory	UVCB	Unknown or Variable Composition, Complex Reaction Products, and Biological Materials
<=	Less Than or Equal To	WHMIS	Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System
LC50	Lethal Concentration 50%		