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According to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, Regulation (EC) No. 2020/878

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

#### 1.1 Product identifier

#### **Product information**

Product Name : Sulfolane - A Anhydrous

Material : 1126072, 1125132, 1122438, 1115722, 1114955, 1100709,

1098522, 1093880, 1024635, 1024637, 1024641, 1024640, 1024644, 1024636, 1024639, 1024638, 1032498, 1024634

#### **EC-No.Registration number**

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Legal Entity
	EC-No.	Registration number
	Index No.	
Sulfolane	126-33-0	Chevron Phillips Chemicals International NV
	204-783-1	01-2119565139-32-0000
	016-031-00-8	
Sulfolane	126-33-0	Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LP
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#### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant Identified Uses

Use as an aromatics extraction solvent - industrial

Supported

Use in acid gas purification – industrial

Formulation

Use as a cleaning agent - industrial

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#### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LP

Specialty Chemicals 10001 Six Pines Drive The Woodlands, TX 77380

Local : Chevron Phillips Chemicals International N.V.

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Leonardo Da Vincilaan 19

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Spain: National Emergency Telephone Number of Spanish Poison Centre: +34 91 562 04 20 (24

hours/day, 7 days/week)

Sweden: 112 – ask for Poisons Information

Responsible Department : Product Safety and Toxicology Group

E-mail address : SDS@CPChem.com Website : www.CPChem.com

#### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1

# Classification of the substance or mixture REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity, Category 4 H302:

Harmful if swallowed.

Reproductive toxicity, Category 1B H360FD:

May damage fertility. May damage the unborn

child.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated H373:

exposure, Category 2 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or

repeated exposure.

#### 2.2

#### Labeling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Hazard pictograms :





Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H360FD May damage fertility. May damage the

unborn child.

H373 May cause damage to organs through

prolonged or repeated exposure.

Precautionary Statements : Prevention:

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/

vapors/ spray.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/

eye protection/ face protection/ hearing

protection.

Response:

P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical

advice/ attention.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an

approved waste disposal plant.

Hazardous ingredients which must be listed on the label:

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The following percentage of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) with unknown acute toxicity: 1 % The following percentage of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) with unknown hazards to the aquatic environment: 1 %

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Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

: This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Endocrine disrupting

properties

: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at

levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### 3.1 - 3.2

#### **Substance or Mixture**

Synonyms : Tetramethylene Sulfone

Sulfolane Anhydrous

Tetrahydrothiophene 1,1-dioxide

Molecular formula : C4H8SO2

#### **Hazardous ingredients**

Chemical name	CAS-No. EC-No. Index No.	Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)	Concentration [wt%]	Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATEs
Sulfolane	126-33-0 204-783-1 016-031-00-8	Acute Tox. 4; H302 Repr. 1B; H360FD STOT RE 2; H373	99 - 100	

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1

#### **Description of first-aid measures**

General advice : Move out of dangerous area. Show this material safety data

sheet to the doctor in attendance.

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

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respiratory tract clear. Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If symptoms persist, call a physician. Take victim immediately to

hospital.

# 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed Notes to physician

Symptoms : No data available.

Risks : No data available.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment : No data available.

### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

Flash point : 166°C (331°F)

Method: closed cup

Autoignition temperature : No data available

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#### **Extinguishing media**

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: High volume water jet.

5.3

Advice for firefighters

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**

#### 6.1

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions : Use personal protective equipment.

6.2

#### **Environmental precautions**

Environmental precautions : Prevent product from entering drains. Prevent further leakage

or spillage if safe to do so. If the product contaminates rivers

and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.

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#### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

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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.

6.4

Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections : For personal protection see section 8. For disposal

considerations see section 13.

#### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

7.1

# Precautions for safe handling Handling

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 against fire and explosion

: Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

7.2

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### **Storage**

Requirements for storage areas and containers

: Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Observe label precautions. Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the technological safety standards.

7.3

**Specific End Use** 

Use : For additional details, see the Exposure Scenario in the Annex

portion

#### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1

# Control parameters

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Components	Basis	Value	Control parameters	Note
Sulfolane	Manufacturer	TWA	0,37 ppm,	

DNEL : End Use: Workers

Routes of exposure: Dermal

Potential health effects: Long-term systemic effects

Value: 0,2 mg/kg

DNEL : End Use: Workers

Routes of exposure: Inhalation

Potential health effects: Long-term systemic effects

Value: 2,16 mg/m3

DNEL : End Use: Consumers

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Routes of exposure: Dermal

Potential health effects: Long-term systemic effects

Value: 0,015 mg/kg

DNEL : End Use: Consumers

Routes of exposure: Inhalation

Potential health effects: Long-term systemic effects

Value: 0,3 mg/m3

PNEC : Fresh water

Value: 0,1 mg/l

PNEC : Marine water

Value: 0,01 mg/l

PNEC : Fresh water sediment

Value: 0,39 mg/kg

PNEC : Marine sediment

Value: 0,039 mg/kg

PNEC : Soil

Value: 0,02 mg/kg

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# Exposure controls Engineering measures

Adequate ventilation to control airborned 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

Respiratory protection : If ventilation or other engineering controls are not adequate to

maintain minimal oxygen content of 19.5% by volume under normal atmospheric pressure, a supplied-air NIOSH approved respirator may be appropriate. If exposure to harmful levels of airborne material may occur, a NIOSH approved respirator that provides protection may be appropriate, such as:. A positive pressure, air-supplying respirator may be appropriate if there is potential for uncontrolled release, aerosolization, exposure levels are not known, or other circumstances where air-purifying respirators may not provide adequate protection.

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.

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

Skin and body protection : Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the

concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific 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**

#### 9.1

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### **Appearance**

Form : liquid
Physical state : liquid
Color : Clear
Odor : Mild

Safety data

Flash point : 166°C (331°F)

Method: closed cup

Lower explosion limit : No data available

Upper explosion limit : No data available

Oxidizing properties : No

Autoignition temperature : No data available

Molecular formula : C4H8SO2

Molecular weight : 120,18 g/mol

pH : Not applicable

Freezing point : 26°C (79°F)

Pour point No data available

Boiling point/boiling range : 282-288°C (540-550°F)

Vapor pressure : 1,14 MMHG

at 37,8°C (100,0°F)

Relative density : 1,26

at 30 °C (86 °F)

Density : 1,26 G/ML

Water solubility : Miscible

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Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: log Pow: 0 at 20°C (68°F)

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Relative vapor density : 3

(Air = 1.0)

Evaporation rate : 1

Percent volatile : > 99 %

9.2

Other information

Conductivity : No data available

#### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

10.1

**Reactivity** : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.2

**Chemical stability** : This material is considered stable under normal ambient and

anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature

and pressure.

10.3

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions : Hazardous polymerization does not

occur.

10.4

**Conditions to avoid** : No data available.

10.5

Materials to avoid : May react with oxygen and strong oxidizing agents, such as

chlorates, nitrates, peroxides, etc.

10.6

**Hazardous decomposition** 

products

: Carbon oxides Sulfur oxides

Other data : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

#### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

11.1

Information on toxicological effects

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Acute oral toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate: 505,05 mg/kg

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Method: Calculation method

Acute inhalation toxicity

Sulfolane : LC50: > 12000 mg/m3Exposure 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: > 2.000 mg/kg

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, male

Sex: male

Application Route: oral gavage Dose: 60, 200, 700 mg/kg bw/day

Exposure time: 28 d Number of exposures: daily

NOEL: 60 mg/kg Target Organs: Kidney

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Species: Rat, female

Sex: female

Application Route: oral gavage Dose: 60, 200, 700 mg/kg bw/day

Exposure time: 28 d Number of exposures: Daily

NOEL: 200 mg/kg

Lowest observable effect level: 700 mg/kg

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

Species: Guinea pig

Application Route: Inhalation Dose: 4.0, 20, 159, 200 mg/m3 Exposure time: 90-110 days

Number of exposures: 23 hrs/d, 7 d/wk

NOEL: 159 mg/m3

Target Organs: Lungs, Blood, Liver

Species: Rat, male

Sex: male

Application Route: oral (drinking water) Dose: 2.1, 8.8, 35, 131.7 mg/kg/d

Exposure time: 13 wk Number of exposures: Daily

NOEL: 8,8 mg/kg

Method: OECD Test Guideline 408

Target Organs: Kidney

Species: Rat, female

Sex: female

Application Route: oral (drinking water) Dose: 2.9, 10.6, 42, 191.1 mg/kg/d

Exposure time: 13 wk Number of exposures: Daily

NOEL: 2,9 mg/kg

Method: OECD Test Guideline 408 Target Organs: Immune system

Species: Rat, male and female

Sex: male and female

Application Route: oral gavage Dose: 80, 200, 500 mg/kg Exposure time: 100 d Number of exposures: Daily

NOEL: 200 mg/kg

Method: OECD Test Guideline 443 Target Organs: Immune system

#### Genotoxicity in vitro

Sulfolane : Test Type: Ames test

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

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Result: negative

Test Type: Mouse lymphoma assay

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

Result: negative

Test Type: Sister Chromatid Exchange Assay

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Result: negative

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Result: negative

Test Type: Mouse lymphoma assay

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 490

Result: negative

#### 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 premating 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

Species: Rat Sex: male

Application Route: oral gavage Dose: 80, 200, 500 mg/kg/d Number of exposures: Daily Method: OECD Test Guideline 443 NOAEL Parent: 200 mg/kg/d NOAEL F1: 200 mg/kg/d reduced fertility in male

Species: Rat Sex: female

Application Route: oral gavage Dose: 80, 200, 500 mg/kg/d Number of exposures: Daily Method: OECD Test Guideline 443 NOAEL Parent: 200 mg/kg/d

NOAEL F1: 200 mg/kg/d

Decrease birth index and number of pups

#### **Developmental Toxicity**

Sulfolane Species: Rat

> Application Route: oral gavage Dose: 60, 200, 700 mg/kg

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Number of exposures: Daily

Test period: 2 wk premating 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 Method: OECD Guideline 414 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.

**Acute effects** 

Sulfolane : Harmful if swallowed.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure)** 

Sulfolane : Target Organs: Immune system

Assessment: May cause damage to organs through prolonged

or repeated exposure.

**CMR** effects

Sulfolane : Carcinogenicity: Not available

Mutagenicity: Tests on bacterial or mammalian cell cultures

did not show mutagenic effects.

Reproductive toxicity: Clear evidence of adverse effects on sexual function and fertility, and/or on development, based on

animal experiments

11.2

Information on other hazards

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Further information : No data available.

Endocrine disrupting

properties

The substance/mixture does not contain components

considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at

levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1

**Toxicity** 

Toxicity to fish

Sulfolane : LC50: > 100 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Species: Oryzias latipes (Orange-red killifish)

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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

12.2

#### Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability

Sulfolane : Result: Not readily biodegradable.

10,1 %

Testing period: 14 d

Method: OECD Test Guideline 301C

12.3

#### **Bioaccumulative potential**

Bioaccumulation

Sulfolane : Species: Cyprinus carpio (Carp)

Bioconcentration factor (BCF): < 1,3

This material is not expected to bioaccumulate.

12.4

#### Mobility in soil

Mobility

Sulfolane : Groundwater contamination is possible.

12.5

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT assessment : This substance/mixture contains no components considered

to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of

0.1% or higher.

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#### **Endocrine disrupting properties**

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properties

: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.7

Other adverse effects

Additional ecological

information

: This material is not expected to be harmful to aquatic

organisms.

No data available

12.8

**Additional Information** 

**Ecotoxicology Assessment** Short-term (acute) aquatic

hazard

: This material is not expected to be harmful to aquatic

organisms.

Long-term (chronic) aquatic

hazard

This material is not expected to be harmful to aquatic

organisms.

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1

#### Waste treatment methods

The information in this SDS pertains only to the product as shipped.

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**

#### 14.1 - 14.7

#### **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.

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#### **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)

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

Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

#### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

15.1

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

Commission Regulation (EU) 2020/878 of 18 June 2020 amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH)

Water hazard class : WGK 2 water endangering

(Germany)

15.2

#### **Chemical Safety Assessment**

Components: tetrahydrothiophen A Chemical Safety Assessment 204-783-1

e 1,1-dioxide has been carried out for this

substance.

Major Accident Hazard : 96/82/EC Update: 2003

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**Legislation** Directive 96/82/EC does not apply

: ZEU\_SEVES3 Update:

Not applicable

**Notification status** 

Europe REACH : This product is in full compliance according to REACH

regulation 1907/2006/EC.

Switzerland CH INV : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

United States of America (USA) : On or in compliance with the active portion of the

TSCA TSCA inventory

Canada DSL : All components of this product are on the Canadian

DSL

Australia AIIC : 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 : All substances in this product were registered, notified

to be registered, or exempted from registration by CPChem through an Only Representative according to K-REACH regulations. Importation of this product is permitted if the Korean Importer of Record was

included on CPChem's notifications or if the Importer of

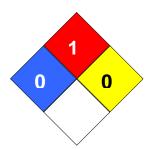
Record themselves notified the substances.

Philippines PICCS : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory Taiwan TCSI : 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: 0

Fire Hazard: 1 Reactivity Hazard: 0



#### **Further information**

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

The information in this SDS pertains only to the product as shipped.

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 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.

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	ey or legend to abbreviations and a	cronyms used	d in the safety data sheet
ACGIH	American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists	LD50	Lethal Dose 50%
AIIC	Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals	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%	ATE	Acute toxicity estimate

#### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H360FD

May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. H373

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#### Annex

#### 1. Short title of Exposure Scenario: Use as an aromatics extraction solvent - industrial

Main User Groups : SU 3: Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in

preparations at industrial sites

Sector of use : SU8, SU9: Manufacture of bulk, large scale chemicals

(including petroleum products), Manufacture of fine chemicals

Process category : PROC1: Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure

PROC2: Use in closed, continuous process with occasional

controlled exposure

PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation

(charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at

non-dedicated facilities

**PROC8b:** Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/ to vessels/ large containers at dedicated

facilities

PROC15: Use as laboratory reagent

Environmental release category : **ERC1**, **ERC4**, **ERC6a**: Manufacture of substances, Industrial

use of processing aids in processes and products, not becoming part of articles, Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance (use of intermediates)

Further information

Manufacture of the substance or use as a process chemical or extraction agent. Includes recycling/ recovery, material transfers, storage, maintenance and loading (including marine vessel/barge, road/rail car and bulk container), sampling and

associated laboratory activities

# 2.1 Contributing scenario controlling environmental exposure for:ERC1, ERC4, ERC6a: Manufacture of substances, Industrial use of processing aids in processes and products, not becoming part of articles, Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance (use of intermediates)

#### Product characteristics

Viscosity, dynamic : 10,34 mPa.s at 30 °C

(Msafe) : 200 kg/day

#### Environment factors not influenced by risk management

Flow rate : 18.000 m3/d

Dilution Factor (River) : 10 Dilution Factor (Coastal Areas) : 100

#### Other given operational conditions affecting environmental exposure

Number of emission days per year : 300 Emission or Release Factor: Air : 0,001 % Emission or Release Factor: Water : 1 % Emission or Release Factor: Soil : 0,01 %

#### Technical conditions and measures / Organizational measures

Air : Treat air emission to provide a typical removal efficiency of

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(%): (Effectiveness: > 90 %)

Remarks : Prevent environmental discharge consistent with regulatory

requirements.

Water : No onsite wastewater treatment prior to discharge to sewage

treatment plant.

Conditions and measures related to municipal sewage treatment plant

: Municipal sewage treatment plant Type of Sewage Treatment Plant : 0%

Percentage removed from waste

Procedures to limit air emissions

from Sewage Treatment Plant

: No data available

Remarks

: Domestic sewage treatment is not assumed.

Conditions and measures related to external treatment of waste for disposal

: External treatment and disposal of waste should comply with Waste treatment

applicable local and/or national regulations.

Conditions and measures related to external recovery of waste

**Recovery Methods** : External recovery and recycling of waste should comply with

applicable local and/or national regulations.

2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC1, PROC2, PROC15: Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure, Use in closed, continuous process with occasional controlled exposure, Use as laboratory reagent

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0.5 kPa

Amount used

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

: Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is Remarks

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at non-dedicated facilities

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0.5 kPa

Amount used

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

: Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated Remarks

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

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Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

#### Technical conditions and measures

Provide enhanced general ventilation by mechanical means.

#### Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear suitable respiratory protection (conforming to EN140 with Type A filter or better) and gloves (type EN374) if regular skin contact likely.

# 2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC8b: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large containers at dedicated facilities

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0,5 kPa

**Amount used** 

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

#### Technical conditions and measures

Provide enhanced general ventilation by mechanical means.

#### Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear suitable gloves tested to EN374.

#### 3. Exposure estimation and reference to its source

#### **Environment**

Contributing Scenario	Exposure Assessment Method	Specific conditions	Compartment	Value type	Level of Exposure	Risk characterization ratio (PEC/PNEC):
ERC1, ERC4, ERC6a	EUSES		Freshwater		0,0893 mg/L	0,9
			Marine water		0,00894 mg/L	0,9
			Freshwater sediment		0,0764 mg/kg	0,9
			Marine sediment		0,00764 mg/kg	0,9
			Soil		0,00149 mg/kg	0,083

ERC1: Manufacture of substances

ERC4: Industrial use of processing aids in processes and products, not becoming part of articles

ERC6a: Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance (use of intermediates)

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#### Workers/Consumers

Contributing Scenario	Exposure Assessment Method	Specific conditions	Value type	Level of Exposure	Risk characterization ratio (PEC/PNEC):
PROC1, CS15	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,01 ppm	0,0
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,34 mg/kg/d	0,1
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,10
PROC2, CS15, CS67	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,70 ppm	0,4
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,77
PROC15, CS36	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,30 ppm	0,2
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,34 mg/kg/d	0,1
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,26
PROC8a, CS39	ECETOC TRA		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,21 ppm	0,1
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	2,74 mg/kg/d	0,8
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,90
PROC8b, CS14, CS39	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	1,05 ppm	0,6
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,97

PROC1: Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure

CS15: General exposures (closed systems)

PROC2: Use in closed, continuous process with occasional controlled exposure

CS15: General exposures (closed systems)

CS67: Storage

PROC15: Use as laboratory reagent

CS36: Laboratory activities

PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers

at non-dedicated facilities

CS39: Equipment cleaning and maintenance

PROC8b: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large

containers at dedicated facilities

CS14: Bulk transfers

CS39: Equipment cleaning and maintenance

# 4. Guidance to Downstream User to evaluate whether he works inside the boundaries set by the Exposure Scenario

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Confirm that RMMs and OCs are as described or of equivalent efficiency.

When the recommended risk management measures (RMMs) and operational conditions (OCs) are observed, exposures are not expected to exceed the predicted DNELs and the resulting risk characterisation ratios are expected to be less than 1Confirm that RMMs and OCs are as described or of equivalent efficiency.

When the recommended risk management measures (RMMs) and operational conditions (OCs) are observed, exposures are not expected to exceed the predicted DNELs and the resulting risk characterisation ratios are expected to be less than 1

1. Short title of Exposure Scenario: Use in acid gas purification - industrial

Main User Groups : SU 3: Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in

preparations at industrial sites

Sector of use : SU8, SU9: Manufacture of bulk, large scale chemicals

(including petroleum products), Manufacture of fine chemicals

Process category : **PROC1:** Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure

PROC2: Use in closed, continuous process with occasional

controlled exposure

PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation

(charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at

non-dedicated facilities

**PROC8b:** Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/ to vessels/ large containers at dedicated

facilities

PROC15: Use as laboratory reagent

Environmental release category : ERC1, ERC4, ERC6a: Manufacture of substances, Industrial

use of processing aids in processes and products, not becoming part of articles, Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance (use of intermediates)

Further information :

Manufacture of the substance or use as a process chemical or extraction agent. Includes recycling/ recovery, material transfers, storage, maintenance and loading (including marine vessel/barge, road/rail car and bulk container), sampling and

associated laboratory activities

2.1 Contributing scenario controlling environmental exposure for:ERC1, ERC4, ERC6a: Manufacture of substances, Industrial use of processing aids in processes and products, not becoming part of articles, Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance (use of intermediates)

**Product characteristics** 

Viscosity, dynamic : 10,34 mPa.s at 30 °C

(Msafe) : 200 kg/day

Environment factors not influenced by risk management

Flow rate : 18.000 m3/d

Dilution Factor (River) : 10 Dilution Factor (Coastal Areas) : 100

Other given operational conditions affecting environmental exposure

Number of emission days per year : 300 Emission or Release Factor: Air : 0,001 % Emission or Release Factor: Water : 1 %

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: 0,01 % Emission or Release Factor: Soil

Technical conditions and measures / Organizational measures

: Treat air emission to provide a typical removal efficiency of

(%): (Effectiveness: > 90 %)

Remarks : Prevent environmental discharge consistent with regulatory

requirements.

: No onsite wastewater treatment prior to discharge to sewage Water

treatment plant.

Conditions and measures related to municipal sewage treatment plant

: Municipal sewage treatment plant Type of Sewage Treatment Plant

Percentage removed from waste : 0%

Remarks

Procedures to limit air emissions

from Sewage Treatment Plant

: No data available

: Domestic sewage treatment is not assumed.

Conditions and measures related to external treatment of waste for disposal

: External treatment and disposal of waste should comply with Waste treatment

applicable local and/or national regulations.

Conditions and measures related to external recovery of waste

: External recovery and recycling of waste should comply with Recovery Methods

applicable local and/or national regulations.

2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC1, PROC2, PROC15: Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure, Use in closed, continuous process with occasional controlled exposure, Use as laboratory reagent

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0.5 kPa

Amount used

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented.. Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at non-dedicated facilities

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0.5 kPa

Amount used

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

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Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

#### Technical conditions and measures

Provide enhanced general ventilation by mechanical means.

#### Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear suitable respiratory protection (conforming to EN140 with Type A filter or better) and gloves (type EN374) if regular skin contact likely.

# 2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC8b: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large containers at dedicated facilities

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0,5 kPa

**Amount used** 

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

#### **Technical conditions and measures**

Provide enhanced general ventilation by mechanical means.

#### Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear suitable gloves tested to EN374.

#### 3. Exposure estimation and reference to its source

#### **Environment**

Contributing Scenario	Exposure Assessment Method	Specific conditions	Compartment	Value type	Level of Exposure	Risk characterization ratio (PEC/PNEC):
ERC1, ERC4, ERC6a	EUSES		Freshwater		0,0893 mg/L	0,9
			Marine water		0,00894 mg/L	0,9
			Freshwater sediment		0,0764 mg/kg	0,9
			Marine sediment		0,00764 mg/kg	0,9
			Soil		0,00149 mg/kg	0,083

ERC1: Manufacture of substances

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ERC4: Industrial use of processing aids in processes and products, not becoming part of articles ERC6a: Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance (use of intermediates)

#### Workers/Consumers

Contributing Scenario	Exposure Assessment Method	Specific conditions	Value type	Level of Exposure	Risk characterization ratio (PEC/PNEC):
PROC1, CS15	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,01 ppm	0,0
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,34 mg/kg/d	0,1
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,10
PROC2, CS15, CS67	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,70 ppm	0,4
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,77
PROC15, CS36	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,30 ppm	0,2
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,34 mg/kg/d	0,1
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,26
PROC8a, CS39	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,21 ppm	0,1
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	2,74 mg/kg/d	0,8
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,90
PROC8b, CS14, CS39	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	1,05 ppm	0,6
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,97

PROC1: Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure

CS15: General exposures (closed systems)

PROC2: Use in closed, continuous process with occasional controlled exposure

CS15: General exposures (closed systems)

CS67: Storage

PROC15: Use as laboratory reagent

CS36: Laboratory activities

PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers

at non-dedicated facilities

CS39: Equipment cleaning and maintenance

PROC8b: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large

containers at dedicated facilities

CS14: Bulk transfers

CS39: Equipment cleaning and maintenance

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# 4. Guidance to Downstream User to evaluate whether he works inside the boundaries set by the Exposure Scenario

Confirm that RMMs and OCs are as described or of equivalent efficiency.

When the recommended risk management measures (RMMs) and operational conditions (OCs) are observed, exposures are not expected to exceed the predicted DNELs and the resulting risk characterisation ratios are expected to be less than 1

1. Short title of Exposure Scenario: Formulation

Main User Groups : SU 3: Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in

preparations at industrial sites

Sector of use : SU 10: Formulation [mixing] of preparations and/ or re-

packaging (excluding alloys)

Process category : **PROC1:** Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure

PROC2: Use in closed, continuous process with occasional

controlled exposure

PROC3: Use in closed batch process (synthesis or

formulation)

PROC4: Use in batch and other process (synthesis) where

opportunity for exposure arises

: PROC 5: Mixing or blending in batch processes for formulation of preparations and articles (multistage and/or

significant contact)

PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation

(charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at

non-dedicated facilities

**PROC8b:** Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/ to vessels/ large containers at dedicated

facilities

**PROC9:** Transfer of substance or preparation into small containers (dedicated filling line, including weighing)

PROC14: Production of preparations or articles by tabletting,

compression, extrusion, pelletization **PROC15:** Use as laboratory reagent

Environmental release category : **ERC2:** Formulation of preparations

Further information :

Formulation, packing and re-packing of the substance and its mixtures in batch or continuous operations, including storage,

materials transfers, mixing, tabletting, compression, pelletisation, extrusion, large and small scale packing, sampling, maintenance and associated laboratory activities.

# 2.1 Contributing scenario controlling environmental exposure for:ERC2: Formulation of preparations

**Product characteristics** 

Viscosity, dynamic : 10,34 mPa.s at 30 °C

Maximum allowable site tonnage

(MSafe) based on release following total wastewater treatment removal (tonnes/day):

(Msafe)

Remarks : Not applicable

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#### Technical conditions and measures / Organizational measures

Remarks : Not applicable

2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC1, PROC2, PROC15: Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure, Use in closed, continuous process with occasional controlled exposure, Use as laboratory reagent

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance Vapor pressure : > 0,5 kPa

Amount used

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC3: Use in closed batch process (synthesis or formulation)

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0,5 kPa

Amount used

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

Technical conditions and measures

Provide enhanced general ventilation by mechanical means.

2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC4, PROC8b, PROC9, PROC14: Use in batch and other process (synthesis) where opportunity for exposure arises, Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large containers at dedicated facilities, Transfer of substance or preparation into small containers (dedicated filling line, including weighing), Production of preparations or

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### articles by tabletting, compression, extrusion, pelletization

Product characteristics

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0,5 kPa

**Amount used** 

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

Technical conditions and measures

Provide enhanced general ventilation by mechanical means.

Organizational measures to prevent /limit releases, dispersion and exposure

Avoid carrying out operation for more than 4 hours.

Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation Wear suitable gloves tested to EN374.

2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at non-dedicated facilities

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0.5 kPa

**Amount used** 

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

**Technical conditions and measures** 

Ensure material transfers are under containment or extract ventilation.

Organizational measures to prevent /limit releases, dispersion and exposure

Avoid carrying out operation for more than 4 hours.

Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear chemically resistant gloves (tested to EN374) in combination with 'basic' employee training.

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# 3. Exposure estimation and reference to its source

#### Workers/Consumers

Contributing Scenario	Exposure Assessment Method	Specific conditions	Value type	Level of Exposure	Risk characterization ratio (PEC/PNEC):
PROC1, CS15	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,01 ppm	0,0
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,34 mg/kg/d	0,1
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,10
PROC2, CS15	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	1,00 ppm	0,5
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,34 mg/kg/d	0,4
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,93
PROC15, CS36	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	1,5 ppm	0,8
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,34 mg/kg/d	0,1
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,92
PROC3, CS15	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,90 ppm	0,5
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,34 mg/kg/d	0,1
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,59
PROC4, CS55	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,90 ppm	0,5
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,88
PROC8b, CS14	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,90 ppm	0,5
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,88
PROC9, CS4	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,90 ppm	0,5
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,88
PROC14, CS4	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,90 ppm	0,5
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,69 mg/kg/d	0,2
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,69
PROC8a, CS14	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,84 ppm	0,5
	_		Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined		0,85

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PROC1: Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure

CS15: General exposures (closed systems)

PROC2: Use in closed, continuous process with occasional controlled exposure

CS15: General exposures (closed systems)

PROC15: Use as laboratory reagent

CS36: Laboratory activities

PROC3: Use in closed batch process (synthesis or formulation)

CS15: General exposures (closed systems)

PROC4: Use in batch and other process (synthesis) where opportunity for exposure arises

CS55: Batch process

PROC8b: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large

containers at dedicated facilities

CS14: Bulk transfers

PROC9: Transfer of substance or preparation into small containers (dedicated filling line, including

weighing)

CS4: Dipping, immersion and pouring

PROC14: Production of preparations or articles by tabletting, compression, extrusion, pelletization

CS4: Dipping, immersion and pouring

PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers

at non-dedicated facilities

CS14: Bulk transfers

# 4. Guidance to Downstream User to evaluate whether he works inside the boundaries set by the Exposure Scenario

Confirm that RMMs and OCs are as described or of equivalent efficiency.

When the recommended risk management measures (RMMs) and operational conditions (OCs) are observed, exposures are not expected to exceed the predicted DNELs and the resulting risk characterisation ratios are expected to be less than 1

1. Short title of Exposure Scenario: Use as a cleaning agent - industrial

Main User Groups : SU 3: Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in

preparations at industrial sites

Sector of use : SU 3: Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in

preparations at industrial sites

Process category : **PROC1:** Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure

PROC2: Use in closed, continuous process with occasional

controlled exposure

PROC4: Use in batch and other process (synthesis) where

opportunity for exposure arises **PROC7:** Industrial spraying

PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation

(charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at

non-dedicated facilities

**PROC8b:** Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/ to vessels/large containers at dedicated

facilities

PROC10: Roller application or brushing

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PROC13: Treatment of articles by dipping and pouring

Environmental release category : **ERC4:** Industrial use of processing aids in processes and

products, not becoming part of articles

Further information

Covers the use as a component of cleaning products including transfer from storage, pouring/unloading from drums or

containers. Exposures during mixing/diluting in the

preparatory phase and cleaning activities (including spraying, brushing, dipping, wiping, automated and by hand), related

equipment cleaning and maintenance.

# 2.1 Contributing scenario controlling environmental exposure for:ERC4: Industrial use of processing aids in processes and products, not becoming part of articles

#### **Product characteristics**

Viscosity, dynamic : 10,34 mPa.s at 30 °C

(Msafe) : 396 kg/day

#### Environment factors not influenced by risk management

Flow rate : 18.000 m3/d

Dilution Factor (River) : 10 Dilution Factor (Coastal Areas) : 100

#### Other given operational conditions affecting environmental exposure

Number of emission days per year : 300 Emission or Release Factor: Air : 30 % Emission or Release Factor: Water : 0,01 % Emission or Release Factor: Soil : 0 %

#### Technical conditions and measures / Organizational measures

Air : Treat air emission to provide a typical removal efficiency of

(%): (Effectiveness: > 70 %)

Remarks : Prevent environmental discharge consistent with regulatory

requirements.

Water : No onsite wastewater treatment prior to discharge to sewage

treatment plant.

#### Conditions and measures related to municipal sewage treatment plant

Type of Sewage Treatment Plant : Municipal sewage treatment plant

Percentage removed from waste

water

: 0 %

Procedures to limit air emissions

from Sewage Treatment Plant

: No data available

Remarks : Domestic sewage treatment is not assumed.

#### Conditions and measures related to external treatment of waste for disposal

Waste treatment : External treatment and disposal of waste should comply with

applicable local and/or national regulations.

#### Conditions and measures related to external recovery of waste

Recovery Methods : External recovery and recycling of waste should comply with

applicable local and/or national regulations.

#### 2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC1, PROC2: Use in

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# closed process, no likelihood of exposure, Use in closed, continuous process with occasional controlled exposure

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0,5 kPa

Amount used

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

**Technical conditions and measures** 

Provide a good standard of general ventilation. Natural ventilation is from doors, windows etc.

Controlled ventilation means air is supplied or removed by a powered fan.

# 2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC4: Use in batch and other process (synthesis) where opportunity for exposure arises

Product characteristics

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0,5 kPa

**Amount used** 

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

Technical conditions and measures

Provide enhanced general ventilation by mechanical means.

Organizational measures to prevent /limit releases, dispersion and exposure

Avoid carrying out operation for more than 4 hours.

Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear chemically resistant gloves (tested to EN374) in combination with 'basic' employee training.

#### 2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC7: Industrial spraying

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0.5 kPa

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Amount used

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

#### Technical conditions and measures

Ensure material transfers are under containment or extract ventilation.

#### Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear chemically resistant gloves (tested to EN374) in combination with specific activity training. Wear a full face respirator conforming to EN140 with Type A filter or better.

# 2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC8b: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large containers at dedicated facilities

**Product characteristics** 

Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0,5 kPa

Amount used

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

Technical conditions and measures

Provide enhanced general ventilation by mechanical means.

Organizational measures to prevent /limit releases, dispersion and exposure

Avoid carrying out operation for more than 4 hours.

Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear suitable gloves tested to EN374.

# 2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC8a, PROC10, PROC13: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers at non-dedicated facilities, Roller application or brushing, Treatment of articles by dipping and pouring

#### **Product characteristics**

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Physical Form (at time of use) : Liquid substance

Vapor pressure : > 0,5 kPa

**Amount used** 

Remarks : Not applicable

Frequency and duration of use

Remarks : Covers daily exposures up to 8 hours (unless stated

differently)

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Remarks : Assumes a good basic standard of occupational hygiene is

implemented., Assumes use at not more than 20°C above

ambient temperature, unless stated differently.

Technical conditions and measures

Ensure material transfers are under containment or extract ventilation.

Organizational measures to prevent /limit releases, dispersion and exposure

Avoid carrying out operation for more than 4 hours.

Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear chemically resistant gloves (tested to EN374) in combination with specific activity training.

#### 3. Exposure estimation and reference to its source

#### **Environment**

Contributing Scenario	Exposure Assessment Method	Specific conditions	Compartment	Value type	Level of Exposure	Risk characterization ratio (PEC/PNEC):
ERC4	EUSES		Freshwater		0,00137 mg/L	0,014
			Marine water		0,000136 mg/L	0,014
			Freshwater sediment		0,00117 mg/kg	0,014
			Marine sediment		0,000116 mg/kg	0,014
			Soil		0,00794 mg/kg	0,45

ERC4: Industrial use of processing aids in processes and products, not becoming part of articles

#### Workers/Consumers

Contributing Scenario	Exposure Assessment Method	Specific conditions	Value type	Level of Exposure	Risk characterization ratio (PEC/PNEC):
PROC1, CS15	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,01 ppm	0,0
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,34 mg/kg/d	0,1
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,10
PROC2, CS15	ECETOC TRA Modified		Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	1,00 ppm	0,5
			Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
			Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,94

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PROC4, CS55	ECETOC TRA Modified	Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,90 ppm	0,5
		Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,69 mg/kg/d	0,2
		Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,69
PROC7, CS10	ECETOC TRA Modified	Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,60 ppm	0,3
		Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	2,14 mg/kg/d	0,6
		Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,94
PROC8b, CS14	ECETOC TRA Modified	Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,90 ppm	0,5
		Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
		Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,88
PROC8a, CS14	ECETOC TRA Modified	Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	1,20 ppm	0,7
		Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,69 mg/kg/d	0,2
		Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,85
PROC10, CS51	ECETOC TRA Modified	Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	0,60 ppm	0,3
		Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	1,37 mg/kg/d	0,4
		Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,72
PROC13, CS4	ECETOC TRA Modified	Worker – inhalation, long-term – systemic	1,20 ppm	0,7
		Worker – dermal, long- term – systemic	0,69 mg/kg/d	0,2
		Worker – long-term – systemic Combined routes		0,85

PROC1: Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure

CS15: General exposures (closed systems)

PROC2: Use in closed, continuous process with occasional controlled exposure

CS15: General exposures (closed systems)

PROC4: Use in batch and other process (synthesis) where opportunity for exposure arises

CS55: Batch process

PROC7: Industrial spraying

CS10: Spraying

PROC8b: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large

containers at dedicated facilities

CS14: Bulk transfers

PROC8a: Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/discharging) from/to vessels/large containers

at non-dedicated facilities CS14: Bulk transfers

PROC10: Roller application or brushing

CS51: Rolling, Brushing

PROC13: Treatment of articles by dipping and pouring

CS4: Dipping, immersion and pouring

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