



The Chemical Company

Safety Data Sheet

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1. Product and Company Identification

Company

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24 Hour Emergency Response Information

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2. Hazards Identification

Emergency overview

FLAMMABLE.

IRRITANT.

SENSITIZER.

Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

May cause sensitization by skin contact.

Keep container tightly closed.

Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame.

Risk of hazardous polymerization under certain conditions (e.g. elevated temperatures, low inhibitor and oxygen concentration).

State of matter: liquid

Colour: bluish

Odour: ester-like

Potential health effects

Irritation / corrosion:

Irritating to eyes and skin.

Sensitization:

May produce an allergic reaction. Sensitization after skin contact possible. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Potential environmental effects

Aquatic toxicity:

Acutely harmful for aquatic organisms.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

CAS Number

Content (W/W)

Hazardous ingredients

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80-62-6 >= 40.0 - <= 70.0 % methyl methacrylate

4. First-Aid Measures

General advice:

First aid personnel should pay attention to their own safety. Remove contaminated clothing.

If inhaled:

If difficulties occur after vapour/aerosol has been inhaled, remove to fresh air and seek medical attention.

If on skin:

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water and soap. Under no circumstances should organic solvent be used. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.

If in eyes:

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open, consult an eye specialist.

If swallowed:

Rinse mouth immediately and then drink plenty of water, seek medical attention. Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a poison control center or doctor.

Never induce vomiting or give anything by mouth if the victim is unconscious or having convulsions.

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash point: 9 °C

Information on: methyl methacrylate

Flash point: 10 °C (DIN 51755, closed cup)

Lower explosion limit: 2.1 %(V)

Information on: methyl methacrylate

Upper explosion limit: 12.5 %(V)

Information on: methyl methacrylate

Suitable extinguishing media:

foam, water spray, dry powder, carbon dioxide

Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:

water jet

Hazards during fire-fighting:

carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, harmful vapours, nitrogen oxides, fumes/smoke, carbon black

Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus.

Further information:

Contaminated extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with official regulations.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions:

Use personal protective clothing. Do not breathe vapour/aerosol/spray mists. Sources of ignition should be kept well clear. Handle in accordance with good building materials hygiene and safety practice.

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Environmental precautions:

Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

Cleanup:

For small amounts: Pick up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, earth etc.). Dispose of contaminated material as prescribed.

For large amounts: Pump off product.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling

General advice:

Avoid aerosol formation. Avoid inhalation of mists/vapours. Avoid skin contact. No special measures necessary provided product is used correctly.

Protection against fire and explosion:

Keep away from heat. Prevent electrostatic charge - sources of ignition should be kept well clear - fire extinguishers should be kept handy.

Storage

General advice:

Keep only in the original container in a cool, well-ventilated place. Protect from direct sunlight. Vapours may travel along floor and ignite at a location distant from the handling point.

Storage incompatibility:

General advice: Segregate from metals. Segregate from lyes. Segregate from oxidants. Segregate from foods and animal feeds.

8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Components with workplace control parameters

methyl methacrylate	OSHA	PEL 100 ppm 410 mg/m3 ;
	ACGIH	TWA value 50 ppm ; STEL value 100 ppm ;

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

When workers are facing concentrations above the occupational exposure limits they must use appropriate certified respirators.

Hand protection:

Wear chemical resistant protective gloves., Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types.

Eye protection:

Tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles).

Body protection:

Body protection must be chosen based on level of activity and exposure.

General safety and hygiene measures:

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. In order to prevent contamination while handling, closed working clothes and working gloves should be used. Handle in accordance with good building materials hygiene and safety practice. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. At the end of the shift the skin should be cleaned and skin-care agents applied. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g. pinhole leaks).

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9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form:	liquid	
Odour:	ester-like	
Odour threshold:	< 1 ppm	
Colour:	bluish	
pH value:		not applicable
Boiling point:	approx. 100 °C	
Density:	1.01 g/cm ³	(20 °C)
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):		not applicable
Viscosity, dynamic:	200 - 250 mPa.s	
Solubility in water:	approx. 20 g/l	(20 °C)
Other Information:	If necessary, information on other physical and chemical parameters is indicated in this section.	

10. Stability and Reactivity

Substances to avoid:

strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous reactions:

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Decomposition products:

Thermal decomposition products: carbon oxides

Oxidizing properties:

Based on its structural properties the product is not classified as oxidizing.

11. Toxicological information

Acute toxicity

Information on: methyl methacrylate

Assessment of acute toxicity:

Virtually nontoxic after a single ingestion. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact. Virtually nontoxic by inhalation.

Irritation / corrosion

Information on: methyl methacrylate

Assessment of irritating effects:

Irritating to skin. Not irritating to the eyes.

Sensitization

Information on: methyl methacrylate

Assessment of sensitization:

Caused skin sensitization in animal studies.

Can sensitize the skin and/or respiratory tract of allergic persons. May produce an allergic reaction.

Repeated dose toxicity

Information on: methyl methacrylate

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*Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:
After repeated exposure the prominent effect is local irritation.*

Other Information:

The product has not been tested. Avoid exposure.

12. Ecological Information

Other adverse effects:

May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal of substance:

Do not discharge substance/product into sewer system. Dispose of in accordance with local authority regulations.

Container disposal:

Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible; then it can be passed on for recycling after being thoroughly cleaned.

14. Transport Information

Land transport

TDG

Hazard class:	3
Packing group:	II
ID number:	UN 1866
Hazard label:	3
Proper shipping name:	RESIN SOLUTION

Sea transport

IMDG

Hazard class:	3
Packing group:	II
ID number:	UN 1866
Hazard label:	3
Marine pollutant:	NO
Proper shipping name:	RESIN SOLUTION

Air transport

IATA/ICAO

Hazard class:	3
Packing group:	II
ID number:	UN 1866
Hazard label:	3
Proper shipping name:	RESIN SOLUTION

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15. Regulatory Information

Federal Regulations

Registration status:
Chemical DSL, CA released / listed

WHMIS classification: B2: Flammable Liquid

D2B: Materials Causing Other Toxic Effects - Toxic material



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

16. Other Information

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

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