

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification	
1.1. Identification	
Product form	: Mixture
Trade name	: Poly(acrylic acid), sodium salt, 20% soln. in water [MW ~ 225,000]
Product code	: 18613
Formula	: mixture
1.2. Recommended use and restrictions or	
Recommended use	: Use as laboratory reagent, Manufacture of substances
1.3. Supplier	
Supplier Polysciences 400 Valley Road Warrington, PA 18976 - United States T +1 215 343 6484 - F +1 215 343 0214 info@polysciences.com - www.polysciences.com	
1.4. Emergency telephone number	
Emergency number	: 24-hour emergency phone number ChemTel 1-800-255-3924
SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification	
2.1. Classification of the substance or mix	ture
GHS US classification	
Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2 Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2B	Causes skin irritation Causes eye irritation
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2.2. GHS Label elements, including precau	tionary statements
GHS US labeling	
Hazard pictograms (GHS US)	
Signal word (GHS US)	: Warning
Hazard statements (GHS US)	: Causes skin irritation Causes eye irritation
Precautionary statements (GHS US)	<ul> <li>Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.</li> <li>Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.</li> <li>IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.</li> <li>Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instruction on this label)</li> <li>If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention</li> </ul>
2.3. Other hazards which do not result in c	lassification
lo additional information available	
2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)	
Not applicable	
SECTION 3: Composition/Information	on ingredients
3.1. Substances	

Not applicable

## 3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
Water	(CAS-No.) 7732-18-5	81 – 90	Not classified

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Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
2-Propenoic acid, homopolymer	(CAS-No.) 9003-01-4	21 – 30	Not classified

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

SECTION 4: First-aid measures	
4.1. Description of first aid measures	
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Wash skin with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Call a poison center/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
4.2. Most important symptoms and eff	fects (acute and delayed)
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Irritation.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Mild eye irritation.
4.3. Immediate medical attention and	special treatment, if necessary
Treat symptomatically.	
<b>SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures</b>	S
5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extingui	ishing media
Suitable extinguishing media	: Water spray. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.
5.2. Specific hazards arising from the	chemical
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire	of : Toxic fumes may be released.
5.3. Special protective equipment and	I precautions for fire-fighters
Protection during firefighting	: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.
SECTION 6: Accidental release me	easures
6.1. Personal precautions, protective	equipment and emergency procedures
6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel	
Emergency procedures	: Ventilate spillage area. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
6.1.2. For emergency responders	
Protective equipment	: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".
6.2. Environmental precautions	
Avoid release to the environment.	
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SECTI	ON 8: Exposure controls/personal protection
8.1.	Control parameters
Poly	(acrylic acid), sodium salt, 20% soln. in water [MW ~ 225,000]
No a	dditional information available
2-Pro	openoic acid, homopolymer (9003-01-4)
No a	dditional information available
Wate	or (7732-18-5)
No a	dditional information available

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls Environmental exposure controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.: Avoid release to the environment.

### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

Hand protection:

Protective gloves

Eye protection:

Safety glasses

Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

#### **Respiratory protection:**

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



SECTION 9: Physical and chemical p	roperties
9.1. Information on basic physical and ch	emical properties
Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Liquid.
Color	: Colorless
Odor	: Mixture contains one or more component(s) which have the following odour:
Odor threshold	: No data available
рН	: ≥ 2.0 2.5
Melting point	: ≥0 °C F
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: >≥212 °F F
Flash point	: no data
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not applicable.
Vapor pressure	: no data
Relative vapor density at 20°C	: no data
Relative density	: No data available
Solubility	: No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available

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Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

#### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2.	Chemical stability
Stable u	nder normal conditions.
10.3.	Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological inform	nation
11.1. Information on toxicological effe	
Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified
2-Propenoic acid, homopolymer (9003	-01-4)
LD50 oral rat	2500 mg/kg
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes skin irritation.
	pH: ≥ 2.0 2.5
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes eye irritation.
	pH: ≥ 2.0 2.5
Respiratory or skin sensitization	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
2-Propenoic acid, homopolymer (9003	-01-4)
IARC group	3 - Not classifiable
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Irritation.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Mild eye irritation.

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SECTION 12: Ecological information	
12.1. Toxicity	
Ecology - general :	The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms or to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.
2-Propenoic acid, homopolymer (9003-01-4)	
LC50 fish 1	580 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus)
12.2. Persistence and degradability	
No additional information available	
12.3. Bioaccumulative potential	
No additional information available	
12.4. Mobility in soil	
No additional information available	
12.5. Other adverse effects	

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerat	tions
13.1. Disposal methods	
Waste treatment methods	: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.
SECTION 14: Transport information	on
Department of Transportation (DOT)	
In accordance with DOT	
Not applicable	
Transportation of Dangerous Goods	
Not applicable	
Transport by sea	
Not applicable	
Air transport	
Not applicable	
SECTION 15: Regulatory information	tion
15.1. US Federal regulations	
2-Propenoic acid, homopolymer (9003-	01-4)
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic	Substances Control Act) inventory
EPA TSCA Regulatory Flag	XU - XU - indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Chemical Data Reporting Rule, (40 CFR 711).

### Water (7732-18-5)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

## 15.2. International regulations

## CANADA

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)	

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## **EU-Regulations**

National regulations

No additional information available

15.3. US State regulations

## SECTION 16: Other information

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Hazard Rating	
Health	: 1 Slight Hazard - Irritation or minor reversible injury possible
Flammability	<ul> <li>1 Slight Hazard - Materials that must be preheated before ignition will occur. Includes liquids, solids and semi solids having a flash point above 200 F. (Class IIIB)</li> </ul>
Physical	: 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.

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