

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Identification

Product form : Substance
Trade name : Glycolide, 99.9%
CAS-No. : 502-97-6
Product code : 17085
Formula : C4H4O7

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Use as laboratory reagent, Manufacture of substances

1.3. Supplier

Supplier

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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 mixture

GHS US classification

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1 Causes serious eye damage

2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US)



Signal word (GHS US) : Danger

Hazard statements (GHS US) : Causes serious eye damage

Precautionary statements (GHS US) : Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present

and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Immediately call a poison center or doctor.

2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

 Name
 : Glycolide, 99.9%

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

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

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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.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to

do. Continue rinsing. Call a physician immediately.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Call a poison center/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Serious damage to eyes.

4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam.

5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazardous decomposition products in case of : Toxic fumes may be released.

fire

5.3. Special protective equipment and 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 measures

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.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Mechanically recover the product.

Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact

with skin and eyes.

Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the

product

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Protect from moisture. Store at -20 deg. C.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

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8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

Environmental exposure controls : 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 properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Solid

Appearance : White powder.
Color : Colorless

Odor : Mixture contains one or more component(s) which have the following odour:

Odor threshold : No data available pH : No data available

Melting point : 180

Freezing point : Not applicable
Boiling point : no data
Flash point : 212

Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available Flammability (solid, gas) : Non flammable.

Vapor pressure : no data Relative vapor density at 20°C : no data

Relative density : No data available

Molecular mass : 116.1

Solubility : No data available : No data available Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) Auto-ignition temperature : Not applicable Decomposition temperature : No data available No data available Viscosity, kinematic Viscosity, dynamic : No data available **Explosion limits** : Not applicable Explosive properties : No data available Oxidizing properties : No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

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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 under 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.

: Not classified

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

Glycolide, 99.9% (502-97-6)	
LD50 oral rat	> ≥ 2000 μg/kg mg/Kg
ATE US (oral)	2 mg/kg body weight

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified

Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified
Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Serious damage to eyes.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

STOT-single exposure

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms or to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.

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

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SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description : UN3261 Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s., 8, III

UN-No.(DOT) : UN3261

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Class (DOT) : 8 - Class 8 - Corrosive material 49 CFR 173.136

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Packing group (DOT) : III - Minor Danger Hazard labels (DOT) : 8 - Corrosive



DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102)

: IB8 - Authorized IBCs: Metal (11A, 11B, 11N, 21A, 21B, 21N, 31A, 31B and 31N); Rigid plastics (11H1, 11H2, 21H1, 21H2, 31H1 and 31H2); Composite (11HZ1, 11HZ2, 21HZ1, 21HZ2, 31HZ1 and 31HZ2); Fiberboard (11G); Wooden (11C, 11D and 11F); Flexible (13H1, 13H2, 13H

13H2, 13H3, 13H4, 13H5, 13L1, 13L2, 13L3, 13L4, 13M1 or 13M2). IP3 - Flexible IBCs must be sift-proof and water-resistant or must be fitted with a sift-proof and

water-resistant liner.

T1 - 1.5 178.274(d)(2) Normal...... 178.275(d)(2)

TP33 - The portable tank instruction assigned for this substance applies for granular and powdered solids and for solids which are filled and discharged at temperatures above their melting point which are cooled and transported as a solid mass. Solid substances transported or offered for transport above their melting point are authorized for transportation in portable tanks conforming to the provisions of portable tank instruction T4 for solid substances of packing group III or T7 for solid substances of packing group II, unless a tank with more stringent requirements for minimum shell thickness, maximum allowable working pressure, pressure-relief devices or bottom outlets are assigned in which case the more stringent tank instruction and special provisions shall apply. Filling limits must be in accordance with portable tank special provision TP3. Solids meeting the definition of an elevated temperature material must be transported in accordance with the applicable requirements of this subchapter.

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx)

DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail : 25 kg

(49 CFR 173.27)

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 : 100 kg

CFR 175.75)

DOT Vessel Stowage Location : A - The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a

passenger vessel.

Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number : 15

Other information : No supplementary information available.

Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Not applicable

Transport by sea

Transport document description (IMDG) : UN 3261 CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S., 8, III

UN-No. (IMDG) : 3261

Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S.

Class (IMDG) : 8 - Corrosive substances

Packing group (IMDG) : III - substances presenting low danger

Limited quantities (IMDG) : 5 kg

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Air transport

Transport document description (IATA) : UN 3261 Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s., 8, III

UN-No. (IATA) : 326²

Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Class (IATA) : 8 - Corrosives
Packing group (IATA) : III - Low danger

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

Glycolide, 99.9% (502-97-6)

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

EPA TSCA Regulatory Flag PMN - PMN - indicates a commenced PMN substance.

15.2. International regulations

CANADA

Glycolide, 99.9% (502-97-6)

Listed on the Canadian NDSL (Non-Domestic Substances List)

EU-Regulations

National regulations

No additional information available

15.3. US State regulations

SECTION 16: Other information

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Hazard Rating

Health : 2 Moderate Hazard - Temporary or minor injury may occur

Flammability : 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)

Physical : 1 Slight Hazard - Materials that are normally stable but can become unstable (self-react) at high

temperatures and pressures. Materials may react non-violently with water or undergo hazardous

polymerization in the absence of inhibitors.

SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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