

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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SECTION 1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Catalogue No. 820708

Product name 2-Hydroxyethanesulfonic acid sodium salt for synthesis

REACH Registration Number A registration number is not available for this substance as the

substance or its use are exempted from registration according to Article 2 REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a

later registration deadline.

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Chemical for synthesis

For additional information on uses please refer to the Merck Chemicals

portal (www.merck-chemicals.com).

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Merck KGaA * 64271 Darmstadt * Germany * Phone: +49 6151 72-0

Responsible Department LS-QHC * e-mail: prodsafe@merckgroup.com

1.4 Emergency telephone

number

Please contact the regional company representation in your country.

SECTION 2. Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

This substance is not classified as dangerous according to European Union legislation.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

Labelling (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)

The product does not need to be labelled in accordance with EC directives or respective national laws.

2.3 Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substance

Formula HOCH₂CH₂SO₃Na C₂H₅NaO₄S (Hill)

CAS-No. 1562-00-1 EC-No. 216-343-6 Molar mass 148,11 g/mol

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3.2 Mixture

not applicable

SECTION 4. First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

After inhalation: fresh air.

After skin contact: wash off with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing.

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water.

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult doctor if feeling unwell.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

We have no description of any toxic symptoms.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

SECTION 5. Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Water, Carbon dioxide (CO2), Foam, Dry powder

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

Fire may cause evolution of:

Sulphur oxides

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

SECTION 6. Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders: Protective equipment see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not empty into drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills.

Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10).

Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

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6.4 Reference to other sections

Indications about waste treatment see section 13.

SECTION 7. Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Observe label precautions.

Hygiene measures

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store at +15°C to +25°C.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

8.2 Exposure controls

Engineering measures

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

See section 7.1.

Individual protection measures

Protective clothing needs to be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentrations and quantities of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be enquired at the respective supplier.

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses

Hand protection

full contact:

Glove material: Nitrile rubber
Glove thickness: 0,11 mm
Break through time: > 480 min

splash contact:

Glove material: Nitrile rubber Glove thickness: 0,11 mm Preak through time: > 480 min

The protective gloves to be used must comply with the specifications of EC Directive 89/686/EEC and the related standard EN374, for example KCL 741 Dermatril® L (full contact), KCL 741 Dermatril® L (splash contact).

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types.

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This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet<(>,<)> supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Respiratory protection

required when dusts are generated. Recommended Filter type: P1 filter

The entrepeneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

Environmental exposure controls

Do not empty into drains.

SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form powder

Colour white

Odour weak characteristic odour

Odour Threshold No information available.

pH 7,0 - 11,0

at 20 g/l 20 °C

Melting point 192 - 194 °C

Boiling point No information available.

Flash point No information available.

Evaporation rate No information available.

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available.

Lower explosion limit No information available.

Upper explosion limit No information available.

Vapour pressure No information available.

Relative vapor density No information available.

Relative density No information available.

Water solubility 650 g/l

at 20 °C

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

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Auto-ignition temperature No information available.

Decomposition temperature 230 °C

Viscosity, dynamic No information available.

Explosive properties No information available.

Oxidizing properties No information available.

9.2 Other data

Bulk density ca.800 kg/m³

SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and mixtures: in correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.

10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature).

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids, strong reducing agents

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Strong heating (decomposition).

10.5 Incompatible materials

no information available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

in the event of fire: See section 5.

SECTION 11. Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity

LD50 rat: > 2.500 mg/kg OECD Test Guideline 401

Acute inhalation toxicity

This information is not available.

Acute dermal toxicity

This information is not available.

Skin irritation

rabbit

Result: No irritation

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Eye irritation

rabbit

Result: No eye irritation OECD Test Guideline 405

Sensitisation

This information is not available.

Germ cell mutagenicity Genotoxicity in vitro

Ames test Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Carcinogenicity

This information is not available.

Reproductive toxicity

This information is not available.

Teratogenicity

This information is not available.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

This information is not available.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

This information is not available.

Aspiration hazard

This information is not available.

11.2 Further information

Hazardous properties cannot be excluded but are unlikely when the product is handled appropriately.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

SECTION 12. Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish

LC50 Danio rerio (zebra fish): > 10.000 mg/l; 24 h

OECD Test Guideline 203

Toxicity to bacteria

EC0 Bacteria: > 1.000 mg/l(External MSDS)

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability

> 90 %; 22 d

OECD Test Guideline 302B

Easily eliminable.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

12.4 Mobility in soil

No information available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted.

12.6 Other adverse effects

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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SECTION 13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

See www.retrologistik.com for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

SECTION 14. Transport information

Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1 - 14.6 Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport

regulations.

Inland waterway transport (ADN)

Not relevant

Air transport (IATA)

14.1 - 14.6 Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport

regulations.

Sea transport (IMDG)

14.1 - 14.6 Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport

regulations.

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not relevant

SECTION 15. Regulatory information

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

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out.

SECTION 16. Other information

Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Used abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at www.wikipedia.org.

Regional representation

This information is given on the authorised Safety Data Sheet for your country.

The information contained herein is based on the present state of our knowledge. It characterises the product with regard to the appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent a guarantee of any properties of the product.