



# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to the (US) Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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Version 1.1

## SECTION 1. Identification

### Product identifier

Product number	814549
Product name	Formaldehyde diethyl acetal (stabilised with 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-methylphenol) for synthesis

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

Identified uses	Chemical for synthesis
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### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	EMD Millipore Corporation   290 Concord Road, Billerica, MA 01821, United States of America   SDS Phone Support: +1-978-715-1335   General Inquiries: +1-978-715-4321   Monday to Friday, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM Eastern Time (GMT-5)
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Emergency telephone	800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week
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## SECTION 2. Hazards identification

### GHS Classification

Flammable liquid, Category 2, H225

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

### GHS-Labeling

*Hazard pictograms*



*Signal Word*

Danger

*Hazard Statements*

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

*Precautionary Statements*

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

P233 Keep container tightly closed.

P260 Do not breathe vapors.

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P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

## OSHA Hazards

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

## Other hazards

None known.

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## SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Formula	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>12</sub> O <sub>2</sub> (Hill)
CAS-No.	462-95-3
Molar mass	104.15 g/mol

### Hazardous ingredients

*Chemical Name ( Concentration)*

CAS-No.

*formaldehyde diethyl acetal ( >= 90 % - <= 100 % )*  
462-95-3

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## SECTION 4. First aid measures

### Description of first-aid measures

*Inhalation*

After inhalation: fresh air.

*Skin contact*

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

*Eye contact*

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water.

*Ingestion*

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

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

We have no description of any toxic symptoms.

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

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## SECTION 5. Fire-fighting measures

### Extinguishing media

*Suitable extinguishing media*

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Foam, Dry powder

*Unsuitable extinguishing media*

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

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### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible material, Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.  
Forms explosive mixtures with air at ambient temperatures.  
Pay attention to flashback.  
Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapors possible in the event of fire.

### Advice for firefighters

*Special protective equipment for fire-fighters*  
In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

#### *Further information*

Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

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## SECTION 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders: Protective equipment see section 8.

### Environmental precautions

Do not empty into drains. Risk of explosion.

### 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 with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemisorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

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## SECTION 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

Observe label precautions.

#### *Advice on protection against fire and explosion*

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Store at +15°C to +25°C (+59°F to +77°F).

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## SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Exposure limit(s)

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### Engineering measures

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

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## Individual protection measures

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be inquired at the respective supplier.

### *Hygiene measures*

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

### *Eye/face protection*

Safety glasses

### *Hand protection*

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

### *Other protective equipment:*

Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing

### *Respiratory protection*

required when vapors/aerosols are generated.

Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

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## SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state	liquid
Color	colorless
Odor	ether-like
Odor Threshold	No information available.
pH	No information available.
Melting point	-66 °C
Boiling point/boiling range	190 °F ( 88 °C) at 1,013 hPa
Flash point	21 °F ( -6 °C) Method: c.c.
Evaporation rate	No information available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available.
Lower explosion limit	1.5 %(V)
Upper explosion limit	No information available.

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Vapor pressure	70 hPa at 68 °F ( 20 °C)
Relative vapor density	No information available.
Relative density	0.83 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 68 °F ( 20 °C)
Water solubility	91 g/l at 64 °F ( 18 °C)
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 0.84 (experimental) (Lit.) Bioaccumulation is not expected (log Pow <1).
Autoignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition temperature	No information available.
Viscosity, dynamic	0.405 mPa.s at 68 °F ( 20 °C)
Explosive properties	No information available.
Ignition temperature	345 °F ( 174 °C)

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## SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

### Reactivity

Vapors may form explosive mixture with air.

### Chemical stability

Sensitive to air.

#### *Stabilizer*

butyl hydroxytoluene (BHT)

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Strong oxidizing agents, acids

Violent reactions possible with:

### Conditions to avoid

Warming.

A range from approx. 15 Kelvin below the flash point is to be rated as critical.

### Incompatible materials

no information available

### Hazardous decomposition products

no information available

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## SECTION 11. Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

#### *Likely route of exposure*

Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact

#### *Acute oral toxicity*

LD50 rat: 3,536 mg/kg (External MSDS)

#### *Acute inhalation toxicity*

LC50 rat: 28.8 mg/l; 6 h (External MSDS)

#### *Acute dermal toxicity*

LD50 rat: > 16,600 mg/kg  
(External MSDS)

#### *Skin irritation*

rabbit

Result: slight irritation  
(External MSDS)

#### *Eye irritation*

rabbit

Result: slight irritation  
(External MSDS)

#### *Sensitization*

Sensitization test: guinea pig

Result: negative  
(External MSDS)

#### *Specific target organ systemic toxicity - single exposure*

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

#### *Specific target organ systemic toxicity - repeated exposure*

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure.

#### *Aspiration hazard*

Regarding the available data the classification criteria are not fulfilled.

### Carcinogenicity

IARC	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
OSHA	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.
NTP	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

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ACGIH No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

### Further information

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.  
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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## SECTION 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

#### *Toxicity to fish*

LC50 Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow): 764 mg/l; 96 h (External MSDS)

#### *Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates*

EC50 Daphnia: 468 mg/l; 48 h (External MSDS)

### Persistence and degradability

No information available.

### Bioaccumulative potential

#### *Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water*

log Pow: 0.84

(experimental)

(Lit.) Bioaccumulation is not expected (log Pow <1).

### Mobility in soil

No information available.

#### *Additional ecological information*

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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## SECTION 13. Disposal considerations

The information presented only applies to the material as supplied. The identification based on characteristic(s) or listing may not apply if the material has been used or otherwise contaminated. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

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## SECTION 14. Transport information

### Land transport (DOT)

UN number	UN 2373
Proper shipping name	DIETHOXYMETHANE
Class	3
Packing group	II
Environmentally hazardous	--

### Air transport (IATA)

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<b>UN number</b>	UN 2373
<b>Proper shipping name</b>	DIETHOXYMETHANE
<b>Class</b>	3
<b>Packing group</b>	II
<b>Environmentally hazardous</b>	--
<b>Special precautions for user</b>	no

#### Sea transport (IMDG)

<b>UN number</b>	UN 2373
<b>Proper shipping name</b>	DIETHOXYMETHANE
<b>Class</b>	3
<b>Packing group</b>	II
<b>Environmentally hazardous</b>	--
<b>Special precautions for user</b>	yes
<b>EmS</b>	F-E S-D

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## SECTION 15. Regulatory information

### United States of America

#### OSHA Hazards

Flammable Liquid

This information is based on 29 CFR 1910.1200 criteria prior to adoption of the GHS, and may deviate from the GHS information on the label and in section 2.

#### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard

#### SARA 313

SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

#### SARA 302

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.



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## Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A.

This product does not contain any Hazardous Chemicals listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3.

## DEA List I

Not listed

## DEA List II

Not listed

## US State Regulations

### Massachusetts Right To Know

Remarks

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### Pennsylvania Right To Know

*Ingredients*

formaldehyde diethyl acetal

### New Jersey Right To Know

*Ingredients*

formaldehyde diethyl acetal

### California Prop 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

## Notification status

TSCA: All components of the product are listed in the TSCA-inventory.

DSL: This product contains one or several components listed in the Canadian NDSL.

*Ingredients*

formaldehyde diethyl acetal

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## SECTION 16. Other information

### Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

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

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

### 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](http://www.wikipedia.org).

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