



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

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## SECTION 1. Identification

### Product identifier

Product number	EX0185
Product name	Ethyl Ether GR ACS
CAS-No.	60-29-7

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

Identified uses	Reagent for analysis
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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   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  
Acute toxicity, Category 4, Oral, H302  
Specific target organ systemic toxicity - single exposure, Category 3, Central nervous system, H336  
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.  
H302 Harmful if swallowed.  
H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

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## *Precautionary Statements*

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

P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

## **OSHA Hazards**

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). This information is based on 29 CFR 1910.1200 criteria prior to adoption of the GHS and may deviate from the GHS information.

## **Other hazards**

None known.

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## **SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients**

Formula  $C_4H_{10}O$  (Hill)

Molar mass 74.12 g/mol

### **Hazardous ingredients**

*Chemical Name ( Concentration)*

CAS-No.

*Diethyl ether ( >= 90 % - <= 100 % )*

60-29-7

Exact percentages are being withheld as a trade secret.

*ethanol ( >= 1 % - < 5 % )*

64-17-5

Exact percentages are being withheld as a trade secret.

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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: caution if victim vomits. Risk of aspiration! Keep airways free. Pulmonary failure possible after aspiration of vomit. Call a physician immediately.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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

irritant effects, respiratory paralysis, Drowsiness, Unconsciousness, inebriation, euphoria, collapse, drowsiness, ataxia (impaired locomotor coordination), Salivation, Coma, death

### **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*

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

*Unsuitable extinguishing media*

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

### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible.

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*

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

*Further information*

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

Remove container from danger zone and cool with water.

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## SECTION 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid substance contact. Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders:

Protective equipment see section 8.

### Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter 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

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapors/aerosols.

Observe label precautions.

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### *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**

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

Store at +2°C to +25°C (+36°F to +77°F).

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## **SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection**

### **Exposure limit(s)**

#### *Ingredients*

Basis	Value	Threshold limits	Remarks
<i>Diethyl ether 60-29-7</i>			
ACGIH	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	400 ppm	
	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):	500 ppm	
OSHA_TRANS	PEL:	400 ppm 1,200 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Z1A	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	400 ppm 1,200 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):	500 ppm 1,500 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
<i>ethanol 64-17-5</i>			
ACGIH	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):	1,000 ppm	
NIOSH/GUIDE	Recommended exposure limit (REL):	1,000 ppm 1,900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
OSHA_TRANS	PEL:	1,000 ppm 1,900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Z1A	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	1,000 ppm 1,900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	

### **Engineering measures**

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

### **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

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### *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.

## SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state	liquid
Color	colorless
Odor	characteristic
Odor Threshold	No information available.
pH	No information available.
Melting point	-116.3 °C
Boiling point/boiling range	94.3 °F ( 34.6 °C) at 1.013 hPa
Flash point	-40 °F ( -40 °C) Method: c.c.
Evaporation rate	Note: No information available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available.
Lower explosion limit	1.7 %(V)
Upper explosion limit	36 %(V)
Vapor pressure	587 hPa at 68 °F ( 20 °C)
Relative vapor density	No information available.
Density	0.71 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Relative density	No information available.
Water solubility	69 g/l at 68 °F ( 20 °C)

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Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	POW: 0.89 (experimental) (Lit.) Bioaccumulation is not expected.
Autoignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition temperature	Distillable in an undecomposed state at normal pressure.
Viscosity, dynamic	0.23 mPa.s at 68 °F ( 20 °C)
Explosive properties	Not classified as explosive.
Oxidizing properties	none
Ignition temperature	356 °F ( 180 °C) Method: DIN 51794

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## SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

### Reactivity

Vapors may form explosive mixture with air.

### Chemical stability

Sensitivity to light  
Sensitive to air.

#### *Stabilizer*

butyl hydroxytoluene (BHT)

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Risk of explosion with:

azides, halogens, halogen-halogen compounds, nonmetals, nonmetallic oxyhalides, Strong oxidizing agents, chromium(VI) oxide, halogen oxides, peroxi compounds, perchloric acid, perchlorates, Nitric acid, nitrating acid, Oxygen, Ozone, turpentine oils and/or turpentine substitutes, nitrates, metallic chlorides

Risk of ignition or formation of inflammable gases or vapors with:

chromyl chloride, Peroxides

### Conditions to avoid

Warming.

### Incompatible materials

rubber, various plastics

### Hazardous decomposition products

Peroxides

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## SECTION 11. Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

#### *Likely route of exposure*

Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact

#### *Target Organs*

Eyes

Skin

Respiratory system

Central nervous system

Liver

Blood

reproductive system

#### *Acute oral toxicity*

LDLO human: 260 mg/kg (RTECS)

LD50 rat: 1,215 mg/kg (RTECS)

absorption

Symptoms: Risk of aspiration upon vomiting., Aspiration may cause pulmonary edema and pneumonitis.

#### *Acute inhalation toxicity*

absorption

Symptoms: mucosal irritations

#### *Acute dermal toxicity*

LD50 rabbit: > 2,000 mg/kg

(ECHA)

#### *Skin irritation*

rabbit

Result: No irritation

OECD Test Guideline 404

Dermatitis

Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

#### *Eye irritation*

rabbit

Result: No eye irritation

OECD Test Guideline 405

#### *Sensitization*

Sensitization test: mouse

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 429

Human experience

Result: negative

(Lit.)

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## *Genotoxicity in vivo*

mouse

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 474

## *Genotoxicity in vitro*

Ames test

Salmonella typhimurium

Result: negative

(IUCLID)

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

Human lymphocytes

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 405

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test):

MOUSE LYMPHOMA TEST

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

## *Carcinogenicity*

Carcinogen classifications of IARC, NTP, California proposition 65 for Ethanol CAS 64-17-5 apply to beverage use only. This product is NOT intended for this use.

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

Target Organs: Central nervous system

May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

### *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.
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**

Narcotic!



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After absorption:

Salivation, euphoria, ataxia (impaired locomotor coordination), inebriation, collapse, Unconsciousness, Coma

Cannot be excluded:

respiratory paralysis, death

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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## SECTION 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

*Toxicity to fish*

LC50 *Leuciscus idus* (Golden orfe): 2,840 mg/l; 48 h (ECOTOX Database)

*Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates*

EC50 *Daphnia magna* (Water flea): 1,380 mg/l; 48 h (IUCLID)

*Toxicity to algae*

static test EC50 *Desmodesmus subspicatus* (green algae): > 100 mg/l; 72 h

OECD Test Guideline 201

*Toxicity to bacteria*

static test EC50 activated sludge: 21,000 mg/l; 3 h

OECD Test Guideline 209

static test NOEC activated sludge: 42 mg/l; 3 h

OECD Test Guideline 209

*Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity)*

semi-static test NOEC *Daphnia magna* (Water flea): > 100 mg/l; 21 d

OECD Test Guideline 211

### Persistence and degradability

*Biodegradability*

Not readily biodegradable.

### Bioaccumulative potential

*Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water*

POW: 0.89

(experimental)

(Lit.) Bioaccumulation is not expected.

### Mobility in soil

No information available.

### Other adverse effects

*Henry constant*

124.6 Pa·m<sup>3</sup>/mol

Method: (experimental)

(Lit.) Distribution preferentially in air.

*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 1155
Proper shipping name	DIETHYL ETHER
Class	3
Packing group	I
Environmentally hazardous	--

### Air transport (IATA)

UN number	UN 1155
Proper shipping name	DIETHYL ETHER
Class	3
Packing group	I
Environmentally hazardous	--
Special precautions for user	no

### Sea transport (IMDG)

UN number	UN 1155
Proper shipping name	DIETHYL ETHER
Class	3
Packing group	I
Environmentally hazardous	--
Special precautions for user	yes
EmS	F-E S-D

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## SECTION 15. Regulatory information

### United States of America

#### OSHA Hazards

Flammable Liquid  
Harmful if swallowed.  
Target organ effects

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#### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard

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Acute Health Hazard  
Chronic Health 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.

**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**

Listed

*Ingredients*

Diethyl ether

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**US State Regulations**

**Massachusetts Right To Know**

*Ingredients*

Diethyl ether  
ethanol

**Pennsylvania Right To Know**

*Ingredients*

Diethyl ether  
ethanol

**New Jersey Right To Know**

*Ingredients*

Diethyl ether  
ethanol

**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: All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL.

**SECTION 16. Other information**

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## 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.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

## 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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