

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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# GENERIC EU MSDS - NO COUNTRY SPECIFIC DATA - NO OEL DATA

# 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Methanesulfonic acid

Product Number : 471356

Brand : Sigma-Aldrich Index-No. : 607-145-00-4

REACH No. : 01-2119491166-34-XXXX

CAS-No. : 75-75-2

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

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Corrosive to Metals (Category 1), H290

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4), H312

Skin corrosion (Sub-category 1B), H314

Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

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

#### 2.2 Label elements

Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

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Pictogram



Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H290 May be corrosive to metals.

H302 + H312 Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statement(s)

P234 Keep only in original packaging.

P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face

protection/ hearing protection.

P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel

unwell.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated

clothing. Rinse skin with water.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue

rinsing.

Supplemental Hazard

Statements

none

### Reduced Labeling (<= 125 ml)

Pictogram

Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statement(s)

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face

protection/ hearing protection.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated

clothing. Rinse skin with water.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue

rinsing.

Supplemental Hazard

Statements

none

### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

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

#### 3.1 Substances

Formula : CH<sub>4</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S Molecular weight : 96,11 g/mol

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CAS-No. : 75-75-2 EC-No. : 200-898-6 Index-No. : 607-145-00-4

Component		Classification	Concentration
Methanesulfonic acid			
CAS-No. EC-No. Index-No.	75-75-2 200-898-6 607-145-00-4	Met. Corr. 1; Acute Tox. 4; Skin Corr. 1B; Eye Dam. 1; STOT SE 3; H290, H302, H312, H314, H318, H335 Concentration limits: >= 20 %: STOT SE 3, H335; >= 1 %: Met. Corr. 1, H290;	<= 100 %

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

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

### 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

#### **General advice**

First aiders need to protect themselves. Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.

#### In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Call a physician immediately.

### In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

#### If swallowed

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most), avoid vomiting (risk of perforation). Call a physician immediately. Do not attempt to neutralise.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

# 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Carbon dioxide (CO2) Dry powder

### Unsuitable extinguishing media

Foam Water

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### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides

Sulfur oxides

Combustible.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

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

### **5.3** Advice for firefighters

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

### 5.4 Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapors/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: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter 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 with liquid-absorbent and neutralising material (e.g. Chemizorb® H<sup>+</sup>, Merck Art. No. 101595). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

For precautions see section 2.2.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### Storage conditions

Tightly closed.

Heat sensitive.

#### 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**

### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

### 8.2 Exposure controls

### Personal protective equipment

### Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Tightly fitting safety goggles

### Skin protection

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).

Full contact

Material: Chloroprene

Minimum layer thickness: 0,65 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: KCL 720 Camapren®

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Internet: www.kcl.de).

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm Break through time: 60 min

Material tested: Camatril® (KCL 730 / Aldrich Z677442, Size M)

### **Body Protection**

Acid-resistant protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection

Recommended Filter type: Filter type B

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.

#### Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: liquid

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Color: light yellow

b) Odor characteristic

c) Odor Threshold No data available

d) pH < 1 at 20 °C

e) Melting point/range: 17 - 19 °C - lit.

point/freezing point

f) Initial boiling point 167 °C at 13 hPa - lit. and boiling range

g) Flash point 189 °C - closed cup - DIN 51755 Part 1

h) Evaporation rate No data availablei) Flammability (solid, No data available

gas)

j) Upper/lower Upper explosion limit: 24,3 %(V) flammability or Explosive limits Upper explosion limit: 11,4 %(V)

k) Vapor pressure 0,112 hPa at 80 °C - OECD Test Guideline 104

I) Vapor density 3,32 - (Air = 1.0)m) Relative density No data available

n) Water solubility ca.1.000 g/l at 20 °C - completely miscible

o) Partition coefficient: log Pow: -2,38 at 20 °C - - Bioaccumulation is not expected. n-octanol/water

p) Autoignition 535 °C

temperature at 1.010 hPa - DIN 51794

q) Decomposition No data available

temperature

r) Viscosity Viscosity, kinematic: 7,86 mm2/s at 25 °C

Viscosity, dynamic: 11,6 mPa.s at 25 °C

s) Explosive properties No data availablet) Oxidizing properties No data available

#### 9.2 Other safety information

Dissociation constant -1,54 at 25 °C

Relative vapor 3,32 - (Air = 1.0)

density

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1 Reactivity

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.
A range from approx. 15 Kelvin below the flash point is to be rated as critical.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

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

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### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:

strong alkalis

Oxidizing agents

strong reducing agents

Amines

Hydrogen fluoride

acids

strong alkalis

Bases

Risk of explosion/exothermic reaction with:

Water

Hydrogen fluoride

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat.

Strong heating.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

various metals, i.a., Iron, Copper, brass, Mild steel

# 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 648,7 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 401)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - male and female - 2.000 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 402)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - In vitro study

Result: Causes burns. - 4 h (OECD Test Guideline 435)

### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Causes burns. (OECD Test Guideline 405)

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Buehler Test - Guinea pig

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Ames test

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Test system: Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test

Test system: Chinese hamster ovary cells

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

Result: negative

Test Type: In vivo micronucleus test

Species: Mouse

Cell type: Bone marrow Application Route: Oral

Method: OECD Test Guideline 474

Result: negative

### Carcinogenicity

No data available

#### Reproductive toxicity

No data available

### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation.

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

#### 11.2 Additional Information

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male - Oral - 7 Days - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - >= 1.805 mg/kgRemarks: (ECHA)

RTECS: PB1140000

burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish static test LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 73 mg/l - 96 h

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(OECD Test Guideline 203)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 70 mg/l  $\,$  - 48 h

(OECD Test Guideline 202)

Toxicity to algae

static test ErC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) - 12

- 24 mg/l - 72 h

(OECD Test Guideline 201)

Toxicity to bacteria static test EC50 - activated sludge - > 1.000 mg/l - 0,5 h

(OECD Test Guideline 209)

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability aerobic Chemical oxygen demand - Exposure time 28 d

Result: 90 - 100 % - Readily biodegradable.

(OECD Test Guideline 301A)

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

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**

#### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 3265 IMDG: 3265 IATA: 3265

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Methanesulfonic acid) IMDG: CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Methanesulfonic acid)

IATA: Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s. (Methanesulfonic acid)

# 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 8 IMDG: 8 IATA: 8

# 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: II IMDG: II IATA: II

### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no IMDG Marine pollutant: no IATA: no

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### 14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

### **National legislation**

Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances.

: Not applicable

#### Other regulations

Observe work restrictions regarding maternity protection in accordance to Dir 92/85/EEC or stricter national regulations where applicable.

Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work.

### 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

### **SECTION 16: Other information**

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

H290	May be corrosive to metals.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H302 + H312	Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin.
H312	Harmful in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

### **Further information**

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.sigma-aldrich.com and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.

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