

Ethylene Glycol

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Ethylene Glycol

Synonyms/Generic Names: 1,2-Dihydroxyethane; 1,2-Ethanediol; 1,2-Ethandiol; Ethylene dihydrate; Glycol alcohol; Monoethylene glycol; Tescol

SDS Number: 277.00

Product Use: For Educational Use Only

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

OSHA Hazards: Target organ effect, Harmful by ingestion, Irritant, Teratogen

Target Organs: Liver, Cardiovascular system, Eyes, Kidney, Central nervous system

Signal Words: Warning

Pictograms:



GHS Classification:

Acute toxicity, Oral	Category 4
Eye irritation	Category 2B

GHS Label Elements, including precautionary statements:

Hazard Statements:

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H320	Causes eye irritation.

Precautionary Statements:

P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
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Potential Health Effects

Eyes	Causes eye irritation.
Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
Skin	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
Ingestion	Toxic if swallowed.

NFPA Ratings

Health	2
Flammability	1
Reactivity	0
Specific hazard	Not Available

HMIS Ratings

Health	2
Fire	1
Reactivity	0
Personal	C

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	Weight %	CAS #	EINECS# / ELINCS#	Formula	Molecular Weight
Ethylene Glycol	100	107-21-1	203-473-3	C ₂ H ₆ O ₂	62.07 g/mol

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Eyes	In case of eye contact, rinse with plenty of water and seek medical attention.
Inhalation	Move casualty to fresh air and keep at rest. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention.
Skin	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and wash using soap. Get medical attention.
Ingestion	Do Not Induce Vomiting! Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If conscious, wash out mouth with water. Get medical attention.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media	Product is flammable at high temperatures. Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Use appropriate media for adjacent fire. Cool containers with water.
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Wear self-contained, approved breathing apparatus and full protective clothing, including eye protection and boots.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Emits toxic fumes (carbon oxides) under fire conditions. (See also Stability and Reactivity section).

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment.
Environmental precautions	Prevent spillage from entering drains. Any release to the environment may be subject to federal/national or local reporting requirements.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	Neutralize spill with sodium bicarbonate or lime. Absorb spill with noncombustible absorbent material, then place in a suitable container for

	disposal. Clean surfaces thoroughly with water to remove residual contamination. Dispose of all waste and cleanup materials in accordance with regulations.
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7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment. Use with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after using. Keep container closed when not in use. Avoid formation of aerosols.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in cool, dry well ventilated area. Keep away from incompatible materials (see section 10 for incompatibilities).

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational exposure controls:

Component	Exposure Limits	Basis	Entity
Ethylene Glycol	100 mg/m ³	STEL	ACGIH
	50 ppm 125 mg/m ³	STEL	OSHA

TWA: Time Weighted Average over 8 hours of work.

TLV: Threshold Limit Value over 8 hours of work.

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit during x minutes.

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

WEEL: Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

CEIL: Ceiling

Personal Protection

Eyes	Wear chemical safety glasses or goggles.
Inhalation	Provide local exhaust, preferably mechanical. If exposure levels are excessive, use an approved respirator.
Skin	Wear nitrile or rubber gloves, apron or lab coat.
Other	Not Available

Other Recommendations

Provide eyewash stations, quick-drench showers and washing facilities accessible to areas of use and handling.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance (physical state, color, etc.)	Colorless, syrupy liquid.
Odor	Odorless.
Odor threshold	Not Available
pH	Not Available
Melting point/freezing point	-13°C (9°F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	197.6°C (387.7°F)
Flash point	CLOSED CUP: 111°C (231.8°F)
Evaporation rate	1

Flammability (solid, gas)	Flammable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limit	LOWER: 3.2% UPPER: 15.3%
Vapor pressure	0.11 hPa (0.08 mmHg) at 20°C (68°F) 0.13 hPa (0.10 mmHg) at 20°C (68°F)
Vapor density	2.14 (Air = 1)
Density	1.1088 (Water = 1)
Solubility (ies)	Soluble in cold water, hot water, acetone. Slightly soluble in diethyl ether. Miscible with lower aliphatic alcohols, glycerol, acetic acid, acetone and similar ketones, aldehydes, pyridine, similar coal tar bases.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: -1.36
Auto-ignition temperature	398°C (748.4°F)
Decomposition temperature	Not Available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability	Stable
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	Will not occur.
Conditions to Avoid	Not Available
Incompatible Materials	Strong acids, strong oxidizing agents, strong bases, aldehydes, aluminum.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Carbon oxides.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity

Skin	LD50 Dermal - rabbit - 10,626 mg/kg
Eyes	Eyes - rabbit - Mild eye irritation - 24 h
Respiratory	Not Available
Ingestion	LD50 Oral - rat - 4,700 mg/kg

Carcinogenicity

IARC	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
ACGIH	A4: Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.
NTP	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
OSHA	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Signs & Symptoms of Exposure

Skin	Irritation, redness, itchiness.
Eyes	Irritation, redness, watering eyes, itchiness.
Respiratory	Respiratory failure, convulsions, cardiovascular collapse, pulmonary edema.
Ingestion	Nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, weakness, muscle tenderness.

Chronic Toxicity	Not Available
Teratogenicity	Not Available
Mutagenicity	Not Available
Embryotoxicity	Not Available
Specific Target Organ Toxicity	Not Available
Reproductive Toxicity	Not Available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Aquatic Vertebrate	LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 18,500 mg/l - 96 h LC50 - Leuciscus idus (Golden orfe) - > 10,000 mg/l - 48 h NOEC - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 32,000 mg/l - 7 d NOEC - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 39,140 mg/l - 96 h
Aquatic Invertebrate	EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 74,000 mg/l - 24 h NOEC - Daphnia - 24,000 mg/l - 48 h LC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 41,000 mg/l - 48 h
Terrestrial	Not Available

Persistence and Degradability	Not Available
Bioaccumulative Potential	Other fish - 61 d Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 0.60
Mobility in Soil	Not Available
PBT and vPvB Assessment	Not Available
Other Adverse Effects	Not Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Residues	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste products or residues.
Product Containers	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste product container.

The information offered in section 13 is for the product as shipped. Use and/or alterations to the product may significantly change the characteristics of the material and alter the waste classification and proper disposal methods.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

US DOT	Not Dangerous Goods
TDG	Not Dangerous Goods
IMDG	Not Dangerous Goods
Marine Pollutant	No
IATA/ICAO	Not Dangerous Goods

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA Inventory Status	All ingredients are listed on the TSCA inventory.
DSCL (EEC)	All ingredients are listed on the DSCL inventory.
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
SARA 302	Not Listed
SARA 304	Not Listed
SARA 311	Ethylene Glycol
SARA 312	Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard
SARA 313	Listed: Ethylene Glycol
WHMIS Canada	CLASS D-2A: Material causing other toxic effects (VERY TOXIC).

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision	Date
Revision 1	01/08/2013

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