

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : 2-Mercaptoethanol for synthesis

Product Number : 8.05740
Catalogue No. : 805740
Brand : Millipore
CAS-No. : 60-24-2

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

Identified uses : Chemical for synthesis

# 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

### GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable liquids (Category 4), H227 Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3), H301

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 3), H331

Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 2), H310

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315

Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318 Skin sensitization (Sub-category 1A), H317

Reproductive toxicity (Category 2), H361

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Oral (Category 2), Liver, Heart, H373

Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 1), H400 Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard (Category 2), H411

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



# 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram	
Signal word	Danger
Hazard statement(s) H227	Combustible liquid
	Combustible liquid.
H301 + H331 H310	Toxic if swallowed or if inhaled.  Fatal in contact with skin.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H318 H361	Causes serious eye damage.
H373	Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
ПЗ/З	May cause damage to organs (Liver, Heart) through prolonged
H400	or repeated exposure if swallowed.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
Precautionary statement(s	
P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and
	understood.
P210	Keep away from heat/ sparks/ open flames/ hot surfaces. No
22.50	smoking.
P260	Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.
P262	Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P272	Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the
P273	workplace.
P273 P280	Avoid release to the environment.  Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face
F200	protection.
P301 + P310 + P330	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.
1301 1 1310 1 1330	Rinse mouth.
P302 + P350 + P310	IF ON SKIN: Gently wash with plenty of soap and water.
1302 1 1330 1 1310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.
P302 + P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P304 + P340 + P311	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable
	for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.
P305 + P351 + P338 +	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.
P310	Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue
	rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.
P308 + P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
P333 + P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P362	Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
P370 + P378	In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant
	foam to extinguish.
P391	Collect spillage.
P403 + P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P403 + P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal



# **2.3** Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS Stench.

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

### 3.1 Substances

Formula : C2H6OS Molecular weight : 78.13 g/mol CAS-No. : 60-24-2 EC-No. : 200-464-6

Component	Classification	Concentration
Mercaptoethanol		
	Flam. Liq. 4; Acute Tox. 3; Acute Tox. 2; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Dam. 1; Skin Sens. 1A; Repr. 2; STOT RE 2; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 2; H227, H301, H331, H310, H315, H318, H317, H361, H373, H400, H411 M-Factor - Aquatic Acute:	<= 100 %
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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. Immediately call in physician. If breathing stops: immediately apply artificial respiration, if necessary also oxygen.

### 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

If swallowed: give water to drink (two glasses at most). Seek medical advice immediately. In exceptional cases only, if medical care is not available within one hour, induce vomiting (only in persons who are wide awake and fully conscious), administer activated charcoal (20 - 40 g in a 10% slurry) and consult a doctor as quickly as possible.

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### 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

Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO2) 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

Carbon oxides

Sulfur oxides

Combustible.

Fire may cause evolution of:

Sulfur oxides, hydrogen sulphide

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

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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

Remove container from danger zone and cool with water. 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. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. 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 carefully with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). 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

### Advice on safe handling

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

### Advice on protection against fire and explosion

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

### **Hygiene measures**

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

For precautions see section 2.2.

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

### Storage conditions

Tightly closed. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1A: Combustible, acute toxic Cat. 1 and 2 / very toxic hazardous materials

### 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

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Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control	Basis	
			parameters		
Mercaptoethanol	60-24-2	TWA	0.2 ppm	USA. Workplace Environmental	
				Exposure Levels (WEEL)	
	Remarks	Skin			

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

# **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: butyl-rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.7 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Butoject® (KCL 898)

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Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm Break through time: 120 min

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

# **Body Protection**

protective clothing

### **Respiratory protection**

required when vapours/aerosols are generated. Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

# 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

Color: colorless

characteristic b) Odor

c) Odor Threshold 5.7 ppm

4.5 - 6 at 500 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) d) pH

Melting point: < -50 °C (< -58 °F) e) Melting

point/freezing point

157 °C 315 °F Initial boiling point

and boiling range

g) Flash point 74 °C (165 °F) - closed cup

h) Evaporation rate No data available Flammability (solid,

gas)

No data available

j) Upper/lower Upper explosion limit: 18 %(V) flammability or Lower explosion limit: 2.3 %(V) explosive limits

0.76 hPa at 20 °C (68 °F) k) Vapor pressure

I) Vapor density 2.70 - (Air = 1.0)m) Relative density No data available

n) Water solubility soluble

o) Partition coefficient: log Pow: -0.056 at 25 °C (77 °F) - Bioaccumulation is not

n-octanol/water expected.

p) Autoignition No data available

temperature

q) Decomposition No data available

temperature

r) Viscosity No data availables) Explosive properties No data availablet) Oxidizing properties No data available

# 9.2 Other safety information

Relative vapor 2.70 - (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) .

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Strong heating.

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Metals, Oxidizing agents

### 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 - Mouse - 190 mg/kg

Remarks: (RTECS)

Symptoms: Irritations of mucous membranes in the mouth, pharynx, oesophagus and

gastrointestinal tract.

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male - 4 h - 2.05 mg/l

Remarks: (ECHA)

Symptoms: Possible damages:, mucosal irritations, Cough, Shortness of breath

Millipore SigMa LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - male and female - 112 - 224 mg/kg

Remarks: (ECHA) No data available

### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit Result: Irritations

(OECD Test Guideline 404)

### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Severe irritations

(Draize Test)

Remarks: (External MSDS) Risk of corneal clouding.

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Maximization Test - Guinea pig

Result: positive

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test

Species: Mouse

Cell type: Bone marrow

Application Route: Intraperitoneal Method: OECD Test Guideline 474

Result: negative

### 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.

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.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is

on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

### Reproductive toxicity

Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

Suspected of damaging fertility.

### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Ingestion - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. - Liver, Heart

### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

#### 11.2 Additional Information

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - 49 d - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - 15 mg/kg - LOAEL (Lowest observed adverse effect level) - 50 mg/kg

burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea, Vomiting, Weakness, Unconsciousness, Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the

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mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Systemic effects:

CNS disorders Nausea Vomiting Convulsions narcosis

The following applies to mercaptans in general: offensive odour.

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

This substance should be handled with particular care.

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

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish static test LC50 - Leuciscus idus (Golden orfe) - 37 mg/l - 96 h

(DIN 38412 T15)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic

static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 0.4 mg/l - 48 h

(OECD Test Guideline 202)

Toxicity to algae

invertebrates

static test ErC50 - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - 19

mg/I - 72 h

(OECD Test Guideline 201)

Toxicity to bacteria static test EC50 - Pseudomonas putida - 125 mg/l - 17 h

(DIN 38 412 Part 8)

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability Result: > 70 % - rapidly biodegradable

Remarks: (ECHA)

Biochemical Oxygen 105 mg/g

Demand (BOD) Remarks: (IUCLID)

Chemical Oxygen 1.894 mg/g

Demand (COD) Remarks: (IUCLID)

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Does not accumulate in organisms.

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data 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

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

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### **Product**

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself. 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**

DOT (US)

UN number: 2966 Class: 6.1 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Thioglycol Reportable Quantity (RQ): Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 2966 Class: 6.1 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-A, S-A

Proper shipping name: THIOGLYCOL

Marine pollutant : yes

**IATA** 

UN number: 2966 Class: 6.1 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Thioglycol

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

#### **SARA 302 Components**

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

### **SARA 313 Components**

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.

### **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

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



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

#### **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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