

# 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 : Acrylamide  
Product Number : A8887  
Brand : Sigma  
Index-No. : 616-003-00-0  
CAS-No. : 79-06-1

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

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

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### 1.4 Emergency telephone

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+1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC  
(International)  
24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### GHS Classification in accordance with Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) (SOR/2015-17)

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3), H301  
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332  
Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4), H312  
Skin irritation (Category 2), H315  
Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319  
Skin sensitization (Category 1), H317  
Germ cell mutagenicity (Category 1B), H340  
Carcinogenicity (Category 1B), H350  
Reproductive toxicity (Category 2), H361

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Oral (Category 1), Peripheral nervous system, H372

Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 3), H402

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)

H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H312 + H332	Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H340	May cause genetic defects.
H350	May cause cancer.
H361	Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
H372	Causes damage to organs (Peripheral nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure if swallowed.
H402	Harmful to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement(s)

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P260	Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.
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 should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301 + P310 + P330	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor. Rinse mouth.
P302 + P352 + P312	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell.
P304 + P340 + P312	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P308 + P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
P333 + P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P337 + P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.
P362 + P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

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

- none

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### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : Acrylic acid amide  
2-Propenamide

Formula : C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>5</sub>NO  
Molecular weight : 71.08 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 79-06-1  
EC-No. : 201-173-7  
Index-No. : 616-003-00-0

Component	Classification	Concentration *
<b>acrylamide</b>		
	Acute Tox. 3; Acute Tox. 4; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2A; Skin Sens. 1; Muta. 1B; Carc. 1B; Repr. 2; STOT RE 1; Aquatic Acute 3; H301, H332, H312, H315, H319, H317, H340, H350, H361, H372, H402	<= 100 %
* Weight %		

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

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### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

##### General advice

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. Consult a physician.

##### In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. 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.

**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

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**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

**5.1 Extinguishing media**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) 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

Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>)

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.

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**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

**6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid generation and inhalation of dusts in all circumstances. 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 carefully. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

**6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture.

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

Light sensitive.

#### Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1C: Combustible, acute toxic Cat.3 / toxic compounds or compounds which causing chronic effects

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
acrylamide	79-06-1	TWAEV	0.03 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants
Remarks	Skin (percutaneous) Carcinogenic effect suspected in humans			
		TWA	0.03 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
	Substance may be readily absorbed through intact skin			
		TWA	0.03 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Canada. British Columbia OEL
	Substance with specific evidence of sensitization by dermal route IARC '2A' applies to substances deemed probably carcinogenic to humans on the basis of limited evidence of carcinogenicity in humans. ACGIH 'A2' applies to those substances that are considered suspected human carcinogens. Contributes significantly to the overall exposure by the skin route.			

		TWA	0.03 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
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## 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). Safety glasses

#### 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](http://www.kcl.de)).

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L

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Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L

#### Body Protection

protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection

required when dusts 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.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| a) Appearance     | Form: crystalline<br>Color: white |
| b) Odor           | odorless                          |
| c) Odor Threshold | Not applicable                    |

d) pH	5.2 - 6 at 500 g/l
e) Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 82 - 86 °C (180 - 187 °F) - lit.
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	125 °C 257 °F at 33 hPa - lit.
g) Flash point	138 °C (280 °F) - closed cup
h) Evaporation rate	No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k) Vapor pressure	2.1 hPa at 84.50 °C (184.10 °F) 0.04 hPa at 40 °C(104 °F)
l) Vapor density	2.45 - (Air = 1.0)
m) Density	1.12 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 30 °C (86 °F)
Relative density	1.12 at 30 °C (86 °F) - OPPTS 830.7300
n) Water solubility	200 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F)
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: -0.9 at 20 °C (68 °F) - Bioaccumulation is not expected.
p) Autoignition temperature	No data available
q) Decomposition temperature	No data available
r) Viscosity	No data available
s) Explosive properties	No data available
t) Oxidizing properties	none

## 9.2 Other safety information

Relative vapor density	2.45 - (Air = 1.0)
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## 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.  
The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and mixtures: in correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

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

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:

alkalines  
Oxidizing agents  
Reducing agents  
Bases  
Metals  
Peroxides  
acids

#### **10.4 Conditions to avoid**

Strong heating.

#### **10.5 Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidizing agents

#### **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

In the event of fire: see section 5

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### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**

##### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - female - 177 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 401)

Acute toxicity estimate Inhalation - 1.6 mg/l

(Expert judgment)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - male and female - 1,141 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 402)

Remarks: (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)

No data available

##### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Causes skin irritation. (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)

##### **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Eye irritation - 24 h

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

(Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)

##### **Respiratory or skin sensitization**

Maximization Test - Guinea pig

Result: positive

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

Remarks: (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)

##### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

May cause genetic defects.

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro

Test system: Chinese hamster lung cells

Metabolic activation: without metabolic activation



Method: OECD Test Guideline 473  
Result: positive  
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: dominant lethal test  
Species: Rat

Application Route: Oral  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 478  
Result: positive

#### **Carcinogenicity**

Presumed to have carcinogenic potential for humans

#### **Reproductive toxicity**

Suspected of damaging fertility.

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

No data available

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

Oral - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. - Peripheral nervous system

#### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

### **11.2 Additional Information**

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - 2 yr - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - 0.5 mg/kg

RTECS: AS3325000

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

Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### **12.1 Toxicity**

Toxicity to fish	static test LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 180 mg/l - 96 h (OECD Test Guideline 203)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	flow-through test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 98 mg/l - 48 h (US-EPA)
Toxicity to algae	static test NOEC - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata - 56 mg/l - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201)
Toxicity to bacteria	EC50 - Photobacterium phosphoreum - 13,500 mg/l

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Remarks: (IUCLID)

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability aerobic - Exposure time 28 d  
Result: 100 % - Readily biodegradable.  
(OECD Test Guideline 301D)

## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 72 h  
- 0.71 mg/l(acrylamide)

Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 1.65

## 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

No data available

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## 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](http://www.retrologistik.com) for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### TDG

UN number: 2074 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III  
Proper shipping name: ACRYLAMIDE, SOLID  
Labels: 6.1  
ERG Code: 153P  
Marine pollutant: no

### IMDG

UN number: 2074 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-A, S-A  
Proper shipping name: ACRYLAMIDE, SOLID

### IATA

UN number: 2074 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III  
Proper shipping name: Acrylamide, solid

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**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR.

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**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](http://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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