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SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product Identifier

Product Description:

Methyl (R)-(+)-lactate

Cat No.

414490010; 414490050; 414490000

Synonyms

D-Lactic Acid Methyl Ester

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

Recommended Use

Laboratory chemicals

Uses advised against

No Information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

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For information in Europe, call: +32 14 57 52 11

Emergency Number, Europe: +32 14 57 52 99

Emergency Number, US: 001-201-796-7100

CHEMTREC Phone Number, US: 001-800-424-9300

CHEMTREC Phone Number, Europe: 001-703-527-3887

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2
Specific target organ systemic toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3
Flammable liquids.	Category 3

Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

For the full text of the R-phrases and H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

Symbol(s)

Xi - Irritant

R-phrases(s)

R10 - Flammable

Risk Combination Phrases

R36/37 - Irritating to eyes and respiratory system

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SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Label Elements



Signal Word

Warning

Hazard Statements

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation
H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor

Precautionary Statements - EU (§28, 1272/2008)

P261 - Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray
P280 - Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection
P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
P210 - Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking

Other Hazards

No information available.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	EC-No.	Weight %	CAS-No	67/548/EEC Classification	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	REACH No.
Methyl (R)-lactate 17392-83-5	EEC No. 241-420-6	98	17392-83-5	R10 Xi; R36/37	Eye Irrit. 2 (H319) STOT SE 3 (H335) Flam. Liq. 3 (H226)	-

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SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**Description of first aid measures****Eye Contact**

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Obtain medical attention.

Ingestion

Clean mouth with water. Get medical attention.

Inhalation

Remove from exposure, lie down. Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Obtain medical attention.

Notes to Physician

Treat symptomatically

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**Extinguishing media****Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO₂). Dry chemical. chemical foam.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Flammable. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back.

Advice for fire-fighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation

Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

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Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Do not let this chemical enter the environment.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not ingest. Use explosion-proof equipment. Use only non-sparking tools.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Flammables area.

Specific End Uses

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Biological limit values

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

No information available.

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

No information available.

Exposure controls

Engineering Measures

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location

Personal protective equipment

Eye Protection

Goggles

Hand Protection

Protective gloves

Skin and body protection

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

Respiratory Protection

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

Environmental exposure controls

No information available.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State

Liquid

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Appearance	Colorless
pH	No information available.
Vapor Density	3.6
Boiling Point/Range	144 - 145°C / 291.2 - 293°F @ 760 mmHg
Melting Point/Range	0.00°C / 32°F
Flash Point	49°C / 120.2°F
Autoignition Temperature	385°C / 725°F
Water Solubility	miscible, hydrolyses
Specific Gravity	1.090
Molecular Formula	C4 H8 O3
Molecular Weight	104.11

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Chemical Stability

Moisture sensitive.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Hazardous Polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Hazardous Reactions .	No information available.

Conditions to Avoid

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition, Incompatible products, Exposure to moist air or water.

Incompatible Materials

Acids, Bases, Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute Toxicity

Product Information No acute toxicity information is available for this product

Component Information

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SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Chronic Toxicity****Carcinogenicity**

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

Sensitization

No information available.

Mutagenic Effects

No information available

Reproductive Effects

No information available.

Developmental Effects

No information available.

Target Organs

No information available.

Endocrine Disruptor Information

None known

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Toxicity****Ecotoxicity effects**

Do not empty into drains

Persistence and degradability

No information available

Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

Mobility in soil

No information available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**Other adverse effects**

No information available

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**Waste treatment methods****Waste from Residues / Unused Products**

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

Contaminated Packaging

Empty containers should be taken to local recyclers for disposal

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SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IMDG/IMO

UN-No 3272
Hazard Class 3
Packing Group III
Proper Shipping Name ESTERS, N.O.S.

ADR

UN-No 3272
Hazard Class 3
Packing Group III
Proper Shipping Name ESTERS, N.O.S.

IATA

UN-No 3272
Hazard Class 3
Packing Group III
Proper Shipping Name ESTERS, N.O.S.*

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

International Inventories

Component	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	CHINA	AICS	KECL
Methyl (R)-lactate	241-420-6	-		-	-	-	-	X	-	-	-

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

CHINA - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

AICS - Inventory of Chemical Substances

KECL - Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

Chemical Safety Assessment

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SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3**

R10 - Flammable

R36/37 - Irritating to eyes and respiratory system

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Revision Summary

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

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End of Safety Data Sheet