

## 1 Identification

### Product identifier

**Product name:** (Methylthio)acetaldehyde dimethyl acetal

**Stock number:** B22667, L09865

**CAS Number:**  
40015-15-4

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

**Identified use:** SU24 Scientific research and development

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

#### Manufacturer/Supplier:

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Thermo Fisher Scientific Chemicals, Inc.  
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Ward Hill, MA 01835-8099  
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**Information Department:** Health, Safety and Environmental Department

#### Emergency telephone number:

During normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 8am-7pm EST), call (800) 343-0660. After normal business hours, call Carechem 24 at (866) 928-0789.

## 2 Hazard(s) identification

### Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)



GHS02 Flame

Flam. Liq. 3 H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.



GHS07

Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

**Hazards not otherwise classified** No information known.

### Label elements

**GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

### Hazard pictograms



GHS02 GHS07

### Signal word

Warning

### Hazard statements

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### Precautionary statements

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

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

### WHMIS classification

B3 - Combustible liquid

D2B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects



### Classification system

HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)

(Hazardous Materials Identification System)

HEALTH 1 Health (acute effects) = 1

FIRE 2 Flammability = 2

REACTIVITY 1 Physical Hazard = 1

### Other hazards

### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

## 3 Composition/information on ingredients

### Chemical characterization: Substances

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## 4 First-aid measures

### Description of first aid measures

#### After inhalation

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm.

Seek immediate medical advice.

#### After skin contact

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

Seek immediate medical advice.

**After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

**After swallowing** Seek medical treatment.

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<div>Information for doctor Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.</div>	
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<b>5 Fire-fighting measures</b> Extinguishing media Suitable extinguishing agents CO2, sand, extinguishing powder. Do not use water. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide Sulfur oxides (SOx) Advice for firefighters Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respirator. Wear fully protective impervious suit.	
<b>6 Accidental release measures</b> Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away. Ensure adequate ventilation Keep away from ignition sources Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Keep away from ignition sources. Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust). Ensure adequate ventilation. Prevention of secondary hazards: Keep away from ignition sources. Reference to other sections See Section 7 for information on safe handling See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment. See Section 13 for disposal information.	
<b>7 Handling and storage</b> Handling Precautions for safe handling Keep container tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers. Ensure good ventilation at the workplace. Information about protection against explosions and fires: Protect against electrostatic charges. Fumes can combine with air to form an explosive mixture. Keep ignition sources away. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Storage Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements. Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from oxidizing agents. Further information about storage conditions: Keep container tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers. Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.	
<b>8 Exposure controls/personal protection</b> Additional information about design of technical systems: Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute. Control parameters Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: Not required. Additional information: No data Exposure controls Personal protective equipment General protective and hygienic measures The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed. Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols. Avoid contact with the eyes. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin. Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment. Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present. Protection of hands: Impervious gloves Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition. The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Eye protection: Safety glasses Body protection: Protective work clothing.	
<b>9 Physical and chemical properties</b> Information on basic physical and chemical properties General Information Appearance: Form: Liquid Color: Colorless Odor: Unpleasant Odor threshold: Not determined. pH-value: Not determined. Change in condition Melting point/Melting range: Not determined	
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Boiling point/Boiling range:	170-171 °C (338-340 °F)
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined
Flash point:	53 °C (127 °F)
Flammability (solid, gaseous)	Not determined.
Ignition temperature:	Not determined
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined
Auto igniting:	Not determined.
Danger of explosion:	Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapor mixtures is possible.
Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined
Upper:	Not determined
Vapor pressure:	Not determined
Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	1.022 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (8.529 lbs/gal)
Relative density	Not determined.
Vapor density	Not determined.
Evaporation rate	Not determined.
Solubility in / Miscibility with	
Water:	Not miscible or difficult to mix
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
Viscosity:	
dynamic:	Not determined.
kinematic:	Not determined.
Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	No information known.
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:	Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	No dangerous reactions known
Conditions to avoid	No further relevant information available.
Incompatible materials:	Oxidizing agents
Hazardous decomposition products:	
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide	
Sulfur oxides (SOx)	

11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects	
Acute toxicity:	No effects known.
LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:	No data
Skin irritation or corrosion:	May cause irritation
Eye irritation or corrosion:	Causes serious eye irritation.
Sensitization:	No sensitizing effects known.
Germ cell mutagenicity:	No effects known.
Carcinogenicity:	No classification data on carcinogenic properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.
Reproductive toxicity:	No effects known.
Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure:	No effects known.
Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure:	May cause respiratory irritation.
Aspiration hazard:	No effects known.
Subacute to chronic toxicity:	No effects known.
Additional toxicological information:	To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.


12 Ecological information

Toxicity	
Aquatic toxicity:	No further relevant information available.
Persistence and degradability	No further relevant information available.
Bioaccumulative potential	No further relevant information available.
Mobility in soil	No further relevant information available.
Additional ecological information:	
General notes:	
Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.	
Avoid transfer into the environment.	
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	
PBT:	Not applicable.
vPvB:	Not applicable.
Other adverse effects	No further relevant information available.


13 Disposal considerations



Waste treatment methods	
Recommendation	Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal.
Uncleaned packagings:	
Recommendation:	Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

UN-Number	
DOT, IMDG, IATA	UN1993
UN proper shipping name	
DOT	Flammable liquids, n.o.s. ((Methylthio)acetaldehyde dimethyl acetal)
IMDG, IATA	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. ((Methylthio)acetaldehyde dimethyl acetal)
Transport hazard class(es)	
DOT	
	
Class	3 Flammable liquids.

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Label Class Label IMDG, IATA	3 3 (F1) Flammable liquids 3
	
Class Label	3 Flammable liquids. 3
Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA	III
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable.
Special precautions for user	Warning: Flammable liquids
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
Transport/Additional information:	
DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT):	No
UN "Model Regulation":	UN1993, Flammable liquids, n.o.s. ((Methylthio)acetaldehyde dimethyl acetal), 3, III

15 Regulatory information	
Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture	
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Hazard pictograms	
 	
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National regulations	
This product is not listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory. Use of this product is restricted to research and development only. This product must be used by or directly under the supervision of a technically qualified individual as defined by TSCA. This product must not be used for commercial purposes or in formulations for commercial purposes.	
SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings) Substance is not listed.	
California Proposition 65	
Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer Substance is not listed.	
Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed.	
Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed.	
Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.	
Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals.	
Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations	
Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.	
The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed.	
Substance is not listed.	
Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.	
Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.	

16 Other information	
Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.	
Department issuing SDS: Global Marketing Department	
Date of preparation / last revision 11/24/2015 / -	
Abbreviations and acronyms:	
RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)	
IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)	
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization	
ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)	
ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)	
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods	
DOT: US Department of Transportation	
IATA: International Air Transport Association	
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)	
HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)	
WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada)	
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent	
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent	
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative	
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)	
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)	
NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)	
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer	
EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)	