

## Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH)  
Classifications according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.  
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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### 1.1. Product name:

Methoxychlor

### 1.1. Catalog No.:

674954

### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture

Identified: Laboratory chemical  
uses: R&D

### 1.3. Uses advised against:

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### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture  
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008  
Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302  
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332  
Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4), H312  
Carcinogenicity (Category 2), H351  
Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H400  
Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H410 Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC  
Xn Harmful R20/21/22, R40, R50/53

### 2.2. Label elements

#### 2.2.1. Pictogram



#### 2.2.2.

Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H302 + H312 + H332 Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Supplemental Hazard

Statements

none

2.3 Other hazards - none

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

Synonyms : 2,2-Bis(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,1,1-trichloroethane

DMDT

1,1,1-Trichloro-2,2-bis-(p-methoxyphenyl)ethane

Formula : C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>15</sub>Cl<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>

Molecular Weight : 345,65 g/mol

CAS-No. : 72-43-5

EC-No. : 200-779-9

Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component Classification Concentration

Methoxychlor

CAS-No.

EC-No.

72-43-5

200-779-9

Acute Tox. 4; Carc. 2; Aquatic

Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1;

H302 + H312 + H332, H351,

H410

<= 100 %

Hazardous ingredients according to Directive 1999/45/EC

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Xn, R20/21/22 - R40 - R50/53 <= 100 %

#### 3.1.1. Formula

C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>15</sub>Cl<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>

#### 3.1.2. Molecular Weight (g/mol)

345.65

### 3.1.3. CAS-No.

72-43-5

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

### 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

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas

Nature of decomposition products not known.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

### 5.4 Further information

no data available

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

#### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

For precautions see section 2.2.

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

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

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

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

### 8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices.

Wash and dry hands. Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- a) Appearance Form: solid
  - b) Odour no data available
  - c) Odour Threshold no data available
  - d) pH no data available
  - e) Melting point/freezing point  
Melting point/range: 86 - 88 °C - lit.
  - f) Initial boiling point and boiling range  
no data available
  - g) Flash point no data available
  - h) Evaporation rate no data available
  - i) Flammability (solid, gas) no data available
  - j) Upper/lower flammability or  
no data available explosive limits
  - k) Vapour pressure no data available
  - l) Vapour density no data available
  - m) Relative density no data available
  - n) Water solubility no data available
  - o) Partition coefficient: octanol/  
water  
no data available
  - p) Auto-ignition  
temperature  
no data available
  - q) Decomposition  
temperature  
no data available
  - r) Viscosity no data available
  - s) Explosive properties no data available
  - t) Oxidizing properties no data available
- ### 9.2 Other safety information
- no data available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- 10.1 Reactivity  
no data available
  - 10.2 Chemical stability  
Stable under recommended storage conditions.
  - 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions  
no data available
  - 10.4 Conditions to avoid  
no data available
  - 10.5 Incompatible materials  
Strong oxidizing agents
  - 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products  
Other decomposition products - no data available
- In the event of fire: see section 5

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- 11.1 Information on toxicological effects  
Acute toxicity  
LD50 Oral - rat - 1.855 mg/kg  
Remarks: Behavioral:Convulsions or effect on seizure threshold. Behavioral:Excitement. Behavioral:Ataxia.  
LD50 Dermal - rat - 6.000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation  
no data available  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation  
no data available  
Respiratory or skin sensitisation  
no data available  
Germ cell mutagenicity  
no data available  
Carcinogenicity  
This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.  
Limited evidence of carcinogenicity in animal studies  
IARC: 3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans (Methoxychlor)  
Reproductive toxicity  
no data available  
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure  
no data available  
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure  
no data available  
Aspiration hazard  
no data available  
Additional Information  
RTECS: KJ3675000 nervous system effects, Weakness, Diarrhoea  
Kidney -

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity  
Toxicity to fish LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 0,03 mg/l - 96 h  
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates  
LC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 0,016 mg/l - 48 h  
12.2 Persistence and degradability  
no data available  
12.3 Bioaccumulative potential  
Bioaccumulation Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 32 d  
- 0,0035 mg/l  
Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 8.300  
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  
Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods  
Product  
Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.  
Contaminated packaging  
Dispose of as unused product.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN number  
ADR/RID: 3077 IMDG: 3077 IATA: 3077  
14.2 UN proper shipping name  
ADR/RID: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Methoxychlor)  
IMDG: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Methoxychlor)  
IATA: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Methoxychlor)  
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)  
ADR/RID: 9 IMDG: 9 IATA: 9  
14.4 Packaging group  
ADR/RID: III IMDG: III IATA: III  
14.5 Environmental hazards  
ADR/RID: yes IMDG Marine pollutant: yes IATA: yes  
14.6 Special precautions for user  
Further information  
EHS-Mark required (ADR 2.2.9.1.10, IMDG code 2.10.3) for single packagings and combination packagings containing inner packagings with Dangerous Goods > 5L for liquids or > 5kg for solids.

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.  
15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture  
no data available  
15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment  
For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

#### 16. OTHER 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. For lab use only!