

## 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:

n-Hexane

### 1.1. Catalog No.:

678112

### 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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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008  
Flammable liquids (Category 2), H225  
Skin irritation (Category 2), H315  
Reproductive toxicity (Category 2), H361f  
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Central nervous system, H336  
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Category 2), H373  
Aspiration hazard (Category 1), H304  
Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 2), H411  
For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.  
Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC  
F Highly flammable R11  
R62  
Xn Harmful R48/20, R65  
Xi Irritant R38  
R67  
N Dangerous for the environment  
R51/53

### 2.2. Label elements

#### 2.2.1. Pictogram



## 2.2.2.

Signal word Danger  
Hazard statement(s)  
H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.  
H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.  
H361f Suspected of damaging fertility.  
H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.  
H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.  
Precautionary statement(s)  
P201 Obtain special instructions before use.  
P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.  
P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
P301 + P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.  
P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.  
P331 Do NOT induce vomiting.  
Supplemental Hazard Statements  
none

2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances  
Synonyms : n-Hexane  
Formula : C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>14</sub>  
Molecular weight : 86,18 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 110-54-3  
EC-No. : 203-777-6  
Index-No. : 601-037-00-0  
Registration number : 01-2119480412-44-XXXX  
Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008  
Component Classification Concentration  
n-Hexane  
CAS-No.  
EC-No.  
Index-No.  
110-54-3  
203-777-6  
601-037-00-0  
Flam. Liq. 2; Skin Irrit. 2; Repr. 2; STOT SE 3; STOT RE 2;  
Asp. Tox. 1; Aquatic Chronic 2; H225, H304, H315, H336, H361f, H373, H411  
&lt;= 100 %  
Hazardous ingredients according to Directive 1999/45/EC  
Component Classification Concentration  
n-Hexane  
CAS-No.  
EC-No.  
Index-No.  
110-54-3  
203-777-6  
601-037-00-0  
F, Xn, N, Repr.Cat.3, R11 - R38 - R48/20 - R62 - R65 - R67 - R51/53  
&lt;= 100 %

### 3.1.1. Formula

C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>14</sub>

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

86.18

### 3.1.3. CAS-No.

110-54-3

## 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

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. 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

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### 5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

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

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

### 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 inhalation of vapour or mist.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

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. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart 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

Face shield and safety glasses 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.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing., 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 respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type AXBEK (EN 14387) 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: liquid  
Colour: colourless
  - b) Odour No data available
  - c) Odour Threshold No data available
  - d) pH 7,0
  - e) Melting point/freezing point  
Melting point/range: -95 &deg;C
  - f) Initial boiling point and boiling range  
69 &deg;C
  - g) Flash point -26,0 &deg;C - closed cup
  - h) Evaporation rate 15,8
  - i) Flammability (solid, gas) No data available
  - j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits  
Upper explosion limit: 7,7 %(V)  
Lower explosion limit: 1,2 %(V)
  - k) Vapour pressure 341,3 hPa at 37,7 &deg;C  
176,0 hPa at 20,0 &deg;C
  - l) Vapour density No data available
  - m) Relative density 0,659 g/mL at 25 &deg;C
  - n) Water solubility insoluble
  - o) Partition coefficient: noctanol/water  
log Pow: 3,90 - 4,11
  - p) Auto-ignition temperature  
234,0 &deg;C
  - 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  
Heat, flames and sparks. Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.
- 10.5 Incompatible materials  
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 - 25.000 mg/kg  
LC50 Inhalation - Rat - 4 h - 48000 ppm  
Skin corrosion/irritation  
Irritating to skin.  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation  
Eyes - Rabbit  
Result: Mild eye irritation  
Respiratory or skin sensitisation  
No data available  
Germ cell mutagenicity  
No data available  
Carcinogenicity  
IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.  
Reproductive toxicity  
Overexposure may cause reproductive disorder(s) based on tests with laboratory animals. Suspected human reproductive toxicant Suspected of damaging fertility.  
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure  
May cause drowsiness or dizziness.  
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure  
Ingestion - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. - Nervous system  
Aspiration hazard  
May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
Additional Information  
RTECS: MN9275000  
Prolonged or repeated contact with skin may cause:; defatting, Dermatitis, Contact with eyes can cause:; Redness, Blurred vision, Provokes tears., Effects due to ingestion may include:; Gastrointestinal discomfort, Central nervous system depression, Lung irritation, chest pain, pulmonary edema, giddiness, slowed reaction time, slurred speech, Headache, Dizziness, Drowsiness, Unconsciousness

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity  
Toxicity to fish LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 2,5 mg/l - 96,0 h  
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates  
EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 3.878,00 mg/l - 48 h  
Toxicity to algae EC50 - Chlorella vulgaris (Fresh water algae) - 12.840,00 mg/l - 3 h  
EC50 - SKELETOMA - 0,30 mg/l - 8 h  
12.2 Persistence and degradability  
No data available  
12.3 Bioaccumulative potential  
No data available  
12.4 Mobility in soil  
No data available  
12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment  
This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.  
12.6 Other adverse effects  
Toxic to aquatic life.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods  
Product  
Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

Contaminated packaging  
Dispose of as unused product.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN number  
ADR/RID: 1208 IMDG: 1208 IATA: 1208  
14.2 UN proper shipping name  
ADR/RID: HEXANES  
IMDG: HEXANES  
IATA: Hexanes  
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)  
ADR/RID: 3 IMDG: 3 IATA: 3  
14.4 Packaging group  
ADR/RID: II IMDG: II IATA: II  
14.5 Environmental hazards  
ADR/RID: yes IMDG Marine pollutant: yes IATA: no  
14.6 Special precautions for user  
No data available

#### 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  
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!