

# 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 : Chloromethyl ethyl ether

Product Number : 142670 Brand : Aldrich CAS-No. : 3188-13-4

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

Uses advised against : The product is being supplied under the TSCA R&D Exemption

(40 CFR Section 720.36). It is the recipient's responsibility to comply with the requirements of the R&D exemption. The product may not be used for a non-exempt commercial purpose under TSCA unless appropriate consent is granted in writing by

MilliporeSigma.

# 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

# GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable liquids (Category 2), H225 Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302 Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332 Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4), H312

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Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319 Carcinogenicity (Category 2), H351

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
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H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

H302 + H312 + H332 Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

### **Precautionary Statements**

P201 (	Ohtain sneci	al instructions	hefore use
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P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and

understood.

P210 Keep away from heat/ sparks/ open flames/ hot surfaces. No

smoking.

P233 Keep container tightly closed.

P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment.

P242 Use only non-sparking tools.

P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge. P261 Avoid breathing 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.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face

protection.

P301 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel

unwell. Rinse mouth.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated

clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

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. P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant

foam to extinguish.

P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal

plant.

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

Lachrymator.

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

### 3.1 Substances

Molecular weight : 94.54 g/mol CAS-No. : 3188-13-4 EC-No. : 221-687-5

Component	Classification	Concentration
Chloromethoxyethane		
-	Flam. Liq. 2; Acute Tox. 4;	<= 100 %
	Eye Irrit. 2A; Carc. 2;	
	H225, H302, H332, H312,	
	H319, H351	

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

# **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. Call in physician.

#### 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

After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). 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

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### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

# 5.1 Extinguishing media

# Suitable extinguishing media

Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO2) 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

Hydrogen chloride gas

Combustible.

Pay attention to flashback.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

Forms explosive mixtures with air at ambient temperatures.

### 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

Remove container from danger zone and cool with water. Suppress (knock down) gases/vapors/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

# 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. 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. Risk of explosion.

# 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 with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

# 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

# Advice on safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapours/aerosols.

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# Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

### **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**

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

**Storage stability**Recommended storage temperature

2 - 8 °C

# Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 3: Flammable liquids

# 7.3 Specific end use(s)

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

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

# 8.1 Control parameters

# Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

# 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

required

# **Body Protection**

Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing.

# **Respiratory protection**

Recommended Filter type: Filter type ABEK

The entrepeneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer.

These measures have to be properly documented.

required when vapours/aerosols are generated.

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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. Risk of explosion.

# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: liquid

Color: colorless

b) Odor No data available c) Odor Threshold No data available d) pH No data available

e) Melting No data available

point/freezing point Initial boiling point and boiling range

82 °C 180 °F - lit.

g) Flash point 19 °C (66 °F) - closed cup

h) Evaporation rate No data available Flammability (solid, No data available i)

gas) Upper/lower flammability or

explosive limits

j)

No data available

k) Vapor pressure No data available I) Vapor density No data available

1.019 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F) - lit. m) Density

Relative density No data available n) Water solubility No data available o) Partition coefficient: No data available

n-octanol/water

p) Autoignition temperature No data available

q) Decomposition temperature

No data available

No data available r) Viscosity s) Explosive properties No data available Oxidizing properties No data available

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# 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### 10.1 Reactivity

Vapors may form explosive mixture with air.

# 10.2 Chemical stability

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

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

# 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Warming.

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agentsStrong oxidizing agents, Strong bases

# 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

# **Acute toxicity**

Oral: No data available

LC50 Inhalation - 4 h - 11 mg/l - vapor

LD50 Dermal - 1,100 mg/kg

No data available

# Skin corrosion/irritation

Remarks: No data available

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Remarks: No data available

# Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

### Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

# Carcinogenicity

Limited evidence of carcinogenicity in animal studies

IARC: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is

identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is

identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

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OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is

on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

# **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available 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

### 11.2 Additional Information

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated., burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea, Vomiting

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

# 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

# 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

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

# 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

# 12.7 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 for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

DOT (US)

UN number: 2354 Class: 3 (6.1) Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Chloromethyl ethyl ether

Reportable Quantity (RQ):

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 2354 Class: 3 (6.1) Packing group: II EMS-No: F-E, S-D

Proper shipping name: CHLOROMETHYL ETHYL ETHER

**IATA** 

UN number: 2354 Class: 3 (6.1) Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Chloromethyl ethyl ether

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

# **SARA 302 Components**

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

### **SARA 313 Components**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

# SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

# **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### **SECTION 16: Other information**

### **Further information**

The information is believed to be correct but is not exhaustive and will be used solely as a guideline, which is based on current knowledge of the chemical substance or mixture and is applicable to appropriate safety precautions for the product. It does not represent

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