

## 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 : Ethylene glycol, anhydrous, ZerO2™, 99.8%

Product Number : 900631

Brand : Sigma-Aldrich

Index-No. : 603-027-00-1

CAS-No. : 107-21-1

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.  
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527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24  
Hours/day; 7 Days/week

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)**

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Oral (Category 2), Kidney, H373

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

Warning

Hazard statement(s)  
H302

Harmful if swallowed.

H373	May cause damage to organs (Kidney) through prolonged or repeated exposure if swallowed.
Precautionary statement(s)	
P260	Do not breathe mist or vapors.
P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P301 + P312 + P330	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.
P314	Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

### 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms	: Ethane-1,2-diol Degassed and low Oxygen Ethylene glycol, Ethylene glycol ZerO2™
Formula	: C2H6O2
Molecular weight	: 62.07 g/mol
CAS-No.	: 107-21-1
EC-No.	: 203-473-3
Index-No.	: 603-027-00-1

Component	Classification	Concentration
<b>ethylene glycol</b>		
	Acute Tox. 4; STOT RE 2; H302, H373	<= 100 %

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.

#### In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. 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 (CO<sub>2</sub>) 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

Combustible.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

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

**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**

Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

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**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. 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.

**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 with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemisorb®). 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

For precautions see section 2.2.

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

#### Storage conditions

Tightly closed.

Hygroscopic. Handle and store under inert gas.

#### Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 10: Combustible 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

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
ethylene glycol	107-21-1	TWA	25 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Remarks	Not classifiable as a human carcinogen		
		STEL	50 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		Not classifiable as a human carcinogen		
		STEL	10 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		Not classifiable as a human carcinogen		
		C	40 ppm 100 mg/m3	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)

#### Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Application Area	Routes of exposure	Health effect	Value
Workers	Inhalation	Long-term local effects	35 mg/m3
Workers	Skin contact	Long-term systemic effects	106mg/kg BW/d
Consumers	Inhalation	Long-term local effects	7 mg/m3
Consumers	Skin contact	Long-term systemic effects	53mg/kg BW/d

#### Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

Compartment	Value
Soil	1.53 mg/kg
Sea water	1 mg/l
Fresh water	10 mg/l
Sea sediment	3.7 mg/kg
Fresh water sediment	37 mg/kg

Sewage treatment plant	199.5 mg/l
Aquatic intermittent release	10 mg/l

## 8.2 Exposure controls

### Appropriate engineering controls

Change contaminated clothing. Preventive skin protection recommended. Wash hands 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

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: KCL 741 Dermatril® L

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Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: KCL 741 Dermatril® L

#### Body Protection

protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection

required when vapours/aerosols are generated. 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.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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|---------------|----------------------------------|
| a) Appearance | Form: liquid<br>Color: colorless |
| b) Odor       | odorless                         |

c) Odor Threshold	Not applicable
d) pH	No data available
e) Melting point/freezing point	Melting point: -13 °C (9 °F) at 1,013 hPa
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	197.4 °C 387.3 °F at 1,013 hPa
g) Flash point	115 °C (239 °F) - open cup
h) Evaporation rate	1
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Upper explosion limit: 15.3 %(V) Lower explosion limit: 3.2 %(V)
k) Vapor pressure	1 hPa at 51.1 °C (124.0 °F)
l) Vapor density	2.14 - (Air = 1.0)
m) Density	1.113 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C (68 °F)
Relative density	No data available
n) Water solubility	completely miscible
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: -1.36 - Bioaccumulation is not expected.
p) Autoignition temperature	412 °C (774 °F) at 1,013 hPa
q) Decomposition temperature	No data available
r) Viscosity	No data available
s) Explosive properties	No data available
t) Oxidizing properties	none

## 9.2 Other safety information

Surface tension	48.4 mN/m at 20 °C (68 °F)
Relative vapor density	2.14 - (Air = 1.0)

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.  
A range from approx. 15 Kelvin below the flash point is to be rated as critical.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

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

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Risk of explosion with:

Aluminum  
perchloric acid  
Risk of ignition or formation of inflammable gases or vapours with:  
chromyl chloride  
Strong oxidizing agents  
chlorates  
Peroxides  
potassium permanganate  
Exothermic reaction with:  
chlorosulfonic acid  
Sodium hydroxide  
fuming sulfuric acid  
sulfuric acid

#### **10.4 Conditions to avoid**

Strong heating.

#### **10.5 Incompatible materials**

various plastics, Strong oxidizing agents

#### **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

In the event of fire: see section 5

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### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**

##### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - 500.1 mg/kg

Oral: (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 6 h - > 2.5 mg/l - aerosol

Remarks: (ECHA)

LD50 Dermal - Mouse - male and female - > 3,500 mg/kg

Remarks: (ECHA)

No data available

##### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation - 20 h

Remarks: (ECHA)

##### **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation - 24 h

Remarks: (ECHA)

##### **Respiratory or skin sensitization**

Maximization Test - Guinea pig

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

##### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Escherichia coli/Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471  
Result: negative

Test Type: dominant lethal test  
Species: Rat

Application Route: Oral

Result: negative

### **Carcinogenicity**

This product is or contains a component that is probably not carcinogenic based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

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.

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**

Laboratory experiments have shown teratogenic effects.

Overexposure may cause reproductive disorder(s) based on tests with laboratory animals.

### **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

### **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

Oral - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

- Kidney

### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

## **11.2 Additional Information**

RTECS: KW2975000

When ingested early symptoms mimic alcohol inebriation and are followed by nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, weakness, muscle tenderness, respiratory failure, convulsions, cardiovascular collapse, pulmonary edema, hypocalcemic tetany, and severe metabolic acidosis. Without treatment, death may occur in 8 to 24 hours. Victims who survive the initial toxicity period usually develop renal failure along with brain and liver damage., Exposure to and/or consumption of alcohol may increase toxic effects. To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

After absorption:

agitation  
CNS disorders

Systemic effects:

After a latency period:

Tiredness  
ataxia (impaired locomotor coordination)



Unconsciousness

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Central nervous system - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish	static test LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - > 72,860 mg/l - 96 h (US-EPA)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - > 100 mg/l - 48 h (OECD Test Guideline 202)
Toxicity to algae	IC5 - Scenedesmus quadricauda (Green algae) - > 10,000 mg/l - 7 d Remarks: (Lit.)
Toxicity to bacteria	static test EC20 - activated sludge - > 1,995 mg/l - 30 min (ISO 8192)
Toxicity to fish(Chronic toxicity)	flow-through test LC50 - Menidia peninsulae (tidewater silverside) - > 1,500 mg/l - 28 d Remarks: (in analogy to similar products) (ECHA) The value is given in analogy to the following substances: triethylene glycol

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability	aerobic - Exposure time 10 d Result: 90 - 100 % - Readily biodegradable. (OECD Test Guideline 301A)
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD)	780 mg/g Remarks: (IUCLID)
Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD)	1,190 mg/g Remarks: (IUCLID)
Theoretical oxygen demand	1,290 mg/g Remarks: (IUCLID)
Ratio BOD/ThBOD	60 % Remarks: (IUCLID)

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Does not bioaccumulate.

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#### 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

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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](http://www.retrologistik.com) for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

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### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### DOT (US)

UN number: 3082    Class: 9    Packing group: III  
Proper shipping name: Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (ethylene glycol)  
Reportable Quantity (RQ): 5000 lbs  
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

#### IMDG

Not dangerous goods

#### IATA

Not dangerous goods

#### Further information

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### SARA 302 Components

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

#### SARA 313 Components

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
ethylene glycol	107-21-1	2007-07-01

**SARA 311/312 Hazards**

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

ethylene glycol

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2007-07-01**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

ethylene glycol

CAS-No.  
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2007-07-01**California Prop. 65 Components**

, which is/are known to the State of California to  
cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. For  
more information go to  
[www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.ethylene glycol](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov/ethylene%20glycol)

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**SECTION 16: Other information****Further information**

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