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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier
Trade name ***Ethyl methacrylate***
Stock number: A17518, L13766
CAS Number: 97-63-2
EC number: 202-597-5
Index number: 607-071-00-2
1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against.
Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet
Manufacturer/Supplier: Alfa Aesar GmbH & Co.KG
A Johnson Matthey Company
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76185 Karlsruhe / Germany
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Fax: +49 (0) 721 84007 300
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www.alfa.com
Informing department: Product safety Tel + +049 (0) 7275 988687-0
1.4 Emergency telephone number: Carechem 24: +44 (o) 1235 239 670 (Multi-language emergency number)
Poison Information Center Mainz
www.giftinfo.uni-mainz.de Telephone: +49(0)6131/19240

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008


GHS02 flame

Flam. Liq. 2 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.


GHS07

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.
Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC
Xi; Irritant
R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.
Xi; Sensitising
R43: May cause sensitisation by skin contact.
F; Highly flammable
R11: Highly flammable.
Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment: Not applicable
Other hazards that do not result in classification No information known.

2.2 Label elements
Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 The substance is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.
Hazard pictograms GHS02, GHS07
Signal word Danger
Hazard statements
H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H335 May cause respiratory irritation.
Precautionary statements
P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.
P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P405 Store locked up.
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

2.3 Other hazards
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances
CAS# Designation: 97-63-2 Ethyl methacrylate
Identification number(s):
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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures
After inhalation Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.
Seek immediate medical advice.
After skin contact Instantly 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 doctor.
After swallowing Seek medical treatment.
4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.

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4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing agents CO_2, sand, extinguishing powder. Do not use water.
5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Danger of containers bursting upon heating.
If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
5.3 Advice for firefighters
Protective equipment: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
Wear full protective suit.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation
Keep away from ignition sources
6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.
Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.
Do not allow to enter the ground/soil.
6.3 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.
6.4 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 information on disposal.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling Keep containers tightly sealed.
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Information about protection against explosions and fires: Protect against electrostatic charges.
Fumes can combine with air to form an explosive mixture.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Storage
Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: Store in cool location.
Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from oxidizing agents.
Store in the dark.
Protect from heat.
Further information about storage conditions: Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.
Protect from the effects of light.
7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

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.

8.1 Control parameters

Components with critical values that require monitoring at the workplace:	
97-63-2 Ethyl methacrylate (100,0%)	
MAK (Germany)	vgl.Abschn.IV
MAK (TRGS 900) (Germany)	250 mg/m³ S

Additional information: No data

8.2 Exposure controls
Personal protective equipment
General protective and hygienic measures The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to in handling the chemicals.
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.
Instantly remove any soiled and impregnated garments.
Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.
Breathing equipment: Use breathing protection with high concentrations.
Protection of hands: Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.
The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.
Material of gloves Impervious gloves
Penetration time of glove material Not determined
Eye protection: Safety glasses
Face protection
Body protection: Protective work clothing.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties
General Information
Appearance:
Form: Liquid
Colour: Colourless
Smell: Pungent
Odour threshold: Not determined.

pH-value: Not determined.

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Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	-60 °C
Boiling point/Boiling range:	118-119 °C
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined
Flash point:	18 °C
Inflammability (solid, gaseous)	Not determined.
Ignition temperature:	450 °C
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined
Self-inflammability:	Not determined.
Critical values for explosion:	
Lower:	1,8 Vol %
Upper:	Not determined
Steam pressure at 20 °C:	21,32 hPa
Density at 20 °C	0,917 g/cm³
Relative density	Not determined.
Vapour density	Not determined.
Evaporation rate	Not determined.
Solubility in / Miscibility with	
Water at 20 °C:	4 g/l
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
Viscosity:	
dynamic at 20 °C:	0,62 mPas
kinematic:	Not determined.
9.2 Other information	No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity	No information known.
10.2 Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:	Danger of containers bursting upon heating.
Stable until:	Depletion of inhibitor.
10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions	Danger of polymerisation
10.5 Incompatible materials:	Oxidizing agents Heat Light Ultraviolet radiation Free radical initiators
10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:	Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Additional information:	Unless inhibited, the product can polymerize resulting in a temperature and pressure increase that may rupture the container.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects	
Acute toxicity:	No effects known.
LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:	No data
Skin irritation or corrosion:	Causes skin irritation.
Eye irritation or corrosion:	Causes serious eye irritation.
Sensitization:	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
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.
Other information (about experimental toxicology):	Reproductive effects have been observed on tests with laboratory animals. Mutagenic effects have been observed on tests with laboratory animals.
Additional toxicological information:	To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity	
Aquatic toxicity:	No further relevant information available.
12.2 Persistence and degradability	No further relevant information available.
12.3 Bioaccumulative potential	No further relevant information available.
12.4 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. Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water. Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system. Avoid transfer into the environment.
12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	
PBT:	Not applicable.
vPvB:	Not applicable.
12.6 Other adverse effects	No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods	
Recommendation	Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste. Must be specially treated under adherence to official regulations. Consult state, local or national regulations for proper disposal.
Uncleaned packagings:	
Recommendation:	Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

UN-Number	
ADR, IMDG, IATA	UN2277

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14.2 UN proper shipping name	
ADR	2277 ETHYL METHACRYLATE, STABILIZED
IMDG, IATA	ETHYL METHACRYLATE, STABILIZED
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	
ADR	
	
Class	3 (F1) Flammable liquids.
Label	3
IMDG, IATA	
	
Class	3 Flammable liquids.
Label	3
Packing group	
ADR, IMDG, IATA	II
14.5 Environmental hazards:	Not applicable.
14.6 Special precautions for user	Warning: Flammable liquids.
Kemler Number:	339
14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC	
Code	Not applicable.
Transport/Additional information:	
ADR	
Excepted quantities (EQ):	E2
Limited quantities (LQ)	1L
Transport category	2
Tunnel restriction code	D/E
UN "Model Regulation":	UN2277, ETHYL METHACRYLATE, STABILIZED, 3, II

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances Substance is listed.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons

97-63-2	Ethyl methacrylate	S5

National regulations

Information about limitation of use: Employment restrictions concerning young persons must be observed.
For use only by technically qualified individuals.

Water hazard class: Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations

ELINCS (European List of Notified Chemical Substances) Substance is not listed.

Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to REACH, Article 57 Substance is not listed.

REACH - Pre-registered substances Substance is listed.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 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 data specification sheet: Health, Safety and Environmental Department.

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
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent