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Safety Data Sheet according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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1 Identification of substance

Product details

Trade name Allyl isothiocyanate

Stock number:

Alfa Aesar GmbH & Co.KG Benzstrasse 3 Manufacturer/Supplier:

D-76185 Karlsruhe / Germany

Informing department: Emergency information:

Product safety department. Giftnotruf Universität Mainz / Poison Information Center Mainz www.giftinfo.uni-mainz.de Telefon:+49(0)6131/19240

2 Hazards identification

Hazard designation:

Toxic

N Dangerous for the environment

Information pertaining to particular dangers

for man and environment

Flammable.
Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.
Irritating to respiratory system and skin.
Risk of serious damage to eyes.

R 23/24/25 R 37/38 R 41 R 50/53

Very toxic to aquatic ŏrganisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

GHS label elements

(2) Danger

H301 - Toxic if swallowed. H310 - Fatal in contact with skin. H331 - Toxic if inhaled.

Danger

H318 - Causes serious eye damage.

Warning

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapour.

Warning

H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life. H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Warning
H315 - Causes skin irritation.
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation.
P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
P273 Avoid release to the environment.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P309 IF exposed or if you feel unwell:
Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization:

Designation: (CAS#)
Identification number(s):
EINECS Number:

Additional information:

Allyl isothiocyanate (CAS# 57-06-7)

200-309-2

BHT (butylated hydroxytoluene) (CAS# 128-37-0)

4 First aid measures

After inhalation

After skin contact

Prevention:

Response:

General information

Instantly remove any clothing soiled by the product.
Remove breathing apparatus only after soiled clothing has been completely removed.
In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.
Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.
Seek immediate medical advice.

Seek immediate medical advice.
Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Seek immediate medical advice.
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult doctor.
Do not induce vomiting; instantly call for medical help.
Seek immediate medical advice. After eye contact After swallowing

5 Fire fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing agents For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents
Special hazards caused by the material, its

products of combustion or flue gases:

CO2, sand, extinguishing powder. Do not use water.

Can be released in case of fire: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Nitrogen oxides (NOx)
Possibly Hydrogen cyanide (HCN)
Sulphur oxides (SOx)
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
Wear full protective suit.

Protective equipment:

6 Accidental release measures

Person-related safety precautions: Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation
Keep away from ignition sources
Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits. Measures for environmental protection: Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust). Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to item 13. Measures for cleaning/collecting:

Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from ignition sources. See Section 7 for information on safe handling Additional information:

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See section 8 for information on personal protection equipment. See Section 13 for information on disposal.

7 Handling and storage

Handling Information for safe handling:

Handle under dry protective gas. Keep containers tightly sealed. Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace. Open and handle container with care.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke. Protect against electrostatic charges.

Fumes can combine with air to form an explosive mixture.

Storage Requirements to be met by storerooms and

containers: Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Refrigerate

Store away from oxidizing agents. Store in the dark. Protect from heat. Store away from water.

Further information about storage

conditions:

Store under dry inert gas.
This product is moisture sensitive.
Keep container tightly sealed.
Protect from humidity and keep away from water.
Protect from the effects of light.
Store in a locked cabinet or with access restricted to technical experts or their assistants.
Refrigerate

8 Exposure controls and 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.

Components with critical values that require

monitoring at the workplace: Additional information:

Not required. No data

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. Store protective clothing separately. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin. Use breathing protection with high concentrations.

Breathing equipment: Protection of hands: Material of gloves

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.

Impervious gloves Not determined

Penetration time of glove material

Eye protection:

Safety glasses Face protection

Body protection: Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties:

General Information

Liquid Yellow Form: Colour: Smell: Pungent

Change in condition Melting point/Melting range: Boiling point/Boiling range: Sublimation temperature / start:

-80°C 149-151°C Not determined

46°C Flash point: Ignition temperature:

Not determined Not determined

Decomposition temperature: Critical values for explosion:

Lower: Upper: Not determined Not determined Steam pressure at 20°C: 5.3 hPa Density at 20°C 1.013 g/cm3

Solubility in / Miscibility with

10 Stability and reactivity

Stable until: Materials to be avoided:

Water at 20°C: 2 g/l

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications. Danger of containers bursting upon heating. Depletion of inhibitor. Oxidizing agents

Amines Heat

Ultraviolet radiation

Free radical initiators Water/moisture

Dangerous reactions:

Light Danger of polymerisation

Spontaneous polymerisation can be caused in unstabilised product e.g. by ambient heat

Dangerous products of decomposition: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

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Lachrymatory effect.

Very toxic for fish

No sensitizing effect known.

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)
Sulphur oxides (SOx)
Possibly Hydrogen cyanide (HCN)
Unless inhibited, the product can polymerize resulting in a temperature and pressure increase that may rupture

the container.

11 Toxicological information

Additional information:

Acute toxicity:

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

Oral LD50 308 mg/kg (mouse) 112 mg/kg (rat) Dermal I D50 88 mg/kg (rabbit)

Irritation of eyes severe unknown mg (rabbit)

Primary irritant effect:

on the skin: on the eye:

Sensitization: Other information (about experimental

toxicology): Additional toxicological information:

Tumorigenic effects have been observed on tests with laboratory animals.

To the best of the properties of the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

Strong irritant with the danger of severe eye injury.

Irritant for skin and mucous membranes.

Danger by skin resorption. IARC-3: Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

12 Ecological information:

Ecotoxical effects:

Remark:

General notes:

Additional ecological information:

Water danger class 3 (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water.

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system, even in small quantities.

Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into soil.

Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Very toxic for aquatic organisms

13 Disposal considerations

Product:

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.

14 Transport information

Land transport ADR/RID and GGVS/GGVE (cross-border/domestic)

ADR/RID-GGVS/E Class: 6.1 (TF1) Toxic substances.

Kemler Number: 1545 UN-Number · Packaging group: Label

II 6.1+3 Symbol (fish and tree) 1545 ALLYL ISOTHIOCYANATE, STABILIZED LQ17

Special marking: Designation of goods: Limited quantities (LQ) Tunnel restriction code

Maritime transport IMDG/GGVSea:



IMDG/GGVSea Class: UN Number: Label 6.1+3

Packaging group: Marine pollutant:

No ALLYL ISOTHIOCYANATE, STABILIZED Correct technical name:

Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:

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ICAO/IATA Class: 6.1 UN/ID Number: 1545 Label 6.1 + 3Packaging group: Correct technical name:

ALLYL ISOTHIOCYANATE, STABILIZED

UN "Model Regulation": UN1545, ALLYL ISOTHIOCYANATE, STABILIZED, 6.1 (3), II **Environmental hazards:** Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid; Marine Pollutant

15 Regulatory information

Designation according to EC guidelines:

Code letter and hazard designation of product:



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In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.
 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where

possible). This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheets. 60 61

National regulations

Safety phrases:

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

Water hazard class: Water danger class 3 (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water.

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 or process, is the responsibility of the user.

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

Abbreviations and acronyms:

Health, Safety and Environmental Department.
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ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Mir Transport Association
IATA: International Gril Australia (International Security) Association (IATA)
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization
ICAO: International Structions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)
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

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