

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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# 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name

Cat No.

**Synonyms** 

**Recommended Use** 

Company

Fisher Scientific One Reagent Lane Fair Lawn, NJ 07410 Tel: (201) 796-7100 Dichloromethane, stabilized with ethanol

AC390700000; AC390700010; AC390700025

Methylene chloride

Laboratory chemicals

**Entity / Business Name** 

Acros Organics One Reagent Lane Fair Lawn, NJ 07410 **Emergency Telephone Number** 

For information in the US, call: 800-ACROS-01 For information in Europe, call: +32 14 57 52 11

Emergency Number, Europe: +32 14 57 52 99 Emergency Number, US: 201-796-7100

CHEMTREC Phone Number, US: 800-424-

9300

CHEMTREC Phone Number, Europe: 703-

527-3887

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## WARNING!

## **Emergency Overview**

Possible cancer hazard. May cause cancer based on animal data. May be harmful if inhaled. Irritating to eyes and skin. Inhalation may cause central nervous system effects. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

Appearance Colorless Physical State Liquid odor No information available

Target Organs

Skin, Eyes, Central nervous system (CNS), Blood, Liver, Kidney

**Potential Health Effects** 

**Acute Effects** 

**Principle Routes of Exposure** 

**Eyes** Irritating to eyes.

**Skin** Irritating to skin. May be harmful in contact with skin.

Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled. Inhalation may cause central nervous system effects. May cause

irritation of respiratory tract.

Ingestion May be harmful if swallowed. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting

and diarrhea.

Chronic Effects Possible cancer hazard based on tests with laboratory animals. Tumorigenic effects have been

reported in experimental animals.. Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals. May cause adverse liver effects. May cause adverse kidney effects.

See Section 11 for additional Toxicological information.

Aggravated Medical Conditions Central nervous system disorders. Preexisting eye disorders. Skin disorders.

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### Haz/Non-haz

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
Methylene chloride	75-09-2	99.8
Ethyl alcohol	64-17-5	0.2

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eye Contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation

if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with a respiratory

medical device. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point No information available.

Method No information available.

Autoignition Temperature 556°C / 1032.8°F

**Explosion Limits** 

 Upper
 22 vol %

 Lower
 13 vol %

Suitable Extinguishing Media Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon

dioxide.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available.

**Hazardous Combustion Products** 

No information available.

Sensitivity to mechanical impact Sensitivity to static discharge No information available. No information available.

## **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

#### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective dear

NFPA Health 2 Flammability 1 Instability 0 Physical hazards N/A

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes

and clothing.

**Environmental Precautions** Should not be released into the environment.

Methods for Containment and Clean Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable and closed containers for disposal.

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling** Use only under a chemical fume hood. Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate

ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist.

**Storage** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from direct

sunlight. Keep at temperatures below 40°C.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Engineering Measures**

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

#### **Exposure Guidelines**

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Methylene chloride	TWA: 50 ppm	(Vacated) TWA: 500 ppm	IDLH: 2300 ppm
		(Vacated) STEL: 2000 ppm	
		(Vacated) Ceiling: 1000 ppm	
		TWA: 25 ppm	
		STEL: 125 ppm	
Ethyl alcohol	TWA: 1000 ppm	(Vacated) TWA: 1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 3300 ppm
		(Vacated) TWA: 1000 ppm	TWA: 1000 ppm
		TWA: 1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
		TWA: 1000 ppm	

Component	Quebec	Mexico OEL (TWA)	Ontario TWAEV
Methylene chloride	TWA: 174 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 100 ppm	TWA: 175 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	TWA: 50 ppm	TWA: 330 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 50 ppm
		STEL: 500 ppm	
		STEL: 1740 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Ethyl alcohol	TWA: 1000 ppm	TWA: 1000 ppm	TWA: 1000 ppm
	TWA: 1880 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

NIOSH IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

#### **Personal Protective Equipment**

Eye/face Protection

Skin and body protection Respiratory Protection

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits

are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State Liquid
Appearance Colorles

Appearance Colorless
odor No information available

Odor Threshold<br/>pHNo information available.<br/>No information available.Vapor Pressure350 mbar @ 20 °C

Vapor DensityNo information available.Viscosity0.43 cP at 20 °C

**Boiling Point/Range** 39 - 40°C / 102.2 - 104°F

Melting Point/Range -97°C / -142.6°F
Decomposition temperature °C > 120°C

Flash Point No information available.
Evaporation Rate No information available.
Specific Gravity 1.325

Solubility
No information available.
No data available

Molecular Weight 84.93
Molecular Formula C H2 Cl2

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products. Excess heat.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Amines

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Hydrogen chloride

gas, Phosgene

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur

Hazardous Reactions . None under normal processing.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Acute Toxicity**

**Component Information** 

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Methylene chloride	2000 mg/kg (Rat)	Not listed	76000 mg/m³ (Rat) 4 h
Ethyl alcohol	7060 mg/kg (Rat)	Not listed	Not listed

Irritation Irritating to eyes and skin

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

**Products** 

No information available.

## **Chronic Toxicity**

#### Carcinogenicity

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA	Mexico
Methylene chloride	A3	Group 2B	Reasonably Anticipated	Х	Not listed
Ethyl alcohol	Not listed	Group 1	Not listed	Χ	Not listed

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

A1 - Known Human Carcinogen A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen

A3 - Animal Carcinogen

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer) IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans

Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans

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NTP: (National Toxicity Program) NTP: (National Toxicity Program) Known - Known Carcinogen

Reasonably Anticipated - Reasonably Anticipated to be a Human Carcinogen

**Sensitization** No information available.

Mutagenic Effects Mutatagenic effects have occured in microorganisms.

**Reproductive Effects** Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals.

**Developmental Effects**Developmental effects have occurred in experimental animals.

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

Other Adverse Effects Tumorigenic effects have been reported in experimental animals.. See actual entry in RTECS

for complete information.

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

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Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea
Methylene chloride	EC50:>660 mg/L/96h	Pimephales promelas:	EC50: 1 mg/L/24 h	EC50: 140 mg/L/48h
		LC50:193 mg/L/96h	EC50: 2.88 mg/L/15 min	_
Ethyl alcohol	Not listed	Leucidus idus: LC50 = 8.14	Photobacterium	EC50 = 9268 mg/L/48h
		mg/L/48h	phosphoreum:EC50 = 34634	EC50 = 10800  mg/L/24h
			mg/L/30 min	
			Photobacterium	
			phosphoreum:EC50 = 35470	
			mg/L/5 min	

Persistence and Degradability

No information available

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation

No information available

Mobility .

Component	log Pow
Methylene chloride	1.25
Ethyl alcohol	-0.32

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste Disposal Methods** 

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification

Component	RCRA - U Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes
Methylene chloride - 75-09-2	U080	-

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### DOT

UN-No UN1593

Proper Shipping Name DICHLOROMETHANE

Hazard Class 6.1 Packing Group III

## **TDG**

**UN-No** UN1593

Proper Shipping Name DICHLOROMETHANE

Hazard Class 6.1 Packing Group III

#### **IATA**

**UN-No** UN1593

Proper Shipping Name DICHLOROMETHANE

Hazard Class 6.1 Packing Group

## IMDG/IMO

**UN-No** UN1593

Proper Shipping Name DICHLOROMETHANE

Hazard Class 6.1
Packing Group

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **International Inventories**

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	<b>EINECS</b>	<b>ELINCS</b>	NLP	PICCS	<b>ENCS</b>	AICS	CHINA	KECL
Methylene chloride	Т	Х	-	200-838- 9	-		Х	Х	Х	Х	KE- 23893 X
Ethyl alcohol	X	Х	-	200-578- 6	-		Х	Х	Х	Х	KE- 13217 X

#### Legend:

- X Listed
- E Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
- F Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
- N Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
- P Indicates a commenced PMN substance
- R Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.

- S Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
- T Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
- XU Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
- Y1 Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
- Y2 Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

## **U.S. Federal Regulations**

#### **TSCA 12(b)**

Component	TSCA 12(b)
Methylene chloride	Section 4

#### **SARA 313**

Component	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Methylene chloride	75-09-2	99.8	0.1

#### SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Acute Health Hazard No
Chronic Health Hazard No
Fire Hazard No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard No
Reactive Hazard No

## **Clean Water Act**

Component	CWA - Hazardous Substances	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants
Methylene chloride	-	-	X	X

#### Clean Air Act

Component	HAPS Data	Class 1 Ozone Depletors	Class 2 Ozone Depletors
Methylene chloride	X		-

## **OSHA**

Component	Specifically Regulated Chemicals	Highly Hazardous Chemicals
Methylene chloride	12.5 ppm Action Level	-
	125 ppm STEL	
	25 ppm TWA	

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Component	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA EHS RQs	
Methylene chloride	1000 lb	-	

## **California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals: Ethyl alcohol is only a considered a Proposition 65 developmental hazard when it is ingested as an alcoholic beverage.

Component	CAS-No	California Prop. 65	Prop 65 NSRL
Methylene chloride	75-09-2	Carcinogen	200 μg/day 50 μg/day
Ethyl alcohol	64-17-5	Developmental	-

## State Right-to-Know

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Methylene chloride	X	X	X	X	X
Ethyl alcohol	X	X	X	-	X

## **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Y
DOT Marine Pollutant N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

#### **U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

## **Other International Regulations**

Mexico - Grade No information available

#### Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

#### **WHMIS Hazard Class**

D1B Toxic materials D2A Very toxic materials D2B Toxic materials



# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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#### **Disclaimer**

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**End of MSDS**