

### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Ethyl acrylate

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Brand : Aldrich

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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Emergency Overview

##### OSHA Hazards

Flammable liquid, Target Organ Effect, Harmful by ingestion., Skin sensitiser, Irritant

##### Target Organs

Liver, Kidney

##### Other hazards which do not result in classification

Lachrymator.

##### GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H313	May be harmful in contact with skin.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
H401	Toxic to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P280	Wear protective gloves.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P311	Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

#### HMIS Classification

**Health hazard:** 2  
**Chronic Health Hazard:** \*  
**Flammability:** 3

**Physical hazards:** 0  
**NFPA Rating**  
**Health hazard:** 3  
**Fire:** 3  
**Reactivity Hazard:** 0

**Potential Health Effects**

**Inhalation** May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.  
**Skin** May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.  
**Eyes** Causes eye irritation.  
**Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed.

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**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Synonyms : Acrylic acid ethyl ester

Formula : C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>8</sub>O<sub>2</sub>

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
<b>Ethyl acrylate</b>			
140-88-5	205-438-8	607-032-00-X	<= 100 %
<b>Mequinol</b>			
150-76-5	205-769-8	604-044-00-7	>= 0.001 - <= 0.002 %

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**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

**General advice**

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

**If inhaled**

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

**In case of skin contact**

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

**In case of eye contact**

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

**If swallowed**

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

For small (incipient) fires, use media such as "alcohol" foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide. For large fires, apply water from as far as possible. Use very large quantities (flooding) of water applied as a mist or spray; solid streams of water may be ineffective. Cool all affected containers with flooding quantities of water.

**Special protective equipment for fire-fighters**

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

**Further information**

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

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**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

### Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

### Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Store in cool place.

Recommended storage temperature: 2 - 8 °C

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Update	Basis
Ethyl acrylate	140-88-5	TWA	5 ppm	2007-01-01	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
Remarks	Central Nervous System impairment Eye irritation Skin sensitization Upper Respiratory Tract & Gastrointestinal irritation Not classifiable as a human carcinogen: Agents which cause concern that they could be carcinogenic for humans but which cannot be assessed conclusively because of a lack of data. In vitro or animal studies do not provide indications of carcinogenicity which are sufficient to classify the agent into one of the other categories.				
		STEL	15 ppm	2007-01-01	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Central Nervous System impairment Eye irritation Skin sensitization Upper Respiratory Tract & Gastrointestinal irritation Not classifiable as a human carcinogen: Agents which cause concern that they could be carcinogenic for humans but which cannot be assessed conclusively because of a lack of data. In vitro or animal studies do not provide indications of carcinogenicity which are sufficient to classify the agent into one of the other categories.				
		TWA	5 ppm 20 mg/m3	1989-01-19	USA. OSHA - TABLE Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants - 1910.1000
	Skin notation				
		STEL	25 ppm 100 mg/m3	1989-01-19	USA. OSHA - TABLE Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants - 1910.1000
	Skin notation				
		TWA	25 ppm 100 mg/m3	1997-08-04	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
	Skin designation The value in mg/m3 is approximate.				

### Personal protective equipment

#### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**Hand protection**

Handle with gloves.

**Eye protection**

Face shield and safety glasses

**Skin and body protection**

Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

**Hygiene measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

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**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES****Appearance**

Form	liquid
Colour	colourless

**Safety data**

pH	no data available
Melting point	-71 °C (-96 °F) - lit.
Boiling point	99 °C (210 °F) - lit.
Flash point	8 °C (46 °F) - closed cup
Ignition temperature	383 °C (721 °F)
Lower explosion limit	1.8 %(V)
Upper explosion limit	12.1 %(V)
Vapour pressure	41 hPa (31 mmHg) at 20 °C (68 °F)
Density	0.918 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 25 °C (77 °F)
Water solubility	no data available
Relative vapour density	3.46 - (Air = 1.0)

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**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY****Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

**Conditions to avoid**

Heat, flames and sparks.

**Materials to avoid**

Oxidizing agents, Peroxides

**Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

Contains the following stabiliser(s):

Mequinol (>=0.001 - <=0.002 %)

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - rat - 800 mg/kg

LC50 Inhalation - rat - 4 h - 1414 ppm

Remarks: Sense Organs and Special Senses (Nose, Eye, Ear, and Taste):Olfaction:Other changes. Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration:Dyspnea. Gastrointestinal:Changes in structure or function of salivary glands.

LD50 Dermal - mouse - 2,997 mg/kg

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

no data available

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

no data available

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

May cause allergic skin reaction.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

Laboratory experiments have shown mutagenic effects.

Genotoxicity in vitro - mouse - lymphocyte

Mutation in mammalian somatic cells.

Genotoxicity in vitro - Hamster - ovary

Sister chromatid exchange

Genotoxicity in vivo - mouse - Intraperitoneal

Micronucleus test

**Carcinogenicity**

Carcinogenicity - rat - Oral

Tumorigenic: Carcinogenic by RTECS criteria. Gastrointestinal: Tumors.

This product is or contains a component that has been reported to be possibly carcinogenic based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

IARC: 2B - Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans (Ethyl acrylate)

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component 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 identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity**

Reproductive toxicity - rat - Oral

Maternal Effects: Other effects.

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (GHS)**

May cause respiratory irritation.

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (GHS)**

no data available

**Aspiration hazard**

no data available

**Potential health effects**

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<b>Eyes</b>	Causes eye irritation.

**Signs and Symptoms of Exposure**

Nausea, Headache, Drowsiness, To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

**Additional Information**

RTECS: AT0700000

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**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Toxicity**

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Toxicity to fish LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 2.5 mg/l - 96 h

**Persistence and degradability**

no data available

**Bioaccumulative potential**

no data available

**Mobility in soil**

no data available

**PBT and vPvB assessment**

no data available

**Other adverse effects**

no data available

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**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Product**

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**DOT (US)**

UN-Number: 1917 Class: 3 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Ethyl acrylate, stabilized

Reportable Quantity (RQ): 1000 lbs

Marine pollutant: No

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG**

UN-Number: 1917 Class: 3 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-E, S-D

Proper shipping name: ETHYL ACRYLATE, STABILIZED

Marine pollutant: No

**IATA**

UN-Number: 1917 Class: 3 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Ethyl acrylate, stabilized

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**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**OSHA Hazards**

Flammable liquid, Target Organ Effect, Harmful by ingestion., Skin sensitiser, Irritant

**DSL Status**

All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL list.

**SARA 302 Components**

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

**SARA 313 Components**

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Ethyl acrylate	140-88-5	1993-04-24

**SARA 311/312 Hazards**

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

CAS-No.	Revision Date
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Ethyl acrylate	140-88-5	1993-04-24
<b>Pennsylvania Right To Know Components</b>		
Ethyl acrylate	CAS-No. 140-88-5	Revision Date 1993-04-24
<b>New Jersey Right To Know Components</b>		
Ethyl acrylate	CAS-No. 140-88-5	Revision Date 1993-04-24
<b>California Prop. 65 Components</b>		
WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.	CAS-No. 140-88-5	Revision Date 2007-09-28
Ethyl acrylate		

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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Further information

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