SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : 1,1,1-Tris(hydroxymethyl)propane

Product Number : 93370
Brand : Aldrich
CAS-No. : 77-99-6

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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UNITED STATES

Telephone : +1 314 771-5765
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1.4 Emergency telephone

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 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)

Reproductive toxicity (Category 2), H361

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Signal word : Warning

Hazard statement(s)
H361 : Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

Precautionary statement(s)
P201 : Obtain special instructions before use.
P202  Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P280  Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P308 + P313  IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
P405  Store locked up.
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  : 2-Ethyl-2-hydroxymethyl-1,3-propanediol
            Trimethylolpropane

Formula  : C₆H₁₄O₃
Molecular weight  : 134.17 g/mol
CAS-No.  : 77-99-6
EC-No.  : 201-074-9

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<td>Repr. 2; H361</td>
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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. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact
After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Call in ophthalmologist. 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

**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

5.1 **Extinguishing media**

**Suitable extinguishing media**
Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO2) 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.

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

6.1 **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. 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 dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

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**
Tightly closed. Dry. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.
Storage class (TRGS 510): 11: Combustible Solids

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
Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

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).

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 dusts 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.
### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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| a) Appearance | Form: powder  
Color: white |
| b) Odor | No data available |
| c) Odor Threshold | No data available |
| d) pH | No data available |
| e) Melting point/freezing point | Melting point/range: 56 - 58 °C (133 - 136 °F)  
Melting point/range: 56 - 61 °C (133 - 142 °F) |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range | 159 - 161 °C  
318 - 322 °F at 3 hPa |
| g) Flash point | 180 °C (356 °F) - Cleveland open cup |
| h) Evaporation rate | No data available |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas) | No data available |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available |
| k) Vapor pressure | 67 hPa at 210 °C (410 °F) |
| l) Vapor density | No data available |
| m) Relative density | 1.08 g/cm³ at 20 °C (68 °F) |
| n) Water solubility | 3,900 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - completely soluble |
| o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water | log Pow: -0.47 at 26 °C (79 °F) - Bioaccumulation is not expected., (ECHA) |
| p) Autoignition temperature | No data available |
| q) Decomposition temperature | No data available |
| r) Viscosity | No data available |
| s) Explosive properties | No data available |
| t) Oxidizing properties | No data available |

#### 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

### 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.  
The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and mixtures: in correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.
10.2 **Chemical stability**
The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature).

10.3 **Possibility of hazardous reactions**
No data available

10.4 **Conditions to avoid**
Strong heating.

10.5 **Incompatible materials**
Strong oxidizing agents

10.6 **Hazardous decomposition products**
- Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions.
  - Carbon oxides
- Other decomposition products - No data available
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 - Rat - male - 14,700 mg/kg
Remarks: (ECHA)
LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male - 4 h - > 0.85 mg/l
LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - > 10,000 mg/kg
Remarks: (ECHA)
No data available

**Skin corrosion/irritation**
Skin - Rabbit
Result: No skin irritation - 24 h
Remarks: (ECHA)

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**
Eyes - Rabbit
Result: No eye irritation
Remarks: (ECHA)

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**
Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse
Result: negative
(OECD Test Guideline 429)

**Germ cell mutagenicity**
Ames test
Salmonella typhimurium
Result: negative
Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.
Chinese hamster lung cells
Result: negative
In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test

**Carcinogenicity**
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
The life science business of Merck KGaA, Darmstadt, Germany operates as MilliporeSigma in the US and Canada

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**
Suspected of damaging fertility.
Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**
No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**
No data available

**Aspiration hazard**
No data available

**Additional Information**
Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - 67 mg/kg
RTECS: TY6470000

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

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1 Toxicity

- **Toxicity to fish**
  static test LC50 - Alburnus alburnus - > 1,000 mg/l - 96 h
  Remarks: (ECHA)

- **Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates**
  static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 13,000 mg/l - 48 h
  Remarks: (ECHA)

- **Toxicity to algae**
  EbC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata - > 1,000 mg/l - 72 h
  Remarks: (ECHA)
  IC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) - > 1,000 mg/l - 72 h
  (OECD Test Guideline 201)

- **Toxicity to bacteria**
  EC50 - activated sludge - > 1,000 mg/l - 3 h
  Remarks: (ECHA)

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability

Result: ca.6 % - Not readily biodegradable.
(�OECD Test Guideline 301E)

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation

Cyprinus carpio (Carp)(Propylidynetrimethanol)

Bioconcentration factor (BCF): < 17
(�OECD Test Guideline 305C)
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 **Other adverse effects**
No data available

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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. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product. See 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)**
Not dangerous goods

**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**
This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

**SARA 311/312 Hazards**
No SARA Hazards

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**
No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

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**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**
Propylidynetrimethanol  
CAS-No. 77-99-6  
Revision Date

**New Jersey Right To Know Components**
Propylidynetrimethanol  
CAS-No. 77-99-6  
Revision Date

### SECTION 16: Other information

**Further information**
The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.sigma-aldrich.com and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.

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