

# • SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Mineral Oil Rotational Viscosity Standard

Product Number : RTM20  
Brand : Sigma-Aldrich

### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

Uses advised against : The product is being supplied under the TSCA R&D Exemption (40 CFR Section 720.36). It is the recipient's responsibility to comply with the requirements of the R&D exemption. The product may not be used for a non-exempt commercial purpose under TSCA unless appropriate consent is granted in writing by MilliporeSigma.

### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.  
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ST. LOUIS MO 63103  
UNITED STATES

Telephone : +1 314 771-5765  
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### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week

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## SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### GHS classification in accordance with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

#### Hazards for the product as supplied

Skin irritation : Category 2

Aspiration hazard : Category 1

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## Other hazards

None known.

## GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms



Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
H315 Causes skin irritation.

Precautionary statements :

**Prevention:**  
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P280 Wear protective gloves.

**Response:**  
P301 + P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.  
P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.  
P331 Do NOT induce vomiting.  
P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.  
P362 + P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

**Storage:**  
P405 Store locked up.

**Disposal:**  
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

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## SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

CAS-No. : Not Assigned

### Components

Chemical name	CAS No./Unique ID	Concentration (% w/w)	Trade secret
Distillates (petroleum), hydrotrated light, kerosene - unspecified	64742-47-8*	>= 65 - <= 85	TSC



Butene, homopolymer	9003-29-6*	>= 10 - <= 30	TSC
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\* Indicates that the identifier is a CAS No.

TSC- the actual concentration or concentration range is withheld as a trade secret

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#### SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice	:	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
If inhaled	:	After inhalation: fresh air.
In case of skin contact	:	In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
In case of eye contact	:	After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses.
If swallowed	:	After swallowing: caution if victim vomits. Risk of aspiration! Keep airways free. Pulmonary failure possible after aspiration of vomit. Call a physician immediately.
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
Protection of first-aiders	:	For personal protection see section 8.
Notes to physician	:	No data available

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#### SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media	:	Foam Carbon dioxide (CO2) Dry powder
Unsuitable extinguishing media	:	For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.
Specific hazards during fire fighting	:	Combustible.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.



Hazardous combustion products	: Carbon oxides
Specific extinguishing methods	: No data available
Further information	: Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.
Special protective equipment for fire-fighters	: Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

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## SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	: Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapours, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert. Advice for emergency responders: For personal protection see section 8.
Environmental precautions	: Do not let product enter drains.
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 carefully with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

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## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

For precautions see section 2.2.

Further information on storage conditions	: Tightly closed.
Storage class	: 10, Combustible liquids
Recommended storage temperature	: Recommended storage temperature see product label.



## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Distillates (petroleum), hydrotrated light, kerosene - unspecified	64742-47-8	TWA (Mist)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA Z-1
		TWA (Mist)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NIOSH REL
		ST (Mist)	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NIOSH REL
		TWA (Inhalable particulate matter)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH

**Engineering measures** : No data available

### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : required when vapours/aerosols 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.

Recommended Filter type: : Filter type ABEK

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

Hand protection

Remarks : required

Eye protection : Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).  
Safety glasses

Skin and body protection : protective clothing

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Hygiene measures : Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

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## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : liquid

Color : colourless

Odor : odourless

Odor Threshold : No data available  
pH : No data available

Melting point : No data available

Boiling point/boiling range : No data available

Flash point : > 199 °F / > 93 °C

Evaporation rate : No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available

Flammability (liquids) : No data available

Burning rate : No data available

Upper explosion limit /  
Upper flammability limit : No data available

Lower explosion limit /  
Lower flammability limit : No data available

Vapor pressure : No data available

Relative vapour density : No data available

Relative density : No data available

Density : No data available

Water solubility : No data available



Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: No data available
Autoignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Flow time	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available
Particle characteristics	
Particle size	: No data available

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## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	: No data available
Chemical stability	: The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .
Possibility of hazardous reactions	: No data available
Conditions to avoid	: Heat no information available
Incompatible materials	: Strong oxidizing agents
Hazardous decomposition products	: In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Mixture

#### Acute toxicity

Oral: No data available

Inhalation: No data available



Acute toxicity estimate Dermal - 2,500 mg/kg  
(Calculation method)

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Remarks: Mixture causes skin irritation.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

No data available

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

No data available

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No data available

**Carcinogenicity**

IARC: No component 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 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 on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

**Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

Aspiration hazard, Aspiration may cause pulmonary oedema and pneumonitis.

**11.2 Additional Information**

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

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.



## Components

### Distillates (petroleum), hydrotrated light, kerosene - unspecified

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - > 5,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 401)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - > 5 mg/l - vapour

(OECD Test Guideline 403)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - male and female - > 2,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 402)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation

(OECD Test Guideline 404)

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Buehler Test - Guinea pig

Result: Does not cause skin sensitisation.

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro

Test system: Chinese hamster ovary cells

Result: negative

Test Type: gene mutation test

Test system: mouse lymphoma cells

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 474

Species: Mouse - male and female

Result: negative

#### Carcinogenicity

No data available

#### Reproductive toxicity

No data available

#### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

#### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

#### Aspiration hazard

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.



## **Butene, homopolymer**

### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - > 10,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 401)

Inhalation: No data available

LD50 Dermal - Rat - male and female - > 2,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 402)

Remarks: No data available

No data available

### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - Rabbit

Result: Irritating to skin. - 4 h

(OECD Test Guideline 404)

### **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

Remarks: No data available

### **Respiratory or skin sensitization**

Maximisation Test - Guinea pig

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

Test Type: reverse mutation assay

Test system: *S. typhimurium*

Result: negative

Method: OPPTS 870.5395

Species: Rat - male and female - Bone marrow

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 474

Species: Mouse - male and female

Result: negative

### **Carcinogenicity**

No data available

### **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

### **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

### **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

### **Aspiration hazard**

Aspiration may cause pulmonary oedema and pneumonitis.



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## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

#### Components:

##### **Distillates (petroleum), hydrotrated light, kerosene - unspecified:**

Toxicity to fish : Remarks: No data available

##### **Butene, homopolymer:**

Toxicity to fish : Remarks: No data available

### Persistence and degradability

#### Components:

##### **Distillates (petroleum), hydrotrated light, kerosene - unspecified:**

Biodegradability : Remarks: No data available

##### **Butene, homopolymer:**

Biodegradability : aerobic  
Inoculum: activated sludge  
Concentration: 11.7 mg/l  
Result: Readily biodegradable.  
Biodegradation: 93.9 %  
Exposure time: 28 d  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 310  
GLP: yes

### Bioaccumulative potential

#### Components:

##### **Distillates (petroleum), hydrotrated light, kerosene - unspecified:**

Partition coefficient: n- : log Pow: 6.0 - 8.2  
octanol/water

##### **Butene, homopolymer:**

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: No data available

Partition coefficient: n- : log Pow: 7.6 - 7.8 (68 °F / 20 °C)  
octanol/water Method: OECD Test Guideline 117

### Mobility in soil

#### Components:

##### **Butene, homopolymer:**

Stability in soil : Remarks: No data available



## Other adverse effects

### Components:

#### **Butene, homopolymer:**

Additional ecological information : No data available

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## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### **Disposal methods**

Waste from residues : Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

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## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### **International Regulations**

#### **IATA-DGR**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

#### **IMDG-Code**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

#### **Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments**

Not applicable for product as supplied.

### **National Regulations**

#### **49 CFR Road**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

Poison Inhalation Hazard : No

### **Special precautions for user**

Remarks : Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

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## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### **CERCLA Reportable Quantity**

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

### **SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity**

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.



## **SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity**

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

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

**SARA 313** : 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.

## **US State Regulations**

### **Massachusetts Right To Know**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### **Massachusetts Right To Know**

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotrated light, kerosene - unspecified 64742-47-8

### **Pennsylvania Right To Know**

Non hazardous component(s) liquid Not Assigned

### **Pennsylvania Right To Know**

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### **Maine Chemicals of High Concern**

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

### **Vermont Chemicals of High Concern**

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

### **Washington Chemicals of High Concern**

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

### **New Jersey Right To Know**

Non hazardous component(s) liquid Not Assigned

### **California Prop. 65**

WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including Distillates (petroleum), hydrotrated light, kerosene - unspecified, which is/are known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

### **The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:**

TSCA : All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

### **TSCA list**

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.



## SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Full text of other abbreviations

ACGIH	:	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
NIOSH REL	:	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
OSHA Z-1	:	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
ACGIH / TWA	:	8-hour, time-weighted average
NIOSH REL / TWA	:	Time-weighted average concentration for up to a 10-hour workday during a 40-hour workweek
NIOSH REL / ST	:	STEL - 15-minute TWA exposure that should not be exceeded at any time during a workday
OSHA Z-1 / TWA	:	8-hour time weighted average

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DOT - Department of Transportation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; EHS - Extremely Hazardous Substance; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonised System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; HMIS - Hazardous Materials Identification System; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organisation; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardisation; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; MSHA - Mine Safety and Health Administration; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NFPA - National Fire Protection Association; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; RCRA - Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RQ - Reportable Quantity; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative



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