# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Dimethyl sulfite

Product Number : 108618 Brand : Aldrich

CAS-No. : 616-42-2

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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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : (314) 776-6555

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable liquids (Category 3), H226

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315

Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

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

# 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

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H335 May cause respiratory irritation. Precautionary statement(s) Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking. P210 Keep container tightly closed. P233 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. P240 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting equipment. P241 P242 Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. P243 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray. P261 P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. P271 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection. P280 P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell. P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention. P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention. P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction. P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

# 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

Store locked up.

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1 Substances

P405

P501

Synonyms : Methyl sulfite

Molecular weight : 110.13 g/mol CAS-No. : 616-42-2 EC-No. : 210-481-0

# **Hazardous components**

Component	Classification	Concentration
Dimethyl sulphite		
	Flam. Liq. 3; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2A; STOT SE 3; H226, H315, H319, H335	<= 100 %

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

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# 4.1 Description of 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.

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#### 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.

# 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

### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides, Sulphur oxides

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, 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.

For personal protection see section 8.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

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

# 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 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. For precautions see section 2.2.

# 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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.

Storage class (TRGS 510): 3: Flammable liquids

# 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# 8.1 Control parameters

# Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

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#### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

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

### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye/face protection

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

#### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: butyl-rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.3 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Butoject® (KCL 897 / Aldrich Z677647, Size M)

Splash contact Material: butyl-rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.3 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Butoject® (KCL 897 / Aldrich Z677647, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

#### **Body Protection**

Impervious clothing, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### 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).

#### Control of environmental exposure

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

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: clear, liquid

Colour: colourless

b) Odourc) Odour Thresholdd) pHNo data availableNo data available

e) Melting point/freezing

point

No data available

f) Initial boiling point and

boiling range

126 - 127 °C (259 - 261 °F) - lit.

g) Flash point 38 °C (100 °F) - closed cup

h) Evaporation rate No data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas) No data available

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j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits No data available

k) Vapour pressure No data availablel) Vapour density No data available

m) Relative density 1.294 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)

n) Water solubilityo) Partition coefficient: noctanol/water No data available

p) Auto-ignition 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

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Sulphur oxides Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

# **Acute toxicity**

No data available

Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available

No data available

# Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

# Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

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### 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.

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 on OSHA's

list of regulated carcinogens.

#### Reproductive toxicity

No data available No data available

### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.

# Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

#### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

#### **Additional Information**

RTECS: WT3512000

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

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

# 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available(Dimethyl sulphite)

### 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

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

### **Product**

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. 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: 1993 Class: 3 Packing group: III Proper shipping name: Flammable liquids, n.o.s. (Dimethyl sulphite)

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 1993 Class: 3 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-E, S-E

Proper shipping name: FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Dimethyl sulphite)

**IATA** 

UN number: 1993 Class: 3 Packing group: III Proper shipping name: Flammable liquid, n.o.s. (Dimethyl sulphite)

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### **SARA 302 Components**

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

#### **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

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard

# **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

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

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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**New Jersey Right To Know Components** 

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# California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

**HMIS Rating** 

Health hazard: 2
Chronic Health Hazard:
Flammability: 2
Physical Hazard 0

**NFPA Rating** 

Health hazard: 2
Fire Hazard: 2
Reactivity Hazard: 0

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#### **Further information**

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