

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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1. Identification

Product Name Poly(ethylene glycol), average M.W. 200

Cat No.: AC192210000; AC192210010; AC192210050; AC192210051

**CAS No** 25322-68-3 **Synonyms** PEG

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# 2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3

Target Organs - Respiratory system.

Label Elements

Signal Word Warning

**Hazard Statements** 

May cause respiratory irritation



### **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

#### Inhalation

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

#### Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

Store locked up

### **Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Polyethylene glycol	25322-68-3	>95

### 4. First-aid measures

General Advice If symptoms persist, call a physician.

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

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists,

call a physician.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention if symptoms

occur

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.

Most important symptoms and

effects

None reasonably foreseeable.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

**Flash Point** 171 °C / 339.8 °F

Method - No information available

Autoignition Temperature 304 °C / 579.2 °F

**Explosion Limits** 

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact
Sensitivity to Static Discharge 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.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2).

### **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 gear.

NFPA

HealthFlammabilityInstabilityPhysical hazards211N/A

### Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation.

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

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

7. Handling and storage
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**Handling** Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid

ingestion and inhalation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

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

Materials. Strong oxidizing agents.

### 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure

limitsestablished by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Engineering Measures Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Personal Protective Equipment

**Eye/face 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.

**Skin and body protection** Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection** 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.

#### **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical State Liquid

Appearance No information available

**Odor** Slight

Odor Threshold

pH

5.0-7.0 10% in water

Melting Point/Range

-65 °C / -85 °F

Melting Point/Range

Boiling Point/Range

No information available

171 °C / 339.8 °F

Evaporation Rate

No information available

Flammability (solid,gas) Not applicable

Flammability or explosive limits

Upper<br/>LowerNo data available<br/>No data availableVapor Pressure<0.01 mmHg @ 20 °C</th>Vapor DensityNo information available

Specific Gravity 1.125

Solubility

Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water

Autoignition Temperature

Decomposition Temperature

Viscosity

Soluble in water

No data available

304 °C / 579.2 °F

No information available

60-70 mPa.s @ 20 °C

Molecular Weight 200

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions. Hygroscopic.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to moisture.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2)

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions**None under normal processing.

# 11. Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

**Product Information** 

Oral LD50

Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 2000 mg/kg.

Dermal LD50

Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 2000 mg/kg.

Vapor LC50

Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 20 mg/l.

**Component Information** 

	Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation	
Poly	ethylene glycol	LD50 = 22 g/kg (Rat)	LD50 > 20 g/kg (Rabbit)	Not listed	

Toxicologically Synergistic No information available

**Products** 

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Irritation** No information available

Sensitization No information available

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

Component	CAS No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Polyethylene glycol	25322-68-3	Not listed				

No information available **Mutagenic Effects** 

No information available. **Reproductive Effects** 

**Developmental Effects** No information available.

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

STOT - single exposure Respiratory system

STOT - repeated exposure None known

No information available **Aspiration hazard** 

Symptoms / effects, both acute and No information available

delayed

No information available **Endocrine Disruptor Information** 

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea	
Polyethylene glycol	Not listed	LC50 = 10 g/L/96h	Not listed	Not listed	

Persistence and Degradability

Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** 

No information available.

**Mobility** 

Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

### 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.

	14. Transport information				
DOT	Not regulated				
DOT TDG IATA	Not regulated				
IATA	Not regulated				
IMDG/IMO	Not regulated				
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### 15. Regulatory Information

### **United States of America Inventory**

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags
Polyethylene glycol	25322-68-3	X	ACTIVE	XU

### Legend:

TSCA US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

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)

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export Not applicable

### **International Inventories**

Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (KECL).

	Component	CAS No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Ī	Polyethylene glycol	25322-68-3	X	-	-	X	X	Х	Х	X	KE-20228

KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

#### U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

**OSHA** - Occupational Safety and

Health Administration

Not applicable

CERCLA Not applicable

**California Proposition 65**This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know

Regulations

Not applicable

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

Reportable Quantity (RQ):

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 Slight risk, Grade 1

Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

### Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Persistent Organic Pollutant	Ozone Depletion Potential	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)
Polyethylene glycol	25322-68-3	Listed	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements	Rotterdam Convention (PIC)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
Polyethylene glycol	25322-68-3	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

# 16. Other information

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replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally

Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

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