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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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

#### **1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name	<sup>:</sup> Tetrahydrofuran
Product Number Brand Index-No.	: 34865 : SIGALD : 603-025-00-0
REACH No.	: 01-2119444314-46-XXXX
CAS-No.	: 109-99-9

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

# 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	:	Merck Life Science S.r.l. Via Monte Rosa 93 I-20149 MILANO
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#### 1.4 Emergency telephone

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# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

2.1	<b>.1</b> Classification of the substance or mixture Flammable liquids, (Category 2) H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapor		
	Acute toxicity, (Category 4)	H302: Harmful if swallowed.	
	Eye irritation, (Category 2)	H319: Causes serious eye irritation.	

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Carcinogenicity, (Category 2)

Specific target organ toxicity single exposure, (Category 3), Central nervous system

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

H351: Suspected of causing cancer.

H336: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

H335: May cause respiratory irritation.

#### 2.2 Label elements

# Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 Pictogram

Signal Word	Danger
Hazard Statements H225 H302 H319 H335 H336 H351	Highly flammable liquid and vapor. Harmful if swallowed. Causes serious eye irritation. May cause respiratory irritation. May cause drowsiness or dizziness. Suspected of causing cancer.
Precautionary Statements	
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P233	Keep container tightly closed.
P301 + P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor 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.
P308 + P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
Supplemental Hazard inform EUH019	mation (EU) May form explosive peroxides.

#### Reduced Labeling (<= 125 ml)

Pictogram

Signal Word	Danger
Hazard Statements H351	Suspected of causing cancer.
Precautionary Statements P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and
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P308 + P313

understood.

P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

Supplemental Hazard information (EU) EUH019 May form explosive peroxides.

# 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### Ecological information:

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher. Toxicological information:

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

# 3.1 Substances

Formula	:	C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O
Molecular weight	:	72,11 g/mol
CAS-No.	:	109-99-9
EC-No.	:	5-53
Index-No.	:	603-025-00-0

Component		Classification	Concentration
Tetrahydrofuran			
CAS-No. EC-No. Index-No.	109-99-9 5-53 603-025-00-0	Flam. Liq. 2; Acute Tox. 4; Eye Irrit. 2; Carc. 2; STOT SE 3; H225, H302, H319, H351, H336, H335 Concentration limits: >= 25 %: Eye Irrit. 2, H319; >= 25 %: STOT SE 3, H335;	<= 100 %

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

# 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.

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# 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** Carbon dioxide (CO2) Foam 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.

Pay attention to flashback.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors. Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire. Forms explosive mixtures with air at ambient temperatures.

#### 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

Remove container from danger zone and cool with water. 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: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

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. Risk of explosion.

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# 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 carefully with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapours/aerosols.

#### Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

#### **Hygiene measures**

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance. For precautions see section 2.2.

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### Storage conditions

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Test for peroxide formation periodically and before distillation.

#### Storage class

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

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)			
Application Area	Routes of	Health effect	Value
	exposure		
Workers	Skin contact	Long-term systemic effects	25mg/kg BW/d
Consumers	Skin contact	Long-term systemic effects	15mg/kg BW/d
Workers	Inhalation	Long-term local effects	150 mg/m3
Workers	Inhalation	Long-term systemic effects	150 mg/m3
Consumers	Inhalation	Long-term systemic effects	62 mg/m3
Consumers	Inhalation	Acute local effects	150 mg/m3

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Consumers Inhalation	Acute systemic effects	1
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#### Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

Compartment	Value	
Soil	2,13 mg/kg	
Sea water	0,432 mg/l	
Fresh water	4,32 mg/l	
Sea sediment	2,33 mg/kg	
Fresh water sediment	23,3 mg/kg	
Onsite sewage treatment plant	4,6 mg/l	

# 8.2 Exposure controls

# 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 EN 16523-1 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Splash contact

Material: butyl-rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0,7 mm Break through time: 10 min Material tested:Butoject® (KCL 898)

# **Body Protection**

Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing.

#### **Respiratory protection**

Recommended Filter type: Filter A (acc. to DIN 3181) for vapours of organic compounds

The entrepeneur 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.

#### **Control of environmental exposure**

Do not let product enter drains. Risk of explosion.

#### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- a) Physical state liquid
- b) Color No data available
- c) Odor No data available

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d)	Melting point/freezing point	Melting point: -108,44 °C - (ECHA)
e)	Initial boiling point and boiling range	65 °C at 1.013,25 hPa - (ECHA)
f)	Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
g)	Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Upper explosion limit: 12,4 %(V) - (THF) Lower explosion limit: 1,5 %(V)
h)	Flash point	-21,2 °C - closed cup - DIN 51755 Part 1
i)	Autoignition temperature	215 °C at 1.013 hPa - DIN 51794
j)	Decomposition temperature	No data available
k)	рН	ca.7 - 8
I)	Viscosity	Viscosity, kinematic: No data available Viscosity, dynamic: 0,359 mPa.s at 50 °C0,456 mPa.s at 25 °C
m)	Water solubility	miscible
n)	Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 0,45 at 25 °C - Bioaccumulation is not expected.
o)	Vapor pressure	170 hPa at 20 °C - (THF)
p)	Density	0,89 g/cm3 at 20 °C
	Relative density	No data available
q)	Relative vapor density	No data available
r)	Particle characteristics	No data available

- s) Explosive properties No data available
- t) Oxidizing properties none

# 9.2 Other safety information No data available

# SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### **10.1 Reactivity**

Formation of peroxides possible. Vapors may form explosive mixture with air.

#### **10.2 Chemical stability**

Sensitivity to light Sensitive to air. The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

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Stable under recommended storage conditions.

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

- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** Distillation (Risk of explosion). Warming. Moisture.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials** No data available
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products** Peroxides In the event of fire: see section 5

#### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### **11.1** Information on toxicological effects

#### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 1.650 mg/kg Remarks: (ECHA) Symptoms: Irritation of mucous membranes Acute toxicity estimate Oral - 1.650 mg/kg (ATE value derived from LD50/LC50 value) LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 6 h - > 14,7 mg/l - vapor

(US-EPA) LD50 Dermal - Rat - male and female - > 2.000 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 402)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit Result: No skin irritation - 72 h (Draize Test) Remarks: Repeated or prolonged exposure may cause skin irritation and dermatitis, due to degreasing properties of the product.

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit Result: Causes serious eye irritation. Remarks: (IUCLID) Remarks: Classified according to Regulation (EU) 1272/2008, Annex VI (Table 3.1/3.2)

#### **Respiratory or skin sensitization**

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse Result: negative (OECD Test Guideline 429)

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Ames test Test system: S. typhimurium Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

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Method: OECD Test Guideline 471 Result: negative Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test Test system: Chinese hamster ovary cells Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation Method: OECD Test Guideline 476 Result: negative Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro Test system: Chinese hamster ovary cells Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation Method: OECD Test Guideline 473 Result: negative

Test Type: Micronucleus test Species: Mouse Cell type: Red blood cells (erythrocytes) Application Route: inhalation (vapor) Method: OECD Test Guideline 474 Result: negative

#### Carcinogenicity

Suspected of causing cancer.

# **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

#### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation. - Central nervous system Remarks: Classified according to Regulation (EU) 1272/2008, Annex VI (Table 3.1/3.2) May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

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

**Aspiration hazard** No data available

#### **11.2 Additional Information**

#### **Endocrine disrupting properties**

#### Product:

Assessment

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - 4 Weeks

RTECS: LU5950000

irritant effects, Cough, Shortness of breath, narcosis, somnolence To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

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In high doses:

somnolence narcosis

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

This substance should be handled with particular care.

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1	Toxicity	
	Toxicity to fish	flow-through test LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 2.160 mg/l - 96 h (OECD Test Guideline 203)
	Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 3.485 mg/l - 48 h (OECD Test Guideline 202)
	Toxicity to fish(Chronic toxicity)	flow-through test NOEC - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 216 mg/l - 33 d Remarks: (ECHA)

#### **12.2 Persistence and degradability** Biodegradability aerobic Biochemical oxygen demand - Exposure time 28 d

Biodegradability

Result: 39 % - Not readily biodegradable. (OECD Test Guideline 301D)

# 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

**12.4 Mobility in soil** No data available

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

# **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties**

Product:

Assessment

: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

# 12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available

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SECTION 13: Disposal considerations							
13.1	. Waste treatment methods No data available						
SECTION 14: Transport information							
14.1	<b>UN numb</b> ADR/RID:	•-	IMDG: 2056	IATA: 2056			
14.2	2 UN proper shipping name ADR/RID: TETRAHYDROFURAN IMDG: TETRAHYDROFURAN IATA: Tetrahydrofuran						
14.3	Transport ADR/RID:	<b>t hazard class(es)</b> 3	IMDG: 3	IATA: 3			
14.4	Packagin ADR/RID:		IMDG: II	IATA: II			
14.5	<b>Environm</b> ADR/RID:	no	IMDG Marine pollutant: no	IATA: no			
14.6	Tunnel res		<b>r</b> (D/E) No data available				

#### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

#### Authorisations and/or restrictions on use

#### **National legislation**

Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the P5c FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances.

#### **Other regulations**

Observe work restrictions regarding maternity protection in accordance to Dir 92/85/EEC or stricter national regulations where applicable.

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Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work.

#### **15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment**

A Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance.

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

#### Full text of H-Statements

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
H351	Suspected of causing cancer.
EUH019	May form explosive peroxides.

#### Full text of other abbreviations

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways; ADR - Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road; AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM -American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; 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; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; 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 Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; 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; n.o.s. -Not Otherwise Specified; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization 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; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; 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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#### **Further information**

The information is believed to be correct but is not exhaustive and will be used solely as a guideline, which is based on current knowledge of the chemical substance or mixture and is applicable to appropriate safety precautions for the product. 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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