

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. Identification

**Product Name** 2(2-Ethoxyethoxy)ethanol

**Cat No. :** AC117890000; AC117890010; AC117890025; AC117890250

**CAS No** 111-90-0  
**Synonyms** Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether; Carbitol<sup>®</sup>4

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.  
**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

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

#### Company

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## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous according to [US] OSHA (29 CFR 1910.1200, 2024)

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

Category 2

### Label Elements

#### **Signal Word**

Warning

#### **Hazard Statements**

Causes serious eye irritation

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear eye/face protection

**Eyes**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

None identified

**Hazards classified under paragraph (d)(1)(ii) of 1910.1200**

No information available

### 3. Composition/information on Ingredients

| Component                         | CAS No   | Weight % |
|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | 111-90-0 | <=100    |

### 4. First-aid measures

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>Eye Contact</b>                         | Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention. |
| <b>Skin Contact</b>                        | Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.     |
| <b>Inhalation</b>                          | Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.    |
| <b>Ingestion</b>                           | Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.  |
| <b>Most important symptoms and effects</b> | Difficulty in breathing. Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting    |
| <b>Notes to Physician</b>                  | Treat symptomatically   |

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

|                                       |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| <b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>   | Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam. |
| <b>Unsuitable Extinguishing Media</b> | No information available   |
| <b>Flash Point</b>                    | 94 °C / 201.2 °F   |
| <b>Method -</b>                       | No information available   |
| <b>Autoignition Temperature</b>       | 204 °C / 399.2 °F  |
| <b>Explosion Limits</b>               |  |

|   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| <b>Upper</b>                            | 23.5 vol %               |
| <b>Lower</b>                            | 1.20 vol %               |
| <b>Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact</b> | No information available |
| <b>Sensitivity to Static Discharge</b>  | No information available |

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Containers may explode when heated. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

**Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). peroxides.

**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**

**Health**  
1

**Flammability**  
1

**Instability**  
1

**Physical hazards**  
N/A

**6. Accidental release measures**

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>Personal Precautions</b>                 | Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. |
| <b>Environmental Precautions</b>            | Avoid release to the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.                                |
| <b>Methods for Containment and Clean Up</b> | Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.                               |

**7. Handling and Storage**

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Handling</b> | Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.  |
| <b>Storage.</b> | Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep under nitrogen. Incompatible Materials. Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids. Acid anhydrides. Acid chlorides. |

**8. Exposure controls / personal protection****Exposure Guidelines**

|                             |                                   |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Engineering Measures</b> | None under normal use conditions. |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|

**Personal Protective Equipment**

|                                 |   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| <b>Eye/face Protection</b>      | 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. |
| <b>Skin and body protection</b> | Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.   |
| <b>Respiratory Protection</b>   | No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.  |
| <b>Recommended Filter type:</b> | Particle filter.  |
| <b>Hygiene Measures</b>         | Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.  |

**9. Physical and chemical properties**

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| <b>Appearance</b>                              |  |  |
| <b>Physical State</b>                          | Liquid   |  |
| <b>Color</b>                                   | Colorless  |  |
| <b>Odor</b>                                    | sweet  |  |
| <b>Odor Threshold</b>                          | No information available                         |  |
| <b>Property</b>                                | <b>Values</b>                                    | <b>Remarks      • Method</b>             |
| <b>Melting Point/Range</b>                     | -80 °C / -112 °F                                 |  |
| <b>Softening Point</b>                         | No data available                                |  |
| <b>Boiling Point/Range</b>                     | 197 °C / 386.6 °F                                | @ 760 mmHg                               |
| <b>Flash Point</b>                             | 94 °C / 201.2 °F                                 | <b>Method -</b> No information available |
| <b>Flammability (liquid)</b>                   | No data available                                |  |
| <b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>                | Not applicable                                   | Liquid                                   |
| <b>Explosion Limits</b>                        | <b>Lower</b> 1.2 vol %<br><b>Upper</b> 8.5 vol % |  |
| <b>Autoignition Temperature</b>                | 204 °C / 399.2 °F                                |  |
| <b>Decomposition Temperature</b>               | No data available                                |  |
| <b>pH</b>                                      | No information available                         |  |
| <b>Viscosity</b>                               | No data available                                |  |
| <b>Water Solubility</b>                        | Miscible   |  |
| <b>Solubility in other solvents</b>            | No information available                         |  |
| <b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b> |  |  |
| <b>Component</b>                               | <b>log Pow</b>                                   |  |
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether              | -0.8   |  |
| <b>Vapor Pressure</b>                          | No data available                                |  |
| <b>Density / Specific Gravity</b>              | 0.990  |  |
| <b>Bulk Density</b>                            | Not applicable                                   | Liquid                                   |
| <b>Vapor Density</b>                           | No data available                                | (Air = 1.0)                              |
| <b>Particle characteristics</b>                | Not applicable (liquid)                          |  |
| <b>Other Information</b>                       |  |  |
| <b>Molecular Formula</b>                       | C6 H14 O3  |  |
| <b>Molecular Weight</b>                        | 134.17   |  |

## 10. Stability and reactivity

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>Reactive Hazard</b>                  | None known, based on information available                             |
| <b>Stability</b>                        | Stable under normal conditions. Hygroscopic.                           |
| <b>Conditions to Avoid</b>              | Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to moisture.              |
| <b>Incompatible Materials</b>           | Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Acid anhydrides, Acid chlorides |
| <b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b> | Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), peroxides     |
| <b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>         | Hazardous polymerization does not occur.                               |
| <b>Hazardous Reactions</b>              | None under normal processing.  |

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on expected route of exposure

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| <b>Inhalation</b> | May cause irritation of respiratory tract. May be harmful if inhaled.   |
| <b>Ingestion</b>  | Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea. May be harmful if swallowed. |
| <b>Eyes</b>       | May cause irritation.   |
| <b>Skin</b>       | May cause irritation. May be harmful in contact with skin.  |

**Toxicology data for the components**

| Component                         | LD50 Oral          | LD50 Dermal   | LC50 Inhalation                           |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|---|---|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | 6031 mg/kg ( Rat ) | 9143 mg/kg (Rabbit)<br>4200 µL/kg ( Rabbit )<br>6 mL/kg ( Rat ) | LC50 > 5240 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ( Rat ) 4 h |

**Toxicologically Synergistic Products** No information available

**(b) skin corrosion/irritation;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**(c) serious eye damage/irritation;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;**  
**Respiratory** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met  
**Skin** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**(e) germ cell mutagenicity;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**(f) carcinogenicity;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met  
 The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen

| Component                         | CAS No   | IARC       | NTP        | ACGIH      | OSHA       | Mexico     |
|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | 111-90-0 | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed |

**(g) reproductive toxicity;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**(h) STOT-single exposure;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**(i) STOT-repeated exposure;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**Target Organs** None known.

**(j) aspiration hazard;** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

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

**Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed** Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

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

**Endocrine Disrupting Properties** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

| Component | Freshwater Algae | Freshwater Fish | Microtox | Water Flea |
|-----------|------------------|-----------------|----------|------------|
|-----------|------------------|-----------------|----------|------------|

|                                   |            |  |            |   |
|-----------------------------------|------------|--|------------|---|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | Not listed | LC50: 11600 - 16700 mg/L, 96h flow-through (Pimephales promelas)<br>LC50: 11400 - 15700 mg/L, 96h flow-through (Oncorhynchus mykiss)<br>LC50: 19100 - 23900 mg/L, 96h flow-through (Lepomis macrochirus)<br>LC50: = 10000 mg/L, 96h static (Lepomis macrochirus) | Not listed | EC50: 3940 - 4670 mg/L, 48h (Daphnia magna) |
|-----------------------------------|------------|--|------------|---|

**Persistence and Degradability** Persistence is unlikely

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

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

| Component                         | log Pow |
|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | -0.8    |

### 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  
**TDG** Not regulated  
**IATA** Not regulated  
**IMDG/IMO** Not regulated

### 15. Regulatory Information

#### United States of America Inventory

| Component                         | CAS No   | TSCA | TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive | TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags |
|-----------------------------------|----------|------|---|-----------------------------|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | 111-90-0 | X    | ACTIVE  | -                           |

#### Legend:

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

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

**TSCA - Per 40 CFR 751, Regulation of Certain Chemical Substances & Mixtures, Under TSCA Section 6(h) (PBT)** Not applicable

**TSCA 12(b)** - Notices of Export Not applicable

#### International Inventories

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

| Component                         | CAS No   | DSL | NDL | EINECS    | PICCS | ENCS | ISHL | AICS | IECSC | KECL     |
|-----------------------------------|----------|-----|-----|-----------|-------|------|------|------|-------|----------|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | 111-90-0 | X   | -   | 203-919-7 | X     | X    | X    | X    | X     | KE-10467 |

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

#### U.S. Federal Regulations

**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

| Component                         | CAS No   | Weight % | SARA 313 - Threshold Values % | SARA 313 - Reporting thresholds |
|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | 111-90-0 | <=100    | 1.0 %                         | -                               |

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

Not applicable

**Clean Air Act**

| Component                         | HAPS Data | Class 1 Ozone Depleters | Class 2 Ozone Depleters |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | X         |                         | -                       |

**OSHA** - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

| Component                         | Massachusetts | New Jersey | Pennsylvania | Illinois | Rhode Island |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|------------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | -             | X          | X            | X        | -            |

**U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N  
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**

No information available

**Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH**

Not applicable

| Component                         | CAS No   | REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization | REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances | REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) |
|-----------------------------------|----------|---|---|---|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | 111-90-0 | -   | -   | -   |

## 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) |
|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | 111-90-0 | Listed   | Not applicable               | Not applicable            | Not applicable                             |

## Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per &amp; poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)?

Not applicable

## Other International Regulations

| 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) |
|-----------------------------------|----------|---|--|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether | 111-90-0 | Not applicable  | Not applicable   | Not applicable             | Not applicable                     |

## 16. Other Information

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