

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

**Product Name** Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether, stabilized

Cat No.: AC139600000; AC139600010; AC139600025; AC139600050;

AC139602500

**CAS No** 112-49-2

**Synonyms** 1,2-Bis(2-methoxyethoxy)ethane; Triglyme

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.

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

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

Fisher Scientific Company **Acros Organics** One Reagent Lane One Reagent Lane Fair Lawn, NJ 07410 Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

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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)

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

Category 2 Reproductive Toxicity Category 1B

Label Elements

Signal Word

Danger

**Hazard Statements** 

Causes serious eye irritation

May damage the unborn child. Suspected of damaging fertility



## **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

Use personal protective equipment as required

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear eye/face protection

#### Response

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention/advice

#### **Eves**

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

#### Storage

Store locked up

#### **Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

May form explosive peroxides

## 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	112-49-2	>95

## 4. First-aid measures

General Advice Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is

required.

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

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical

attention is required.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Do not use mouth-to-mouth

method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device.

Immediate medical attention is required.

**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Most important symptoms and

effects

None reasonably foreseeable.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO 2). Dry chemical. Chemical foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

**Flash Point** 113 °C / 235.4 °F

Method - No information available

Autoignition Temperature 195 °C / 383 °F

**Explosion Limits** 

**Upper** No data available

Lower .70%

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

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. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

NFPA

HealthFlammabilityInstabilityPhysical hazards210N/A

## 6. Accidental release measures

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

away from and upwind of spill/leak. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

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

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

## 7. Handling and storage

Handling Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on

clothing. If peroxide formation is suspected, do not open or move container. Use only under a chemical fume hood. Do not breathe mist/vapors/spray. Do not ingest. If swallowed then

seek immediate medical assistance.

Storage. Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep under

nitrogen. Containers should be dated when opened and tested periodically for the presence of peroxides. Should crystals form in a peroxidizable liquid, peroxidation may have occurred and the product should be considered extremely dangerous. In this instance, the container should only be opened remotely by professionals. Incompatible Materials. Strong oxidizing

agents. Strong acids.

## 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 adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations

and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

#### **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 StateLiquidAppearanceColorlessOdorOdorless

Odor Threshold

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No information available

No information available

Melting Point/Range -45 °C / -49 °F

Boiling Point/Range 216 °C / 420.8 °F @ 760 mmHg

Flash Point 113 °C / 235.4 °F
Evaporation Rate 100 No information available

Flammability (solid,gas) Not applicable

Flammability or explosive limits

**Upper** No data available

**Lower** .70%

Vapor Pressure 1.2 mbar @ 20°C

Vapor Density 6.14 Specific Gravity 0.986

SolubilitySoluble in waterPartition coefficient; n-octanol/waterNo data availableAutoignition Temperature195 °C / 383 °F

Decomposition Temperature >300 °C

Viscosity2.5 mPa.s @ 20 °CMolecular FormulaC8 H18 O4

Molecular Formula C8 H18
Molecular Weight 178.23

## 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard None known, based on information available

**Stability** May form explosive peroxides.

**Conditions to Avoid** Exposure to air. Incompatible products. Exposure to light.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids

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

Hazardous Polymerization No information available.

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

## 11. Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

**Product Information** 

**Component Information** 

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	5390 mg/kg (Rat)	>6900 mg/kg (Rat)	Not listed

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

**Products** 

 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
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	112-49-2	Not listed				

Mutagenic Effects Not mutagenic in AMES Test

Reproductive Effects

No information available.

Developmental Effects

No information available.

**Teratogenicity** Teratogenic effects have occurred in experimental animals.

No information available

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

**STOT - single exposure**STOT - repeated exposure
None known
None known

Aspiration hazard No information available

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available

delayed

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

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

## 12. Ecological information

#### **Ecotoxicity**

Do not empty into drains. .

Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea
Triethylene glycol dimethyl	EC50 >6000 mg/L/72h	LC50 >5000 mg/L/96h	Not listed	EC50 >5000 mg/L/48h
ether	(method OECD 201)	(Zebra Fish) (method OECD		(method OECD 202)
		203)		

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
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	-0.48

## 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

DOTNot regulatedTDGNot regulatedIATANot regulatedIMDG/IMONot regulated

## 15. Regulatory information

## **United States of America Inventory**

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	112-49-2	X	ACTIVE	S

#### Legend:

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

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule.

#### TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export

Component	CAS No	TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	112-49-2	Section 5

#### **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
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	112-49-2	Χ	-	203-977-3	Χ	Χ	Χ	Х	Χ	KE-33642

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

## U.S. Federal Regulations

#### **SARA 313**

Component	CAS No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	112-49-2	>95	1.0

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

CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable

#### Clean Air Act

Component	HAPS Data	Class 1 Ozone Depletors	Class 2 Ozone Depletors
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	X		-

**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

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Triethylene glycol	-	X	X	X	-

dimethyl ether			

### **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

Component	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances	,
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	-	Use restricted. See item 30. (see link for restriction details) Use restricted. See item 75. (see link for restriction details)	SVHC Candidate list - Toxic for reproduction (Article 57 c)

After the sunset date the use of this substance requires either an authorization or can only be used for exempted uses, e.g. use in scientific research and development which includes routine analytics or use as intermediate.

https://echa.europa.eu/authorisation-list

https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach

https://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table

#### 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)
Triethylene glycol dimethyl ether	112-49-2	Not applicable	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)
Triethylene glycol dimethyl	112-49-2	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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