

Material Safety Data Sheet
according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

MALEIC ACID

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Version 1
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1. Identification of the substance/Mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Product name Maleic acid
CAS-No. 110-16-7
EC-No. 203-742-5
Index-No. 607-095-00-3

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

Identified uses Chemical for synthesis.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302
Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4), H312
Skin corrosion (Category 1), H314
Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318
Skin sensitization (Category 1), H317
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 Label elements

Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Hazard pictogram(s)



Signal word	Danger
Hazard statement(s)	
H302+H312	Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
Precautionary statement(s)	
P260	Do not breathe dust.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301+P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell.
P303+P2361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
Supplemental Hazard Statements	none

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:

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3. Composition / Information on ingredients

3.1 Substance

Product name	Maleic acid
Molecular formula	C ₄ H ₄ O ₄
Molecular weight	116.07 g/mol
CAS-No.	110-16-7
EC-No.	203-742-5
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Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component	Classification	Concentration
Maleic acid		
CAS-No. 110-16-7 EC-No. 203-742-5 Index-No. 607-095-00-3	Acute Tox. 4; Skin Corr. 1; Eye Dam. 1; Skin Sens. 1; STOT SE 3; H302, H312, H314, H318, H317, H335 Concentration limits: >= 0.1 %: Skin Sens. 1, H317;	<=100%

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

4. First-aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice	First aiders need to protect themselves. Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
If swallowed	After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most), avoid vomiting (risk of perforation). Call a physician immediately. Do not attempt to neutralise.
If inhaled	After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.
In case of skin contact	In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all



contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Call a physician immediately.

In case of eye contact After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

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. Fire fighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Water, Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO₂), 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.

Risk of dust explosion.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

5.3 Advice for fire fighters

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 Additional information

Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

6. Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.



6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For further and detailed information see section 8 and 13.

7. Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture.

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

Tightly closed. Dry.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 8A: Combustible, corrosive hazardous materials.

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

Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Application Area	Routes of exposure	Health effect	Value
Worker DNEL, acute	dermal	Local effects	0.55 mg/cm ²
Worker DNEL, longterm	dermal	Local effects	0.04 mg/cm ²
Worker DNEL, acute	dermal	Systemic effects	
Worker DNEL, longterm	dermal	Systemic effects	



Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

Compartment	Value
Fresh water	0.074 mg/l
Aquatic intermittent release	0.744 mg/l
Fresh water sediment	0.0624 mg/kg
Sewage treatment plant	3.33 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). Tightly fitting safety goggles.
Skin protection	<p>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).</p> <p>Full contact Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L</p> <p>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).</p> <p>Splash contact Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L</p>
Body Protection	Acid-resistant protective clothing.
Respiratory protection	<p>required when dusts are generated.</p> <p>Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.</p> <p>Recommended Filter type: Filter type P2.</p> <p>The entrepreneur 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.</p>
Environmental exposure controls	Do not let product enter drains.



9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	powder, finocrystalline
Color	white
Odor	slightly sourish
pH value	1.3 at 100 g/l at 20 °C
Melting point/freezing point	Melting point: 130 - 135 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	157.8 °C at 997 hPa - OECD Test Guideline 103
Flash point	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
Vapour pressure	< 0.1 hPa at 20 °C - OECD Test Guideline 104
Density	1.59 g/cm ³ at 20 °C
Relative density	No data available
Water solubility	478.8 g/l at 20 °C - OECD Test Guideline 105- completely soluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: -1.3 at 20 °C - OECD Test Guideline 107 - Bioaccumulation is not expected.
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Decomposition temperature	> 135 °C
Viscosity	Viscosity, kinematic: No data available Viscosity, dynamic: No data available
Particle characteristics	No data available
Explosive properties	No data available
Oxidizing properties	none

9.2 Other information

Minimum ignition energy	> 30 - < 100 mJ
Bulk density	750 - 800 kg/m ³
Particle size	0.356 mm - OECD Test Guideline 110 - Mean particle size

Relative vapor density 4.0 at 20 °C

10. Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and mixtures: in correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.

10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature).

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:

Oxidizing agents

Bases

Reducing agents

10.4 Conditions to avoid

no information available

10.5 Incompatible materials

No data available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

11. Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity	LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 1,090 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 401) Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: maleic anhydride Symptoms: Vomiting, Irritations of mucous membranes in the mouth, pharynx, oesophagus and gastrointestinal tract. Acute toxicity estimate Oral - 1,090 mg/kg (ATE value derived from LD50/LC50 value) Symptoms: mucosal irritations, Cough, Shortness of breath, Possible damages: , damage of respiratory tract, Lung edema, Symptoms may be delayed. Acute toxicity estimate Dermal - 1,100 mg/kg (Expert judgment)
Skin corrosion/irritation	No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Eyes - Rabbit Result: Causes serious eye damage. (OECD Test Guideline 405)
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	Maximization Test - Guinea pig Result: positive (OECD Test Guideline 406) Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse Result: positive (OECD Test Guideline 429) (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available
Carcinogenicity	No data available
Reproductive toxicity	No data available
STOT-single exposure	May cause respiratory irritation. - Respiratory system.
STOT-repeated exposure	No data available
Aspiration hazard	No data available

Additional information

Product (Assessment):

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Gastrointestinal disturbance

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

Systemic effects:

After absorption:

Allergic reactions

Cough

Irritations

Shortness of breath

Vomiting

Lung edema

Possible effects:

Damage to:

respiratory tract

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

12. Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea)
42.81 mg/l - 48 h
(OECD Test Guideline 202)



Toxicity to algae	static test ErC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) -74.35 mg/l - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201)
Toxicity to bacteria	static test EC10 - Pseudomonas putida - 44.6 mg/l - 18 h (DIN 38 412 Part 8) Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: maleic anhydride
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates(Chronic toxicity)	EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 77 mg/l - 21 d Remarks: (ECHA) The value is given in analogy to the following substances: maleic anhydride

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability	aerobic - Exposure time 28 d Result: 97.08 % - Readily biodegradable. (OECD Test Guideline 301B)
Theoretical oxygen Demand	830 mg/g Remarks: (Lit.)
Ratio BOD/ThBOD	77 % Remarks: (Lit.)

12.3 Bioaccumulation potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

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12.7 Other adverse effects

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.



13. Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself. Notice Directive on waste 2008/98/EC.

14. Transport information

14.1 UN Number

ADR/RID: 3261 IMDG: 3261 IATA: 3261

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: CORROSIVE IMDG: CORROSIVE SOLID, IATA: Corrosive solid, acidic,
SOLID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. organic, n.o.s. (maleic acid)
N.O.S. (maleic acid) (maleic acid)

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 8 IMDG: 8 IATA: 8

14.4 Packing group

ADR/RID: II IMDG: II IATA: II

14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no IMDG Marine pollutant: no IATA: no

14.6 Special precautions for user

Tunnel restriction code : (E)
Further information : No data available

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

Other regulations

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

16. Other information

16.1 Information regarding the revision of the safety data sheet

Data compared to the previous version altered.

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

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H314	Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin
H317	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
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H335	May cause respiratory irritation

16.3 Additional information

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