# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET



# **BUTYL GLYCOL**

#### 1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE PRODUCT AND THE COMPANY

# 1.1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / PREPARATION:

Trade name: BUTYL GLYCOL

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# **2 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

**Chemical characterization:** 

CAS No. Description: 111-76-2-2-butoxyethanol

Indentification number(s)

**EU Number:** 203-905-0 **EU Number:** 603-014-00-0

# **3 HAZARDS INDENTIFICATION**

Hazard description:



Xn Harmful

# Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:

R 20/21/22 Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

R 36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.

#### **4 FIRST-AID MEASURES**

**General information:** Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

After Inhalation: Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult

doctor if symptoms persist.

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation. **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

After eye contact: Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, con-

sult a doctor.

**After swallowing:** Call for a doctor immediately.

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**5 FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES** 

**Suitable extinguishing agents:** CO2, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or

alcohol resistant foam.

**Protective equipment:** Mouth respiratory protective device.

**6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES** 

Person-related safety precautions: Not required.

Measures for environmental protection: Dilute with plenty of water.

Do not allow to enter sewers / surface or ground water.

Measures for cleaning / collecting: Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid

binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item

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Ensure adequate ventilation.

**7 HANDLING AND STORAGE** 

Handling:

**Information for safe handling:**Ensure good ventilation / exhaustion at the

workplace.

**Information about fire - and explosion protection:**No special measures required.

Storage:

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: Not required.

Further information about storage conditions: Keep container tightly sealed.

**8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION** 

Additional information about design of technical facilities: No further data; see item 7.

Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace;

111-76-2 2-butoxyethanol

PEL (USA) 240 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 50 ppm

Skin

REL (USA) 24 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 5 ppm

Skin

TLV (USA) 97 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 20 ppm

TLV (EU) Short-term value: 246 mg/m³, 50 ppm

Long-term value: 98 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 20 ppm

Skin

WEL (Great Britain) Short-term value: 50 ppm

Long-term value: 25 ppm

**Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

Personal protective equipment:

General protective and hygienic measures: Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

**Respiratory protection:** In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter

device. In case of intensive or longer exposure self-contained

respiratory protective device.

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# Protection of hands:



The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product / the substance / the preparation. Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product / the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

# **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

# Penetration time of glove material

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

# Eye protection:



Tightly sealed googles

# 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**General Information:** 

Form: Oily
Colour: Colourless
Odour: Characteristic

Change in condition

Melting point / Melting range: -70.4°C Boiling point / Boiling range: 171°C

Flash point: 65°C

Ignition temperature: 240°C

**Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

**Explosion limits:** 

**Lower:** 1.1 Vol% **Upper:** 10.6 Vol%

Vapour pressure at 20°C: 1.2 hPa

Density at 20°C: 0.9 g/cm³

Solubility in / Miscibility with

water at 20°C: 1.000 g/l

Viscosity:

**Dynamic at 20°C:** 6.4 mPas

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# 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.

**Dangerous reactions**No dangerous reactions known.

Dangerous decomposition products: No dangerous decompsition products known.

#### 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Acute toxicity:** LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:

 Oral
 LD50
 1480 mg/kg (rat)

 Dermal
 LD50
 400 mg/kg (rab)

# Primary irritant effect:

**on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.

**on the eye:** Irritating effect.

**Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

#### 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### General notes:

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Assessment by list): slightly hazardous for water Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

# 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **Product:**

# Recommendation

Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

# **Uncleaned packaging:**

**Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Recommended cleansing agents: Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

# 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)

ADR/RID class:

# 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

# Labelling according to EU guidelines:

The product has been classified and marked in accordance with EU Directives / Ordinance on Hazardous Materials.

# Code letter and hazard designation of product:

Xn Harmful

# Risk phrases:

20/21/22 Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.

# Safety phrases:

2 Keep out of the reach of children.

36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

46 If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

# **16 Other Information**

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- · Department issuing MSDS: Product safety department.
- · Contact: RAR Resin Technical Dept.