

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**1.1 Product identifier**Trade name **Toluene, anhydrous**

Stock number: 41841

CAS Number:

108-88-3

EC number:

203-625-9

Index number:

601-021-00-3

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

Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:

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1.4 Emergency telephone number:

Carechem 24: +44 (0) 1235 239 670 (Multi-language emergency number)

Poison Information Center Mainz

www.giftinfo.uni-mainz.de Telephone: +49(0)6131/19240

SECTION 2: Hazards identification**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



GHS02 flame

Flam. Liq. 2 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.



GHS08 health hazard

Repr. 2 H361d Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

STOT RE 2 H373 May cause damage to the kidneys, the liver, the heart, the reproductive system, the blood, the brain and the endocrine system through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Inhalative.

Asp. Tox. 1 H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.



GHS07

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

STOT SE 3 H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

Other hazards that do not result in classification No information known.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 The substance is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

Hazard pictograms

GHS02 GHS07 GHS08

Signal word Danger

Hazard statements

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H361d Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

H373 May cause damage to the kidneys, the liver, the heart, the reproductive system, the blood, the brain and the endocrine system through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Inhalative.

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Precautionary statements

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

2.3 Other hazards**Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.1 Substances**

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SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1 Description of first aid measures****After inhalation**

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

Seek immediate medical advice.

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After skin contact

Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult doctor.

After swallowing Seek medical treatment.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Causes skin irritation.

May cause respiratory irritation.

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

May cause damage to the kidneys, the liver, the heart, the reproductive system, the blood, the brain and the endocrine system through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Inhalative.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents CO₂, extinguishing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet or alcohol-resistant foam.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear full protective suit.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

Keep away from ignition sources

6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Prevention of secondary hazards: Keep away from ignition sources.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for information on disposal.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Keep containers tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

Protect against electrostatic charges.

Fumes can combine with air to form an explosive mixture.

Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: Store in cool location.

Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Do not store together with acids.

Store away from oxidising agents.

Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

8.1 Control parameters

Components with critical values that require monitoring at the workplace:

108-88-3 Toluene (100,0%)

AGW (Germany) Long-term value: 190 mg/m³, 50 ppm
4(I);DFG, EU, H, Y

PEL (USA) Long-term value: 200 ppm
Ceiling limit: 300; 500* ppm
*10-min peak per 8-hr shift

REL (USA) Short-term value: 560 mg/m³, 150 ppm
Long-term value: 375 mg/m³, 100 ppm

TLV (USA) Long-term value: 75 mg/m³, 20 ppm
BEI

Ingredients with biological limit values:

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BGW (Germany)	600 µg/l Untersuchungsmaterial: Vollblut Probennahmezeitpunkt: Expositionsende bzw. Schichtende Parameter: Toluol
BEI (USA)	1,5 mg/l Untersuchungsmaterial: Urin Probennahmezeitpunkt: bei Langzeitexposition: Nach mehreren vorangegangenen Schichten, Expositionsende bzw. Schichtende Parameter: o-Kresol
	0,02 mg/L Medium: blood Time: prior to last shift of workweek Parameter: Toluene
	0,03 mg/L Medium: urine Time: end of shift Parameter: Toluene
	0,3 mg/g creatinine Medium: urine Time: end of shift Parameter: o-Cresol with hydrolysis (background)

Additional information: No data

8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to in handling the chemicals.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.

Instantly remove any soiled and impregnated garments.

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.

Breathing equipment: Use breathing protection with high concentrations.

Recommended filter device for short term use:

Use a respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) as a backup to engineering controls. Risk assessment should be performed to determine if air-purifying respirators are appropriate. Only use equipment tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (USA) or CEN (EU).

Protection of hands:

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

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.

Material of gloves Fluorocarbon rubber (Viton)

Penetration time of glove material (in minutes) 480

Glove thickness 0.7 mm

Eye protection:

Safety glasses

Face protection

Body protection: Protective work clothing.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form:	Liquid
Colour:	Colourless
Smell:	Aromatic
Odour threshold:	Not determined.

pH-value: Not determined.

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range:	ca -93 °C
Boiling point/Boiling range:	111 °C
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined

Flash point:	4 °C
Inflammability (solid, gaseous)	Not determined.
Ignition temperature:	480 °C
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
Self-inflammability:	Not determined.

Danger of explosion: Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/steam mixtures is possible.

Critical values for explosion:

Lower:	1,1 Vol %
Upper:	7,1 Vol %
Steam pressure at 20 °C:	29 hPa
Density at 20 °C	0,867 g/cm ³
Relative density	Not determined.
Vapour density	Not determined.
Evaporation rate	Not determined.

Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water at 20 °C: 0,5 g/l

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.

Viscosity:

dynamic at 20 °C: 0,6 mPas

kinematic: Not determined.

9.2 Other information No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity No information known.

10.2 Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

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

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions Reacts with strong oxidising agents

10.4 Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

10.5 Incompatible materials:

Acids

Oxidising agents

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10.6 Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains acute toxicity data for this substance.

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

Oral	LD50	636 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	14100 µL/kg (rabbit)
Inhalative	LC50/4H	49000 mg/m3/4H (rat)

Skin irritation or corrosion: Causes skin irritation.

Eye irritation or corrosion: May cause irritation

Sensitization: No sensitizing effect known.

Germ cell mutagenicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains mutation data for this substance.

Carcinogenicity:

EPA-II: Inadequate information to access carcinogenic potential.

IARC-3: Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

ACGIH A4: Not classifiable as a human carcinogen: Inadequate data on which to classify the agent in terms of its carcinogenicity in humans and/or animals.

Reproductive toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains reproductive data for this substance.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure:

May cause damage to the kidneys, the liver, the heart, the reproductive system, the blood, the brain and the endocrine system through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Inhalative.

Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure:

May cause respiratory irritation.

May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

Aspiration hazard: May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

Subacute to chronic toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains multiple dose toxicity data for this substance.

Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

12.2 Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.

12.4 Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information:

General notes:

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.

Water hazard class 2 (Assessment by list): hazardous for water.

Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into soil.

Avoid transfer into the environment.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

12.6 Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Recommendation

Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste.

Must be specially treated under adherence to official regulations.

Consult state, local or national regulations for proper disposal.

Uncleaned packagings:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

UN-Number

ADR, IMDG, IATA

UN1294

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR

IMDG, IATA

1294 TOLUENE
TOLUENE

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR



Class
Label
IMDG, IATA

3 (F1) Flammable liquids.
3



Class
Label

3 Flammable liquids.
3

Packing group

ADR, IMDG, IATA

II

14.5 Environmental hazards:

Not applicable.

14.6 Special precautions for user

Kemler Number:

Warning: Flammable liquids.

EMS Number:

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F-E,S-D

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC

Code

Not applicable.

Transport/Additional information:

ADR

Exempted quantities (EQ):

E2

Limited quantities (LQ)

1L

Transport category

2

Tunnel restriction code

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UN "Model Regulation":

UN1294, TOLUENE, 3, II

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances Substance is listed.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

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National regulations

Information about limitation of use:

Employment restrictions concerning young persons must be observed.

For use only by technically qualified individuals.

Classification according to VbF: A I

Technical instructions (air):

Class	Share in %
NK	100,0

Water hazard class: Water hazard class 2 (Assessment by list): hazardous for water.

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations

ELINCS (European List of Notified Chemical Substances) Substance is not listed.

Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.

The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed.

Substance is not listed.

Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

Department issuing SDS: Global Marketing Department

Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

VbF: Verordnung über brennbare Flüssigkeiten, Österreich (Ordinance on the storage of combustible liquids, Austria)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)

NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)

Flam. Liq. 2: Flammable liquids, Hazard Category 2

Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 2

Repr. 2: Reproductive toxicity, Hazard Category 2

STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure, Hazard Category 3

STOT RE 2: Specific target organ toxicity - Repeated exposure, Hazard Category 2

Asp. Tox. 1: Aspiration hazard, Hazard Category 1

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