

**SAFETY DATA SHEET**

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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GENERIC EU MSDS - NO COUNTRY SPECIFIC DATA - NO OEL DATA

**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name : Tetramethyl orthosilicate for synthesis

Product Number : 8.14651

Catalogue No. : 814651

Brand : Millipore

REACH No. : A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its uses are exempted from registration, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.

CAS-No. : 681-84-5

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

Flammable liquids, (Category 3) H226: Flammable liquid and vapor.

Acute toxicity, (Category 1) H330: Fatal if inhaled.



Skin irritation, (Category 2)

H315: Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage, (Category 1)

H318: Causes serious eye damage.

## 2.2 Label elements

### Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Pictogram



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

H226

Flammable liquid and vapor.

H315

Causes skin irritation.

H318

Causes serious eye damage.

H330

Fatal if inhaled.

Precautionary Statements

P210

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

P233

Keep container tightly closed.

P280

Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

P303 + P361 + P353

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.

P304 + P340 + P310

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

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

### Reduced Labeling (<= 125 ml)

Pictogram



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

H330

Fatal if inhaled.

H318

Causes serious eye damage.

Precautionary Statements

P304 + P340 + P310

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

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

none



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### 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:

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.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Formula : C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si  
Molecular weight : 152,22 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 681-84-5  
EC-No. : 211-656-4

| Component                             |           | Classification  | Concentration |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|---|---------------|
| <b>Silicic acid tetramethyl ester</b> |           |   |               |
| CAS-No.                               | 681-84-5  | Flam. Liq. 3; Acute Tox. 1;<br>Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Dam. 1;<br>H226, H330, H315, H318 | <= 100 %      |
| EC-No.                                | 211-656-4 |   |               |

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

## SECTION 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 inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air. Immediately call in physician. If breathing stops: immediately apply artificial respiration, if necessary also oxygen.

#### In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

#### In case of eye contact

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



**If swallowed**

After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult a physician.

**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

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**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****5.1 Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing media**

Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) 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

silicon oxides

Combustible.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Forms explosive mixtures with air at elevated temperatures.

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

**5.3 Advice for firefighters**

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 Further information**

Remove container from danger zone and cool with water. Suppress (knock down) gases/vapors/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

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**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

For personal protection see section 8.

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains. Risk of explosion.

**6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully with liquid-absorbent material (e.g.

Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.



## 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

#### **Advice on safe handling**

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapours/aerosols.

#### **Advice on protection against fire and explosion**

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

#### **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**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

#### **Storage class**

Storage class (TRGS 510): 3: Flammable liquids

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### **Ingredients with workplace control parameters**

### 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**

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](http://www.kcl.de)).

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0,4 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Camatril® (KCL 730 / Aldrich Z677442, Size M)

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Splash contact

Material: Chloroprene

Minimum layer thickness: 0,65 mm

Break through time: 240 min

Material tested: KCL 720 Camapren®

### **Body Protection**

Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing.

### **Respiratory protection**

Recommended Filter type: Filter A (acc. to DIN 3181) for vapours of organic compounds

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.

### **Control of environmental exposure**

Do not let product enter drains. Risk of explosion.

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## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

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| a) Physical state                               | liquid   |
| b) Color  | colorless, to, yellow  |
| c) Odor   | aromatic   |
| d) Melting point/freezing point                 | Melting point/range: 3 °C at 1.013 hPa - OECD Test Guideline 102                 |
| e) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | 121 - 122 °C at 1.013 hPa  |
| f) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available  |
| g) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | Upper explosion limit: 23,8 %(V)<br>Lower explosion limit: 0,88 %(V) - DIN 51649 |
| h) Flash point                                  | 26 °C - closed cup   |



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|---|--|
| i) Autoignition temperature               | 245 °C<br>at 1.013 hPa - DIN 51794   |
| j) Decomposition temperature              | No data available  |
| k) pH                                     | No data available  |
| l) Viscosity                              | Viscosity, kinematic: No data available<br>Viscosity, dynamic: 0,7 mPa.s at 20 °C      |
| m) Water solubility                       | hydrolyzes   |
| n) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water | No data available  |
| o) Vapor pressure                         | 13 hPa at 20 °C - OECD Test Guideline 104<br>18 hPa at 25 °C - OECD Test Guideline 104 |
| p) Density                                | 1,03 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C  |
| Relative density                          | No data available  |
| q) Relative vapor density                 | No data available  |
| r) Particle characteristics               | No data available  |
|   |  |
| s) Explosive properties                   | No data available  |
| t) Oxidizing properties                   | none   |

## 9.2 Other safety information

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| Relative vapor density | 5,26 - (Air = 1.0) |
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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

Vapor/air-mixtures are explosive at intense warming.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

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

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Exothermic reaction with:

Alkali metals

Alkaline earth metals

Oxidizing agents

acids

Water

Possible decomposition products in case of hydrolysis are:

Methanol

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heating.

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## 10.5 Incompatible materials

No data available

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - > 2.500 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 423)

Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: tetraethyl silicate

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male - 4 h - 0,39 mg/l - vapor

(OECD Test Guideline 403)

Symptoms: Possible damages:, mucosal irritations, Lung edema

Acute toxicity estimate Inhalation - 0,39 mg/l - vapor

(ATE value derived from LD50/LC50 value)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - 17.544 mg/kg

Remarks: (RTECS)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rat

Result: Irritating to skin. - 4 h

(OECD Test Guideline 404)

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Remarks: Risk of blindness!

(ECHA)

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Buehler Test - Guinea pig

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: tetraethyl silicate

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Escherichia coli/Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

Test Type: In vivo micronucleus test

Species: Rat

Cell type: Bone marrow

Application Route: inhalation (vapor)

Method: OECD Test Guideline 474

Result: negative

#### Carcinogenicity





No data available

**Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available

**11.2 Additional Information**

**Endocrine disrupting properties**

**Product:**

Assessment

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.

Blindness, Effects due to ingestion may include:, Nausea, Vomiting, Gastrointestinal disturbance, Dizziness, Difficulty in breathing, Weakness, Drowsiness, Unconsciousness  
To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Systemic effects:

After absorption of large quantities:

Damage to:

Liver

Kidney

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

This substance should be handled with particular care.

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**SECTION 12: Ecological information**

**12.1 Toxicity**

|                  |   |
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| Toxicity to fish | semi-static test LC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - > 1.000 mg/l - 96 h (OECD Test Guideline 203)<br>Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: tetraethyl silicate |
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| Toxicity to daphnia | flow-through test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - > 500 mg/l - |
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| and other aquatic invertebrates | 48 h<br>(OECD Test Guideline 202)<br>Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: tetraethyl silicate  |
| Toxicity to algae               | static test ErC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) - > 100 mg/l - 72 h<br>(OECD Test Guideline 201)<br>Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: tetraethyl silicate |
| Toxicity to bacteria            | static test EC50 - activated sludge - > 100 mg/l - 3 h<br>(OECD Test Guideline 209)<br>Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: tetraethyl silicate                                |

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

|                  |  |
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| Biodegradability | aerobic - Exposure time 28 d<br>Result: 98 % - Readily biodegradable.<br>(Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, C.4-A)<br>Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: tetraethyl silicate |
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## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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.

## 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

### Product:

|            |   |
|------------|---|
| Assessment | : 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. |
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## 12.7 Other adverse effects

Possible decomposition products in case of hydrolysis are:

Methanol

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.



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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

No data available

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 2606

IMDG: 2606

IATA: 2606

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: METHYL ORTHOSILICATE

IMDG: METHYL ORTHOSILICATE

IATA: Methyl orthosilicate

Passenger Aircraft: Not permitted for transport

Cargo Aircraft: Not permitted for transport

### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 6.1 (3)

IMDG: 6.1 (3)

IATA: 6.1 (3)

### 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: I

IMDG: I

IATA: -

### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

Tunnel restriction code : (C/D)

Further information : No data available

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## SECTION 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.

#### National legislation

Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances.

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P5c FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS

#### 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

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

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### SECTION 16: Other information

#### Full text of H-Statements

|      |                             |
|------|-----------------------------|
| H226 | Flammable liquid and vapor. |
| H315 | Causes skin irritation.     |
| H318 | Causes serious eye damage.  |
| H330 | Fatal if inhaled.           |

#### Full text of other abbreviations

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways; ADR - Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road; AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

#### Further information

The information is believed to be correct but is not exhaustive and will be used solely as a guideline, which is based on current knowledge of the chemical substance or mixture and is applicable to appropriate safety precautions for the product. It does not represent



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