

Occupational Safety and Health (Classification, Labelling and Safety Data Sheet of Hazardous Chemicals) Regulations 2013

**SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING**
**Product Identifier**

Perihal Produk: **Diethyl carbonate**  
 Product Description: **Diethyl carbonate**  
 Cat No. : A12477  
 Synonyms Ethyl carbonate  
 CAS No 105-58-8  
 Molecular Formula C5 H10 O3

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

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.  
 Uses advised against No Information available

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**SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**
**Classification of the substance or mixture**

Flammable liquids	Category 3 (H226)
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**Label Elements**

**Signal Word**
**Warning**
**Hazard Statements**

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor

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## Precautionary Statements

### Prevention

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking  
P233 - Keep container tightly closed  
P240 - Ground and bond container and receiving equipment  
P241 - Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting equipment  
P242 - Use non-sparking tools  
P243 - Take action to prevent static discharges

### Response

P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower  
P370 + P378 - In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish

### Storage

P403 + P235 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

### Disposal

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Other Hazards

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Diethyl carbonate	105-58-8	>95

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### Description of first aid measures

<b>Eye Contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.
<b>Self-Protection of the First Aider</b>	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Difficulty in breathing. Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

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## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### Extinguishing media

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam. Water mist may be used to cool closed containers.

#### **Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

No information available.

### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Flammable. Risk of ignition. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back. Containers may explode when heated.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

### Advice for fire-fighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Use personal protective equipment as required. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

### Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

### Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

Remove all sources of ignition. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

### Reference to Other Sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for Safe Handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Flammables area. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame.

### Specific End Uses

Use in laboratories.

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## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control Parameters

### Exposure Controls

#### **Engineering Measures**

Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

### Personal protective equipment

#### **Eye Protection**

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles)

#### **Hand Protection**

Protective gloves

#### **Skin and body protection**

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

#### **Respiratory Protection**

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions

### Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

### Environmental exposure controls

No information available

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### **Appearance**

Colorless

#### **Physical State**

Liquid

#### **Odor**

Ether, sweet

#### **Odor Threshold**

No data available

#### **pH**

6.3

1 g/l aq.sol

#### **Melting Point/Range**

-43 °C / -45.4 °F

#### **Softening Point**

No data available

#### **Boiling Point/Range**

126 - 128 °C / 258.8 - 262.4 °F

#### **Flash Point**

33 °C / 91.4 °F

**Method -** No information available

#### **Evaporation Rate**

No data available

#### **Flammability (solid,gas)**

Not applicable

Liquid

#### **Explosion Limits**

**Lower** 1.4 Vol%

**Upper** 11.0 Vol%

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Vapor Pressure	11 mbar @ 20 °C	
Vapor Density	4.07	(Air = 1.0)
Specific Gravity / Density	0.975	
Bulk Density	Not applicable	Liquid
Water Solubility	18.8 g/L	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	

## Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Component	log Pow
Diethyl carbonate	1.33

Autoignition Temperature	445 °C / 833 °F	
Decomposition Temperature	>320 °C	
Viscosity	0.827 mPa.s at 20 °C	
Explosive Properties		explosive air/vapour mixtures possible
Oxidizing Properties	No information available	

Molecular Formula	C5 H10 O3
Molecular Weight	118.13

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

None known, based on information available.

### Chemical Stability

Moisture sensitive.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Hazardous Polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Hazardous Reactions	None under normal processing.

### Conditions to Avoid

Incompatible products. Excess heat. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Exposure to moist air or water.

### Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases. Strong acids. Reducing Agent.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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## Information on Toxicological Effects

### Product Information

#### (a) acute toxicity;

Oral

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Dermal

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Inhalation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Diethyl carbonate	>15000 mg/kg (Rat)	-	>19.5 mg/L/4h (Rat)

#### (b) skin corrosion/irritation;

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### (c) serious eye damage/irritation;

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### (d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Skin

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### (e) germ cell mutagenicity;

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### (f) carcinogenicity;

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

#### (g) reproductive toxicity;

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### (h) STOT-single exposure;

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### (i) STOT-repeated exposure;

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Target Organs

None known.

#### (j) aspiration hazard;

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### Other Adverse Effects

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

#### Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

#### Endocrine Disrupting Properties

Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity effects

Do not empty into drains. .

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
Diethyl carbonate	Leuciscus idus: LC50 >500 mg/L/48H		EC50 >10000 mg/L/3H	

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**Persistence and degradability**  
**Persistence**

Readily biodegradable  
Soluble in water, Persistence is unlikely, based on information available.

**Bioaccumulative potential**

Bioaccumulation is unlikely

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
Diethyl carbonate	1.33	No data available

**Mobility in soil**

The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems. Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility. Highly mobile in soils.

**Endocrine Disruptor Information**

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

**Other adverse effects**

No information available

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste treatment methods**

**Waste from Residues/Unused Products**

Waste is classified as hazardous Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

**Contaminated Packaging**

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point. Empty containers retain product residue, (liquid and/or vapor), and can be dangerous Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition

**Other Information**

Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used Do not flush to sewer Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**IMDG/IMO**

UN-No UN2366  
Hazard Class 3  
Packing Group III  
Proper Shipping Name DIETHYL CARBONATE

**Road and Rail Transport**

UN-No UN2366  
Hazard Class 3  
Packing Group III  
Proper Shipping Name DIETHYL CARBONATE

**IATA**

UN-No UN2366  
Hazard Class 3  
Packing Group III  
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**Special Precautions for User**

No special precautions required

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## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

International Inventories X = listed

Component	EINECS	TSCA	DSL	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	IECSC	AICS	KECL
Diethyl carbonate	203-311-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	KE-04706

### National Regulations

**Persistent Organic Pollutant** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance  
**Ozone Depletion Potential** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### Legend

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

**TWA** - Time Weighted Average

**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%

**ADR** - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

**ICAO/IATA** - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

**MARPOL** - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

**ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**VOC** - (Volatile Organic Compound)

### **Key literature references and sources for data**

<https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals>

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

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