

## Section 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### 1.1. Product identifier

**Product Description:** Borane-dimethyl sulfide complex, 2M in toluene  
**Cat No. :** 42963

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

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.  
**Uses advised against** No Information available

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Company

Thermo Fisher (Kandel) GmbH  
Erlenbachweg 2, 76870 Kandel, Germany  
Tel: +49 (0) 721 84007 280  
Fax: +49 (0) 721 84007 300

**Swiss distributor** - Fisher Scientific AG  
Neuhofstrasse 11, CH 4153 Reinach  
Tel: +41 (0) 56 618 41 11  
<https://www.fishersci.ch/ch/en/customer-help-support/forms/email-us.html>

**E-mail address** [begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com](mailto:begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com)

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

For information **US** call: 001-800-227-6701 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11  
Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99  
**CHEMTREC** Tel. No.**US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

customers in Switzerland:  
Tox Info Suisse Emergency Number: **145 (24hr)**  
Tox Info Suisse: +41-44 251 51 51 (Emergency number from abroad)  
Chemtrec (24h) Toll-Free: 0800 564 402  
Chemtrec Local: +41-43 508 20 11 (Zurich)

#### Poison Centre - Emergency information services

**Ireland** : National Poisons Information Centre (NPIC) -  
**01 809 2166** (8am-10pm, 7 days a week)  
**Malta** : +356 2395 2000  
**Cyprus** : +357 2240 5611

## Section 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

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## Physical hazards

Flammable liquids  
Substances/mixtures which, in contact with water, emit flammable gases

Category 2 (H225)  
Category 1 (H260)

## Health hazards

Aspiration Toxicity  
Acute oral toxicity  
Acute dermal toxicity  
Skin Corrosion/Irritation  
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation  
Reproductive Toxicity  
Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure)  
Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)

Category 1 (H304)  
Category 4 (H302)  
Category 4 (H312)  
Category 2 (H315)  
Category 1 (H318)  
Category 1B (H360FD)  
Category 3 (H336)  
Category 2 (H373)

## Environmental hazards

Chronic aquatic toxicity

Category 3 (H412)

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

## 2.2. Label elements



Signal Word

Danger

## Hazard Statements

H225 - Highly flammable liquid and vapor  
H260 - In contact with water releases flammable gases which may ignite spontaneously  
H304 - May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways  
H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H318 - Causes serious eye damage  
H336 - May cause drowsiness or dizziness  
H360FD - May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child  
H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure  
H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects  
H302 + H312 - Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin  
EUH014 - Reacts violently with water

## Precautionary Statements

P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking  
P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower  
P231 + P232 - Handle and store contents under inert gas. Protect from moisture  
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
P301 + P330 + P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting  
P331 - Do NOT induce vomiting  
P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

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P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

## Additional EU labelling

Restricted to professional users

## 2.3. Other hazards

Reacts violently with water

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Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

## Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2. Mixtures

| Component                                  | CAS No     | EC No             | Weight % | CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008  |
|--|------------|-------------------|----------|--|
| Toluene                                    | 108-88-3   | 203-625-9         | 82.25    | Flam. Liq. 2 (H225)<br>Asp. Tox. 1 (H304)<br>Skin Irrit. 2 (H315)<br>STOT SE 3 (H336)<br>Repr. 2 (H361d)<br>STOT RE 2 (H373)<br>Aquatic Chronic 3 (H412)   |
| Boron, trihydro[thiobis[methane]]-, (T-4)- | 13292-87-0 | EEC No. 236-313-6 | 17.75    | Flam. Liq. 2 (H225)<br>Water-react. 1 (H260)<br>Repr. 1B (H360FD)<br>Acute Tox. 3 (H301)<br>Acute Tox. 3 (H311)<br>Skin Irrit. 2 (H315)<br>Eye Dam. 1 (H318)<br>Aquatic Chronic 2 (H412)<br>(EUH014) |

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

## Section 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <b>General Advice</b> | If symptoms persist, call a physician.  |
| <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. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.   |
| <b>Ingestion</b>      | Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward. |
| <b>Inhalation</b>     | Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Risk of serious damage to the lungs (by aspiration).                                   |

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**Self-Protection of the First Aider** Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

## **4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

Causes severe eye damage. Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting

## **4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.

## **Section 5: Firefighting measures**

### **5.1. Extinguishing media**

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam. Water mist may be used to cool closed containers.

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

Water.

### **5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

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

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Sulfur oxides, Oxides of boron, Hydrogen.

### **5.3. Advice for firefighters**

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**

### **6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

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

### **6.2. Environmental precautions**

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

### **6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Do not expose spill to water. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

### **6.4. Reference to other sections**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## **Section 7: Handling and storage**

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## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not allow contact with water. Handle under an inert atmosphere. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools. To avoid ignition of vapors by static electricity discharge, all metal parts of the equipment must be grounded. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

## Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

## 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Flammables area. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep refrigerated. Keep away from water or moist air. Store under an inert atmosphere. Protect from moisture.

**Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances (TRGS) 510**  
**Storage Class (LGK) (Germany)**

Storage Class/LGK 4.3

**Switzerland - Storage of hazardous substances**

Storage class - SC 4.3  
<https://www.kvu.ch/de/themen/stoffe-und-produkte>  
<https://www.kvu.ch/fr/themes/substances-et-produits>  
<https://www.kvu.ch/it/temi/sostanze-e-prodotti>

## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

## Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Exposure limits

List source(s): **EU** - Commission Directive (EU) 2019/1831 of 24 October 2019 establishing a fifth list of indicative occupational exposure limit values pursuant to Council Directive 98/24/EC and amending Commission Directive 2000/39/EC **UK** - EH40/2005 Work Exposure Limits, Forth edition. Published 2020. **IRE** - 2010 Code of Practice for the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work (Chemical Agents) Regulations 2001. Published by the Health and Safety Authority. **CH** - The Government of Switzerland has set a directive on limit values for working materials (Grenzwerte am Arbeitsplatz) which is based on the Swiss Federal Regulation "Verordnung über die Verhütung von Unfällen und Berufskrankheiten". This directive is administered, periodically revised and enforced by SUVA (Swiss National Accident Insurance Fund).

| Component | European Union  | The United Kingdom  | France  | Belgium  | Spain   |
|-----------|---|---|---|--|---|
| Toluene   | TWA: 50 ppm (8hr)<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8hr)<br>STEL: 100 ppm (15min)<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (15min)<br>Skin | STEL: 100 ppm 15 min<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min<br><br>TWA: 50 ppm 8 hr<br>TWA: 191 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr<br>Skin | TWA / VME: 20 ppm (8 heures). restrictive limit<br>TWA / VME: 76.8 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 heures). restrictive limit<br>TWA / VME: 1000 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 heures). restrictive limit<br>STEL / VLCT: 100 ppm. restrictive limit<br>STEL / VLCT: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> . restrictive limit<br>STEL / VLCT: 1500 mg/m <sup>3</sup> .<br>Peau | TWA: 20 ppm 8 uren<br>TWA: 77 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 uren<br>STEL: 100 ppm 15 minuten<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 minuten<br>Huid | STEL / VLA-EC: 100 ppm (15 minutos).<br>STEL / VLA-EC: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (15 minutos).<br>TWA / VLA-ED: 50 ppm (8 horas)<br>TWA / VLA-ED: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 horas)<br>Piel |

| Component | Italy  | Germany  | Portugal   | The Netherlands  | Finland  |
|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Toluene   | TWA: 50 ppm 8 ore.<br>Time Weighted Average<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 ore. | TWA: 50 ppm (8 Stunden). AGW - exposure factor 2 | STEL: 100 ppm 15 minutos<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 | STEL: 100 ppm 15 minuten<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 | TWA: 25 ppm 8 tunteina<br>TWA: 81 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 tunteina |

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|--|--------------------------------|--|---|--|---|
|  | Time Weighted Average<br>Pelle | TWA: 190 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8<br>Stunden). AGW -<br>exposure factor 2<br>TWA: 50 ppm (8<br>Stunden). MAK<br>TWA: 190 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8<br>Stunden). MAK<br>Höhepunkt: 100 ppm<br>Höhepunkt: 380 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>Haut | minutos<br>TWA: 50 ppm 8 horas<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8<br>horas<br>Pele | minuten<br>TWA: 39 ppm 8 uren<br>TWA: 150 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 uren | STEL: 100 ppm 15<br>minuutteina<br>STEL: 380 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>minuutteina<br>Iho |
|--|--------------------------------|--|---|--|---|

| Component | Austria   | Denmark   | Switzerland  | Poland  | Norway   |
|-----------|---|---|--|---|--|
| Toluene   | Haut<br>MAK-KZGW: 100 ppm<br>15 Minuten<br>MAK-KZGW: 380 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>15 Minuten<br>MAK-TMW: 50 ppm 8<br>Stunden<br>MAK-TMW: 190 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>8 Stunden | TWA: 25 ppm 8 timer<br>TWA: 94 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 timer<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>minutter<br>STEL: 100 ppm 15<br>minutter<br>Hud | Haut/Peau<br>STEL: 200 ppm 15<br>Minuten<br>STEL: 760 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>Minuten<br>TWA: 50 ppm 8<br>Stunden<br>TWA: 190 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8<br>Stunden | STEL: 200 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>minutach<br>TWA: 100 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8<br>godzinach | TWA: 25 ppm 8 timer<br>TWA: 94 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 timer<br>STEL: 37.5 ppm 15<br>minutter. value<br>calculated<br>STEL: 141 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>minutter. value<br>calculated<br>Hud |

| Component | Bulgaria   | Croatia   | Ireland  | Cyprus  | Czech Republic   |
|-----------|--|---|--|---|--|
| Toluene   | TWA: 50 ppm<br>TWA: 192.0 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>STEL : 100 ppm<br>STEL : 384.0 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>Skin notation | kože<br>TWA-GVI: 50 ppm 8<br>satima.<br>TWA-GVI: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8<br>satima.<br>STEL-KGVI: 100 ppm<br>15 minutama.<br>STEL-KGVI: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>15 minutama. | TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr.<br>TWA: 50 ppm 8 hr.<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>min<br>STEL: 100 ppm 15 min<br>Skin | Skin-potential for<br>cutaneous absorption<br>STEL: 100 ppm<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>TWA: 50 ppm<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 200 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8<br>hodinách.<br>Potential for cutaneous<br>absorption<br>Ceiling: 500 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

| Component | Estonia   | Gibraltar   | Greece  | Hungary   | Iceland  |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|--|
| Toluene   | Nahk<br>TWA: 50 ppm 8<br>tundides.<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8<br>tundides.<br>STEL: 100 ppm 15<br>minutites.<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>minutites. | Skin notation<br>TWA: 50 ppm 8 hr<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr<br>STEL: 100 ppm 15 min<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>min | skin - potential for<br>cutaneous absorption<br>STEL: 100 ppm<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>TWA: 50 ppm<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>percekben. CK<br>STEL: 100 ppm 15<br>percekben. CK<br>TWA: 190 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8<br>óraban. AK<br>TWA: 50 ppm 8 óraban.<br>AK<br>lehetséges borön<br>keresztüli felszívódás | STEL: 50 ppm<br>STEL: 188 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>TWA: 25 ppm 8<br>klukkustundum.<br>TWA: 94 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8<br>klukkustundum.<br>Skin notation |

| Component | Latvia  | Lithuania  | Luxembourg   | Malta  | Romania  |
|-----------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Toluene   | skin - potential for<br>cutaneous exposure<br>STEL: 40 ppm<br>STEL: 150 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>TWA: 14 ppm<br>TWA: 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 50 ppm IPRD<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> IPRD<br>Oda<br>STEL: 100 ppm<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | Possibility of significant<br>uptake through the skin<br>TWA: 50 ppm 8<br>Stunden<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8<br>Stunden<br>STEL: 100 ppm 15<br>Minuten<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>Minuten | possibility of significant<br>uptake through the skin<br>TWA: 50 ppm<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>STEL: 100 ppm 15<br>minuti<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>minuti | Skin notation<br>TWA: 50 ppm 8 ore<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 ore<br>STEL: 100 ppm 15<br>minute<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>minute |

| Component | Russia   | Slovak Republic  | Slovenia  | Sweden   | Turkey  |
|-----------|--|--|---|--|---|
| Toluene   | TWA: 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 1264<br>MAC: 150 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | Ceiling: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>Potential for cutaneous<br>absorption<br>TWA: 50 ppm<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 50 ppm 8 urah<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 urah<br>Koža<br>STEL: 100 ppm 15<br>minutah<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>minutah | Binding STEL: 100 ppm<br>15 minuter<br>Binding STEL: 384<br>mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 minuter<br>TLV: 50 ppm 8 timmar.<br>NGV<br>TLV: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8<br>timmar. NGV<br>Hud | Deri<br>TWA: 50 ppm 8 saat<br>TWA: 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 saat<br>STEL: 100 ppm 15<br>dakika<br>STEL: 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15<br>dakika |

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## Biological limit values

List source(s):

| Component | European Union | United Kingdom | France  | Spain  | Germany  |
|-----------|----------------|----------------|---|--|--|
| Toluene   |                |                | Toluene: 20 µg/L blood end of workweek<br>Hippuric acid: urine end of shift | o-Cresol: 0.6 mg/L urine end of shift<br>Toluene: 0.05 mg/L blood start of last shift of workweek<br>Toluene: 0.08 mg/L urine end of shift | Toluene: 600 µg/L whole blood (immediately after exposure )<br>Toluene: 75 µg/L urine (end of shift )<br>o-Cresol (after hydrolysis): 1.5 mg/L urine (for long-term exposures: at the end of the shift after several shifts )<br>o-Cresol (after hydrolysis): 1.5 mg/L urine (end of shift ) |

| Component | Italy | Finland   | Denmark | Bulgaria  | Romania  |
|-----------|-------|---|---------|---|--|
| Toluene   |       | Toluene: 500 nmol/L blood in the morning after a working day. |         | Hippuric acid: 1.6 mmol/mmol Creatinine urine at the end of exposure or end of work shift | Hippuric acid: 2 g/L urine end of shift<br>o-Cresol: 3 mg/L urine end of shift |

| Component | Gibraltar | Latvia  | Slovak Republic   | Luxembourg | Turkey |
|-----------|-----------|---|---|------------|--------|
| Toluene   |           | Hippuric acid: 1.6 g/g Creatinine urine end of shift<br>Toluene: 0.05 mg/L blood end of shift | Toluene: 600 µg/L blood end of exposure or work shift<br>o-Cresol: 1.5 mg/L urine after all work shifts for long-term exposure<br>o-Cresol: 1.5 mg/L urine end of exposure or work shift<br>Hippuric acid: 1600 mg/g creatinine end of exposure or work shift |            |        |

## Monitoring methods

BS EN 14042:2003 Title Identifier: Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents.

MDHS70 General methods for sampling airborne gases and vapours

MDHS 88 Volatile organic compounds in air. Laboratory method using diffusive samplers, solvent desorption and gas chromatography

MDHS 96 Volatile organic compounds in air - Laboratory method using pumped solid sorbent tubes, solvent desorption and gas chromatography

## Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) / Derived Minimum Effect Level (DMEL)

See table for values

| Component                     | Acute effects local (Oral) | Acute effects systemic (Oral) | Chronic effects local (Oral) | Chronic effects systemic (Oral) |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Toluene<br>108-88-3 ( 82.25 ) |                            |                               |                              | 8.13 mg/kg bw/day               |

| Component                     | Acute effects local (Dermal) | Acute effects systemic (Dermal) | Chronic effects local (Dermal) | Chronic effects systemic (Dermal) |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Toluene<br>108-88-3 ( 82.25 ) |                              |                                 |                                | DNEL = 384mg/kg bw/day            |

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| Component                     | Acute effects local (Inhalation) | Acute effects systemic (Inhalation) | Chronic effects local (Inhalation) | Chronic effects systemic (Inhalation) |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Toluene<br>108-88-3 ( 82.25 ) | DNEL = 384mg/m <sup>3</sup>      | DNEL = 384mg/m <sup>3</sup>         | DNEL = 192mg/m <sup>3</sup>        | DNEL = 192mg/m <sup>3</sup>           |

## Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

See values below.

| Component                     | Fresh water     | Fresh water sediment          | Water Intermittent | Microorganisms in sewage treatment | Soil (Agriculture)       |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Toluene<br>108-88-3 ( 82.25 ) | PNEC = 0.68mg/L | PNEC = 16.39mg/kg sediment dw | PNEC = 0.68mg/L    | PNEC = 13.61mg/L                   | PNEC = 2.89mg/kg soil dw |

| Component                     | Marine water    | Marine water sediment         | Marine water Intermittent | Food chain | Air |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----|
| Toluene<br>108-88-3 ( 82.25 ) | PNEC = 0.68mg/L | PNEC = 16.39mg/kg sediment dw |                           |            |     |

## 8.2. Exposure controls

### Engineering Measures

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

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

Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

#### Hand Protection

Protective gloves

| Glove material | Breakthrough time | Glove thickness | EU standard | Glove comments        |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Nitrile rubber | See manufacturers | -               | EN 374      | (minimum requirement) |
| Viton (R)      | recommendations   |                 |             |                       |

#### Skin and body protection

Long sleeved clothing.

Inspect gloves before use. observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information) 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. gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

#### Respiratory Protection

When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.

To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained properly

#### Large scale/emergency use

Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

**Recommended Filter type:** low boiling organic solvent Type AX Brown conforming to EN371 or Organic gases and vapours filter Type A Brown conforming to EN14387

#### Small scale/Laboratory use

Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

**Recommended half mask:-** Valve filtering: EN405; or; Half mask: EN140; plus filter, EN 141

When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted



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**Environmental exposure controls** Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

## Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

|   |  |                                   |
|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Physical State                          | Liquid                                 |                                   |
| Appearance                              |  |                                   |
| Odor                                    | Stench                                 |                                   |
| Odor Threshold                          | No data available                      |                                   |
| Melting Point/Range                     | No data available                      |                                   |
| Softening Point                         | No data available                      |                                   |
| Boiling Point/Range                     | No information available               |                                   |
| Flammability (liquid)                   | Highly flammable                       | On basis of test data             |
| Flammability (solid,gas)                | Not applicable                         | Liquid                            |
| Explosion Limits                        | No data available                      |                                   |
| Flash Point                             | 7 °C / 44.6 °F                         | Method - No information available |
| Autoignition Temperature                | No data available                      |                                   |
| Decomposition Temperature               | No data available                      |                                   |
| pH                                      | No information available               |                                   |
| Viscosity                               | No data available                      |                                   |
| Water Solubility                        | Immiscible Reacts violently with water |                                   |
| Solubility in other solvents            | No information available               |                                   |
| Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water) |  |                                   |
| Component                               | log Pow                                |                                   |
| Toluene                                 | 2.73                                   |                                   |
| Vapor Pressure                          | No data available                      |                                   |
| Density / Specific Gravity              | 0.856                                  |                                   |
| Bulk Density                            | Not applicable                         | Liquid                            |
| Vapor Density                           | No data available                      | (Air = 1.0)                       |
| Particle characteristics                | Not applicable (liquid)                |                                   |

### 9.2. Other information

**Explosive Properties** Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air  
**Substances/mixtures which, in contact with water, emit flammable gases** Emitted gas ignites spontaneously

## Section 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

Yes

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Moisture sensitive.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  
**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing. Reacts violently with water.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible products. Excess heat. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and

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sources of ignition. Exposure to moist air or water. Exposure to moisture.

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Sulfur oxides. Oxides of boron. Hydrogen.

## Section 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

#### Product Information

##### (a) acute toxicity;

Oral

Category 4

Dermal

Category 4

Inhalation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### Toxicology data for the components

| Component                                  | LD50 Oral            | LD50 Dermal            | LC50 Inhalation       |
|--|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Toluene                                    | > 5000 mg/kg ( Rat ) | 12000 mg/kg ( Rabbit ) | 26700 ppm ( Rat ) 1 h |
| Boron, trihydro[thiobis[methane]]-, (T-4)- | <500 mg/kg (Rat)     | >2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)   | -                     |

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

Category 2

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

Category 1

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

Respiratory

No data available

Skin

No data available

##### (e) germ cell mutagenicity;

No data available

##### (f) carcinogenicity;

No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

##### (g) reproductive toxicity;

Category 1B

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

Category 3

Results / Target organs

Central nervous system (CNS).

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

Category 2

Target Organs

Neuropsychological effects, Eyes, Ears.

##### (j) aspiration hazard;

Category 1

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed

Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

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## 11.2. Information on other hazards

**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

### 12.1. Toxicity

#### Ecotoxicity effects

The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment. Contains a substance which is: Toxic to aquatic organisms. Reacts with water so no ecotoxicity data for the substance is available.

| Component | Freshwater Fish  | Water Flea   | Freshwater Algae   |
|-----------|--|--|--|
| Toluene   | 50-70 mg/L LC50 96 h<br>5-7 mg/L LC50 96 h<br>15-19 mg/L LC50 96 h<br>28 mg/L LC50 96 h<br>12 mg/L LC50 96 h | EC50: = 11.5 mg/L, 48h<br>(Daphnia magna)<br>EC50: 5.46 - 9.83 mg/L, 48h<br>Static (Daphnia magna) | EC50: = 12.5 mg/L, 72h static<br>(Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata)<br>EC50: > 433 mg/L, 96h<br>(Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata) |

| Component | Microtox                | M-Factor |
|-----------|-------------------------|----------|
| Toluene   | EC50 = 19.7 mg/L 30 min |          |

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

#### Persistence

Persistence is unlikely.

#### Degradability

Reacts with water.

| Component                     | Degradability |
|-------------------------------|---------------|
| Toluene<br>108-88-3 ( 82.25 ) | 86% (20d)     |

#### Degradation in sewage treatment plant

Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants. Reacts violently with water.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation is unlikely

| Component | log Pow | Bioconcentration factor (BCF) |
|-----------|---------|-------------------------------|
| Toluene   | 2.73    | 90                            |

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

Reacts violently with water Spillage unlikely to penetrate soil The product is insoluble and floats on water . Is not likely mobile in the environment. Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility.

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Reacts violently with water.

### 12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

#### Endocrine Disruptor Information

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

### 12.7. Other adverse effects

#### 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 13: Disposal considerations

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## 13.1. Waste treatment methods

|  |  |
|--|--|
| <b>Waste from Residues/Unused Products</b> | 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.   |
| <b>Contaminated Packaging</b>              | 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.   |
| <b>European Waste Catalogue (EWC)</b>      | According to the European Waste Catalog, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific.   |
| <b>Other Information</b>                   | Do not flush to sewer. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations. Do not empty into drains. Do not let this chemical enter the environment.                          |
| <b>Switzerland - Waste Ordinance</b>       | Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations. Ordinance on the Avoidance and the Disposal of Waste (Waste Ordinance, ADWO) SR 814.600<br><a href="https://www.fedlex.admin.ch/eli/cc/2015/891/en">https://www.fedlex.admin.ch/eli/cc/2015/891/en</a> |

## Section 14: Transport information

### IMDG/IMO

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>14.1. UN number</b>                  | UN3399  |
| <b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>    | ORGANOMETALLIC SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, WATER-REACTIVE, FLAMMABLE |
| <b>Technical Shipping Name</b>          | Toluene, Boron, trihydro[thiobis[methane]]-, (T-4)-         |
| <b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b> | 4.3   |
| <b>Subsidiary Hazard Class</b>          | 3   |
| <b>14.4. Packing group</b>              | I   |

### ADR

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>14.1. UN number</b>                  | UN3399  |
| <b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>    | ORGANOMETALLIC SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, WATER-REACTIVE, FLAMMABLE |
| <b>Technical Shipping Name</b>          | Toluene, Boron, trihydro[thiobis[methane]]-, (T-4)-         |
| <b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b> | 4.3   |
| <b>Subsidiary Hazard Class</b>          | 3   |
| <b>14.4. Packing group</b>              | I   |

### IATA

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>14.1. UN number</b>                  | UN3399  |
| <b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>    | ORGANOMETALLIC SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, WATER-REACTIVE, FLAMMABLE |
| <b>Technical Shipping Name</b>          | Toluene, Boron, trihydro[thiobis[methane]]-, (T-4)-         |
| <b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b> | 4.3   |
| <b>Subsidiary Hazard Class</b>          | 3   |
| <b>14.4. Packing group</b>              | I   |

|  |                                  |
|--|----------------------------------|
| <b>14.5. Environmental hazards</b>                                   | No hazards identified            |
| <b>14.6. Special precautions for user</b>                            | No special precautions required. |
| <b>14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments</b> | Not applicable, packaged goods   |

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## Section 15: Regulatory information

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

#### International Inventories

Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), China (IECSC), Taiwan (TCSI), Korea (KECL), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Australia (AICS), New Zealand (NZIoC), Philippines (PICCS). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

| Component                                  | CAS No     | EINECS    | ELINCS | NLP | IECSC | TCSI | KECL       | ENCS | ISHL |
|--|------------|-----------|--------|-----|-------|------|------------|------|------|
| Toluene                                    | 108-88-3   | 203-625-9 | -      | -   | X     | X    | KE-33936   | X    | X    |
| Boron, trihydro[thiobis[methane]]-, (T-4)- | 13292-87-0 | 236-313-6 | -      | -   | X     | X    | 2008-1-560 | -    | X    |

| Component                                  | CAS No     | TSCA | TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive | DSL | NDSL | AICS | NZIoC | PICCS |
|--|------------|------|---|-----|------|------|-------|-------|
| Toluene                                    | 108-88-3   | X    | ACTIVE  | X   | -    | X    | X     | X     |
| Boron, trihydro[thiobis[methane]]-, (T-4)- | 13292-87-0 | X    | ACTIVE  | -   | X    | -    | X     | -     |

Legend: X - Listed '-' - Not Listed

KECL - NIER number or KE number (<http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do>)

#### Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

| Component                                  | CAS No     | REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization | REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances  | REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) |
|--|------------|---|--|---|
| Toluene                                    | 108-88-3   | -   | Use restricted. See entry 48.<br>(see link for restriction details)<br>Use restricted. See entry 75.<br>(see link for restriction details) | -   |
| Boron, trihydro[thiobis[methane]]-, (T-4)- | 13292-87-0 | -   | -  | -   |

#### REACH links

<https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach>

#### Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC)

| Component                                  | CAS No     | Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification | Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements |
|--|------------|---|--|
| Toluene                                    | 108-88-3   | Not applicable  | Not applicable   |
| Boron, trihydro[thiobis[methane]]-, (T-4)- | 13292-87-0 | Not applicable  | Not applicable   |

#### Regulation (EC) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals

Not applicable

#### Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)?

Not applicable

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Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work .

Take note of Directive 2000/39/EC establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values

Take note of Directive 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

Take note of Dir 92/85/EC on the protection of pregnant and breastfeeding women at work

## National Regulations

**UK** - Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

## WGK Classification

Water endangering class = 3 (self classification)

| Component                                     | Germany - Water Classification (AwSV) | Germany - TA-Luft Class |
|---|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Toluene                                       | WGK3                                  |                         |
| Boron,<br>trihydro[thiobis(methane)]-, (T-4)- | WGK1                                  |                         |

| Component | France - INRS (Tables of occupational diseases)               |
|-----------|---|
| Toluene   | Tableaux des maladies professionnelles (TMP) - RG 4bis, RG 84 |

## Swiss Regulations

Article 4 para. 4 of the Ordinance on the protection of young people in the workplace (SR 822.115) and Article 1 lit. f of the EAER regulation on hazardous work and young people (SR 822.115.2).

Take note on Article 13 Maternity Ordinance (SR 822.111.52) with regards expectant and nursing mothers.

| Component                     | Switzerland - Ordinance on the Reduction of Risk from handling of hazardous substances preparation (SR 814.81) | Switzerland - Ordinance on Incentive Taxes on Volatile Organic Compounds (OVOC) | Switzerland - Ordinance of the Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure |
|-------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Toluene<br>108-88-3 ( 82.25 ) | Prohibited and Restricted Substances   | Group I   |   |

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical Safety Assessment/Reports (CSA/CSR) are not required for mixtures

## Section 16: Other information

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

H260 - In contact with water releases flammable gases which may ignite spontaneously

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H304 - May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways

H312 - Harmful in contact with skin

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H318 - Causes serious eye damage

H336 - May cause drowsiness or dizziness

H360FD - May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child

H360Fd - May damage fertility. Suspected of damaging the unborn child

H361d - Suspected of damaging the unborn child

H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

EUH014 - Reacts violently with water

H225 - Highly flammable liquid and vapor

H301 - Toxic if swallowed

H311 - Toxic in contact with skin

### Legend

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**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

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%

**NOEC** - No Observed Effect Concentration

**PBT** - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

**TWA** - Time Weighted Average

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

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

**vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

**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, Chemadviser - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

## Classification and procedure used to derive the classification for mixtures according to Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [CLP]:

**Physical hazards** On basis of test data

**Health Hazards** Calculation method

**Environmental hazards** Calculation method

## Training Advice

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

Fire prevention and fighting, identifying hazards and risks, static electricity, explosive atmospheres posed by vapours and dusts.

Chemical incident response training.

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