

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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SECTION 1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Catalogue No. 103055

Product name Dimethylyellow (C.I. 11020) indicator

REACH Registration Number A registration number is not available for this substance as the

substance or its use are exempted from registration according to Article 2 REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a

later registration deadline.

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

Identified uses Reagent for analysis

For additional information on uses please refer to the Merck Chemicals

portal (www.merck-chemicals.com).

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Merck KGaA * 64271 Darmstadt * Germany * Phone:+49 6151 72-0

Responsible Department EQ-RS * e-mail: prodsafe@merckgroup.com

1.4 Emergency telephone

number

Please contact the regional company representation in your country.

SECTION 2. Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Acute toxicity, Category 3, Oral, H301 Carcinogenicity, Category 2, H351

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

Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)

Carc.Cat.3 Carcinogenic Category 3 R40
T Toxic R25

For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Hazard pictograms





Signal word Danger

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Hazard statements

H301 Toxic if swallowed.

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

Precautionary statements

P281 Use personal protective equipment as required.

P309 + P310 IF exposed or if you feel unwell: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

CAS-No. 60-11-7

Labelling (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)

Symbol(s) Z T Toxic

R-phrase(s) 25-40 Toxic if swallowed. Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect. *S-phrase(s)* 36/37-45 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves. In case of

accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice

immediately (show the label where possible).

EC-No. 200-455-7

2.3 Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Formula $C_{14}H_{15}N_3$ (Hill) CAS-No. 60-11-7 EC-No. 200-455-7 Molar mass 225,29 g/mol

SECTION 4. First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

After inhalation: fresh air. Get medical attention.

After skin contact: wash off with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention.

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Call in ophthalmologist.

If swallowed: give water to drink (two glasses at most). Seek medical advice immediately. In exceptional cases only, if medical care is not available within one hour, induce vomiting (only in persons who are wide awake and fully conscious), administer activated charcoal (20 - 40 g in a 10% slurry) and consult a doctor as quickly as possible.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The following applies to aromatic amines in general: systemic effect: methaemoglobinaemia with headache, cardiac dysrhythmia, drop in blood pressure, dyspnoea, and spasms, principal symptom: cyanosis (blue discolouration of the blood).

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Subsequently administer: activated charcoal (20 - 40 g in 10% slurry).

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SECTION 5. Fire-fighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Water, Carbon dioxide (CO2), Foam, 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

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

Fire may cause evolution of:

nitrogen oxides

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

SECTION 6. Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders: Protective equipment see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not empty into drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills.

Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7.2 and 10.5).

Take up carefully. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

6.4 Reference to other sections

Indications about waste treatment see section 13.

SECTION 7. Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance.

Observe label precautions.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Tightly closed. Dry. Protected from light. Store in cool place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorised persons.

Store at +5°C to +30°C.

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7.3 Specific end uses

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

SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

8.2 Exposure controls

Engineering measures

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

See section 7.1.

Individual protection measures

Protective clothing needs to be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentrations and quantities of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be enquired at the respective supplier.

Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance. Work under hood. Do not inhale substance.

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses

Hand protection

full contact:

Glove material: Nitrile rubber Glove thickness: 0,11 mm Break through time: > 480 min

splash contact:

Glove material: Nitrile rubber
Glove thickness: 0,11 mm
Break through time: > 480 min

The protective gloves to be used must comply with the specifications of EC Directive 89/686/EEC and the related standard EN374, for example KCL 741 Dermatril® L (full contact), KCL 741 Dermatril® L (splash contact).

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types.

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 EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Other protective equipment protective clothing

Respiratory protection

required when dusts are generated.

Recommended Filter type: Filter P 3 (acc. to DIN 3181) for solid and liquid particles of toxic and very toxic substances

The entrepeneur 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.

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Environmental exposure controls

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SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form solid

Colour beige

Odour weak characteristic odour

Odour Threshold No information available.

pH ca. 5 - 7

at 10 g/l 20 °C

(filtered slurry)

Melting point 110 - 116 °C

(decomposition)

Boiling point No information available.

Flash point No information available.

Evaporation rate No information available.

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available.

Lower explosion limit No information available.

Upper explosion limit No information available.

Vapour pressure No information available.

Relative vapour density No information available.

Relative density No information available.

Water solubility 0,00023 g/l

at 25 °C

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

log Pow: 4,58 (experimental)

(Lit.) Potential bioaccumulation

Autoignition temperature No information available.

Decomposition temperature No information available.

Viscosity, dynamic No information available.

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Explosive properties Not classified as explosive.

Oxidizing properties none

9.2 Other data

Bulk density ca.190 kg/m³

SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and preparations: in correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.

10.2 Chemical stability

heat-sensitive Sensitivity to light

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Exothermic reaction with:

Oxidizing agents, Acid anhydrides, acids

Caution! In contact with nitrites, nitrates, nitrous acid possible liberation of nitosamines!

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heating (decomposition).

10.5 Incompatible materials

no information available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

in the event of fire: See chapter 5.

SECTION 11. Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity

LD50 rat: 200 mg/kg (RTECS)

absorption

Genotoxicity in vivo

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

Result: positive

(Lit.)

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): micronucleus.

Result: positive

(Lit.)

Genotoxicity in vitro

Ames test
Escherichia coli
Result: negative

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CMR effects

Carcinogenicity:

Suspected of causing cancer.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

11.2 Further information

Under given conditions, contact with nitrites or nitric acid can lead to the formation of nitrosamines, which have shown themselves to be carcinogenic in animal experiments.

The following applies to azo dyes in general: azo dyes containing a carcinogenic aryl amine component are suspected of possessing a carcinogenic potential. It is therefore recommended that the substance be handled as if it possessed the properties of the basic amine.

The following applies to aromatic amines in general: systemic effect: methaemoglobinaemia with headache, cardiac dysrhythmia, drop in blood pressure, dyspnoea, and spasms, principal symptom: cyanosis (blue discolouration of the blood).

Further data:

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

This substance should be handled with particular care.

SECTION 12. Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

No information available.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No information available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

log Pow: 4,58 (experimental)

(Lit.) Potential bioaccumulation

12.4 Mobility in soil

No information available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted.

12.6 Other adverse effects

Additional ecological information

We have no quantitative data concerning the ecological effects of this product.

Further information on ecology

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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SECTION 13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

See www.retrologistik.com for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

SECTION 14. Transport information

ADR/RID

UN 2811 TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (4-(DIMETHYLAMINO)-AZOBENZENE), 6.1, III

IATA

UN 2811 TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (4-(DIMETHYLAMINO)-AZOBENZENE), 6.1, III

IMDG

UN 2811 TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (4-(DIMETHYLAMINO)-AZOBENZENE), 6.1, III

EmS F-A S-A

The transport regulations are cited according to international regulations and in the form applicable in Germany. Possible national deviations in other countries are not considered.

SECTION 15. Regulatory information

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

EU regulations

Major Accident Hazard 96/82/EC Legislation Toxic

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Quantity 1: 50 t Quantity 2: 200 t

Occupational restrictions Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at

work.

Take note of Dir 92/85/EEC on the safety and health at work of

pregnant workers.

Storage class 6.1 C

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out.

SECTION 16. Other information

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

H301 Toxic if swallowed.

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3

R25 Toxic if swallowed.

R40 Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect.

Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

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Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Used abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at www.wikipedia.org.

Regional representation

This information is given on the authorised Safety Data Sheet for your country.

The information contained herein is based on the present state of our knowledge. It characterises the product with regard to the appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent a guarantee of any properties of the product.