
Potential Health Effects

EYE:

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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INGESTION:

Swallowing this material may be harmful or fatal. Symptoms may include severe stomach and intestinal irritation, abdominal pain, and vomiting blood. Swallowing this material may cause burns and destroy tissue in the mouth, throat, and digestive tract. This material can get into the lungs during swallowing or vomiting. This results in lung inflammation and other lung injuries. May be harmful if swallowed and enters airways.

INHALATION:

Prolonged inhalation may result in respiratory irritation. Under normal conditions, using adequate ventilation no problems are expected. May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation.

CHRONIC (CANCER) INFORMATION:

Not listed by IARC or NTP as a carcinogen. Long term exposure via inhalation of concentrations of 2-butoxyethanol up to 125 ppm caused an increase of liver tumors in male mice. A slight increase in adrenal tumors was observed in female rats. The NTP has determined that 2-butoxyethanol displays some evidence of carcinogenicity in female rats. The IARC has evaluated the material as an IARC Group 3 not classified as to carcinogenicity in humans, based on limited data in animals and inadequate data in humans. Methyl Pyrrolidinone caused liver tumors and kidney effects in test animals. The relevance of these findings to humans is unknown. Reproduction and developmental effects were present in test animals - the relevance of these findings in humans is unknown.

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EYE PROTECTION:

Chemical splash goggles with side shields recommended. None normally needed.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

BOILING POINT: N/A
MELTING POINT: Not applicable.
VAPOR PRESSURE: NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE.
VAPOR DENSITY: (Air=1): >1
SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Soluble
SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.058
pH: 11.5-13.8
ODOR: Strong butyl (2-butoxyethanol) odor.
APPEARANCE: Clear red liquid.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

CHEMICAL STABILITY (CONDITIONS TO AVOID):

Stable.

INCOMPATIBILITY:

Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

Oxides of carbon, and sulfur may be emitted if product burns. Oxides of carbon and nitrogen. Sulfur dioxide and oxides of sulfur. Sulfuric acid.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:

Will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

EYE:

CORROSIVE!

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For Monoethanolamine: LD50 rabbit: 1000 mg/m3 Corrosive.

INGESTION:

For Monoethanolamine: LD50 rat: 1720 mg/m3

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Exposure to vapor may cause irritation of the eyes, nose, and respiratory tract. May cause nausea. May cause headaches.

SUBCHRONIC:

All components of this product are listed on the U. S. TOXIC SUBSTANCE CONTROL ACT (TSCA) Inventory or exemption has been granted in accordance with 40 CFR 723.50.

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TERATOLOGY:

Ethylene glycol, CAS # 107-21-1, is a reproductive and developmental toxicant when administered at high doses in experimental animals.

REPRODUCTION:

Not expected to effect human reproduction.

MUTAGENICITY:

Not mutagenic.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Monoethanolamine:
Toxicity to fish: 96 hr. LC 50 Fathead minnow: 125-2,070 mg/m3
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: LC 50 Water flea: 33.00-93.00 mg/L.
Information is based on data on the components and the ecotoxicology of similar products. If this product becomes a waste, it does not exhibit the properties of ignitability, corrosivity, reactivity or environmentally persistent toxicity.

CHEMICAL FATE INFORMATION:

Readily biodegradable.

