

Section 1 Identification

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Product	1,2-DICHLOROETHANE
Synonyms	Ethylene Dichloride ; Ethylene Chloride ; EDC ; Dichloroethane

Section 2 Hazards identification

Signal word: DANGER
Pictograms: GHS02 / GHS07 / GHS08
Target organs: Liver, Kidneys



GHS Classification:
 Flammable liquid (Category 2)
 Acute toxicity, oral (Category 4)
 Skin irritation (Category 2)
 Eye irritation (Category 2A)
 STOT-SE (Category 3)
 Carcinogenicity (Category 1B)

GHS Label information: Hazard statement:

H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
 H302: Harmful if swallowed.
 H315: Causes skin irritation.
 H319: Causes serious eye irritation.
 H335: May cause respiratory irritation.
 H350: May cause cancer.

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known
 Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Precautionary statement:

P201: Obtain special instructions before use.
 P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
 P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.
 P233: Keep container tightly closed.
 P240: Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
 P241: Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.
 P242: Use only non-sparking tools.
 P243: Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
 P261: Avoid breathing mist/vapours/spray.
 P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
 P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
 P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
 P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
 P301+P330+P312: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.
 P302+P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap.
 P332+P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.
 P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
 P337+P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.
 P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
 P308+P313: IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention.
 P362+P364: Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
 P370+P378: In case of fire: Use dry chemical, alcohol foam, carbon dioxide to extinguish.
 P403+P235: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
 P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Section 3 Composition / information on ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
1,2-Dichloroethane	107-06-2	100%	203-458-1

Section 4 First aid measures

INGESTION: HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. CAUSES RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: CAUSES SERIOUS EYE IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.

Protective Actions for Fire-fighters: In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Specific Hazards: During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Vapor/air mixtures are explosive. Vapors formed from this product are heavier than air and may travel along the ground to a distant source of ignition and flash back instantly.

Section 6 Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

Containment and Cleanup: Remove all sources of ignition. Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep away from ignition sources.

Section 8 Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Ethylene dichloride	TWA: 10 ppm / 40 mg/m ³ (A4)	TWA: 50 ppm / STEL: C 100 ppm	TWA: 1 ppm STEL: 2ppm

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: Work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical and chemical properties

Appearance: Clear, colorless liquid.

Odor: Chloroform-like odor.

Odor threshold: Data not available.

pH: Data not available.

Melting / Freezing point: -35°C (-31°F)

Boiling point: 83°C (183°F)

Flash point: 13°C (55.4°F) Closed Cup

Evaporation rate (Butyl acetate = 1): 6.50

Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available.

Explosion limits: Lower: 6.2% **Upper:** 15.9%

Vapor pressure (mm Hg): 87 mm @ 25°C

Vapor density (Air = 1): 3.4

Relative density (Specific gravity): 1.24 @ 20°C

Solubility(ies): Slightly soluble in water.

Partition coefficient: Data not available

Auto-ignition temperature: 412°C (775°F)

Decomposition temperature: Data not available.

Viscosity: Data not available.

Molecular formula: C₂H₄Cl₂

Molecular weight: 98.96

Section 10 Stability and reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: Excessive temperatures, heat, sparks, open flame and other sources of ignition. Incompatible materials. Darkens upon exposure to air and light.

Incompatible materials: Aluminum or magnesium powder, oxidizing agents, reducing agents, organic peroxides, alkali and alkali earth metals, nitric acid, caustics, nitrogen tetraoxide, ammonia and dimethylaminopropylamine.

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon oxides, hydrogen chloride gas, phosgene gas, acetylene and vinyl chloride.

Section 11 Toxicological information

Acute toxicity: Oral-rat LD50: 680 mg/kg ; Inhalation-rat LC50: 3.29 mg/L/10 hours

Skin corrosion/irritation: Data not available

Serious eye damage/irritation: Data not available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available

Carcinogenicity: Data not available

NTP: Reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen.

IARC classified: Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Ca Prop 65: ⚠️ WARNING! This product can expose you to a chemical, 1,2-Dichloroethane, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer.

Reproductive toxicity: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: The substance or mixture is classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure, category 3 with respiratory effects.

STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available

Aspiration hazard: Data not available

Potential health effects:

Inhalation: Inhalation of vapors irritate the respiratory tract.

Ingestion: Ingestion causes irritation to the gastrointestinal tract. May cause headache, weakness, cyanosis, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. These symptoms may be followed by central nervous system effects, liver, kidney and adrenal gland damage, weak and rapid pulse and unconsciousness.

Skin: Causes skin irritation, rash and blister formation. Prolonged contact can cause burns. Can be absorbed through skin with toxic effects.

Eyes: Vapors cause eye irritation on. Splashes cause severe irritation, possible corneal burns and eye damage.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: Risk of cancer depends on level and duration of exposure.

Additional information: RTECS #: KI0525000

Section 12 Ecological information

Toxicity to fish: Limanda limanda (fish, marine), LC50 = 115 mg/l/96 hours

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: Daphnia magna (Crustacia), EC50 = 155 mg/l/48 hours

Toxicity to algae: Anacystis aeruginosa (Algae), death = 105 mg/L

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Other adverse effects: An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Section 13 Disposal considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

Section 14 Transport information

UN/NA number: UN1184

Shipping name: Ethylene dichloride

Hazard class: 3, (6.1)

Packing group: II

Reportable Quantity: 100 lbs (45.4 kg)

Marine pollutant: Yes

Exceptions: Limited quantity equal to or less than 100 mL

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Section 15 Regulatory information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	CA Prop 65
Ethylene dichloride	Listed	100 lbs (45.4 kg)	U077	Listed	Not listed	⚠️ WARNING -Cancer - www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

Section 16 Other information

The information contained herein is furnished without warranty of any kind. Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them and must make independent determinations of suitability and completeness of information from all sources to assure proper use of these materials and the safety and health of employees. NTP: National Toxicology Program, IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer, OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity, SE: Single Exposure, RE: Repeated Exposure, ERG: Emergency Response Guidebook.

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Synonyms	Disodium Polysulfide Solution
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Section 2 Hazards identification

Signal word: DANGER**Pictograms:** GHS05 / GHS06 / GHS09**Target organs:** Central nervous system, Gastrointestinal system, Respiratory system**GHS Classification:**

Acute toxicity, inhalation (Category 3)

Skin irritation (Category 1B)

Acute aquatic (Category 1)

GHS Label information: Hazard statement:

H301: Toxic if swallowed.

H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement:

P260: Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P273: Avoid release to the environment.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P301+P310: IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.

P330+P331: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+P361+P353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

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

P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P363: Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P391: Collect spillage.

P405: Store locked up.

P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Supplementary information:

EUH031: Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known

Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / information on ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Water	7732-18-5	80%	231-791-2
Sodium polysulfide	1344-08-7	20%	215-686-9

Section 4 First aid measures

INGESTION: HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: HARMFUL IF INHALED. CAUSES RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: CAUSES BURNS. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: CAUSES BURNS. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire.

Protective Actions for Fire-fighters: In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Specific Hazards: During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

Section 6 Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

Containment and Cleanup: Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep from freezing.

Section 8 Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Sodium polysulfide	Not established	Not established	Not established

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If misty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical and chemical properties

Appearance: Liquid. Yellow-brown color. Odor: Foul, hydrogen sulfide odor. Odor threshold: Data not available. pH: Data not available. Melting / Freezing point: Approximately 0°C (32°F) (water) Boiling point: Approximately 100°C (212°F) (water) Flash point: Data not available	Evaporation rate (Water = 1): <1 Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available. Explosion limits: Lower / Upper: Data not available Vapor pressure (mm Hg): 14 (water) Vapor density (Air = 1): 0.7 (water) Relative density (Specific gravity): Approximately 1.0 (water) Solubility(ies): Complete in water.	Partition coefficient: Data not available Auto-ignition temperature: Data not available Decomposition temperature: Data not available. Viscosity: Data not available. Molecular formula: Mixture Molecular weight: Mixture
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Section 10 Stability and reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: Excessive temperatures which cause evaporation. Protect from freezing.

Incompatible materials: Strong oxidizers. Contact with acids liberates toxic hydrogen sulfide gas. Corrodes metals.

Hazardous decomposition products: Sulfur oxides. Reacts with metals to form flammable and explosive hydrogen sulfide gas.

Section 11 Toxicological information

Acute toxicity: Oral-rat LD50: 86 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation: Skin - irritant.

Serious eye damage/irritation: Eyes-rabbit - Severe irritant.

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available

Carcinogenicity: Data not available

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Ca Prop 65: This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

Reproductive toxicity: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: Data not available

STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available

Aspiration hazard: Data not available

Potential health effects:

Inhalation: Inhalation of Sodium polysulfide vapors can cause respiratory tract irritation with symptoms of coughing, choking, runny nose, and possible burns of the mucous membranes.

Ingestion: Ingestion of this material is corrosive to the tissues with which it comes in contact with. Ingestion may cause burning pain in the mouth, throat, esophagus and abdomen.

Skin: Contact can be corrosive to the skin with symptoms of itching, redness, swelling, and burns.

Eyes: Contact can be corrosive to the eyes resulting in burns, itching, redness, swelling and clouding of the cornea.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: To the best of our knowledge the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Specific data is not available. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

Additional information: RTECS #: None listed

Section 12 Ecological information

Toxicity to fish: No data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: No data available

Toxicity to algae: No data available

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Other adverse effects: An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

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Section 14 Transport information

UN/NA number: UN1760

Shipping name: Corrosive liquids, n.o.s., (Sodium hydroxide, Sodium sulfide)

Hazard class: 8

Packing group: II

Reportable Quantity: No

Marine pollutant: No

Exceptions: Limited quantity equal to or less than 1 L

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Section 15 Regulatory information

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Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	CA Prop 65
Sodium sulfide	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

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