

# SAFETY DATA SHEETS

According to the UN GHS revision 9

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## SECTION 1: Identification

### 1.1 GHS Product identifier

Product name Polyethylene glycol

### 1.2 Other means of identification

Product number CIM-105550

Other names Poly(ethylene oxide),approx. M.W. 900,000;Macrogol 300,PEG;Poly(ethylene glycol),average M.W. 200

### 1.3 Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Identified uses For laboratory and Industrial use only.

Uses advised against no data available

### 1.4 Supplier's details

Company CATO Research Chemicals Inc.

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Telephone +86-20-81960175

### 1.5 Emergency phone number

Emergency phone number +86-20-81960175

Service hours 'Monday to Friday, 9am-5pm (Standard time zone: UTC/GMT +8 hours).

## SECTION 2: Hazard identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Not classified.

### 2.2 GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram(s) No symbol.

Signal word No signal word

Hazard statement(s) none

Precautionary statement(s)

Prevention none

Response none

Storage none

Disposal none

### 2.3 Other hazards which do not result in classification

no data available

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

| Chemical name       | Common names and synonyms                                                                  | CAS number | EC number | Concentration |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-----------|---------------|
| Polyethylene glycol | Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), $\alpha$ -hydro- $\omega$ -hydroxy- Ethane-1,2-diol, ethoxylated | 25322-68-3 | 500-038-2 | 100%          |

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### 4.1 Description of necessary first-aid measures

If inhaled

Fresh air, rest.

Following skin contact

Rinse skin with plenty of water or shower.

Following eye contact

First rinse with plenty of water for several minutes (remove contact lenses if easily possible), then refer for medical attention.

**Following ingestion**

Rinse mouth.

**4.2 Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed**

no data available

**4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary**

no data available

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**SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

**5.1 Suitable extinguishing media**

Use dry chemical, carbon dioxide or alcohol-resistant foam.

**5.2 Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

Combustible.

**5.3 Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

In case of fire in the surroundings, use appropriate extinguishing media.

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**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

Collect leaking and spilled liquid in covered containers as far as possible. Wash away remainder with plenty of water.

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

Prevent further spillage or leakage if it is safe to do so. Do not let the chemical enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

**6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Collect and arrange disposal. Keep the chemical in suitable and closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Adhered or collected material should be promptly disposed of, in accordance with appropriate laws and regulations.

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**SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

**7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

NO open flames. Handling in a well ventilated place. Wear suitable protective clothing. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Use non-sparking tools. Prevent fire caused by electrostatic discharge steam.

**7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Dry. Well closed.

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**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

**8.1 Control parameters**

**Occupational Exposure limit values**

MAK: (inhalable fraction): 200 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; peak limitation category: II(2); pregnancy risk group: C

**Biological limit values**

no data available

**8.2 Appropriate engineering controls**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Set up emergency exits and the risk-elimination area.

**8.3 Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)**

**Eye/face protection**

Wear safety spectacles.

**Skin protection**

Wear fire/flame resistant and impervious clothing. Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Wash and dry hands. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

**Respiratory protection**

Use ventilation.

**Thermal hazards**

no data available

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties and safety characteristics

|                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Physical state                                           | Liquid. Viscous.                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Colour                                                   | Transparent.                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Odour                                                    | no data available                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Melting point/freezing point                             | -10 °C. Remarks:Other details not available.                                                                                                                                                         |
| Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range | 870 °C. Atm. press.:975 hPa. Remarks:Other details not available.                                                                                                                                    |
| Flammability                                             | no data available                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit       | no data available                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Flash point                                              | 95.1 °C. Atm. press.:975 hPa.                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Auto-ignition temperature                                | Atm. press.:975 hPa. Remarks:Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), $\alpha$ -hydro- $\omega$ -hydroxy- Ethane-1,2-diol, ethoxylated did not catch fire on being exposed to air at room temperature of 30 deg C . |
| Decomposition temperature                                | no data available                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| pH                                                       | 4.45. Remarks:Relatively Acidic.                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Kinematic viscosity                                      | dynamic viscosity (in mPa s) = 47.267. Temperature:30.0°C.                                                                                                                                           |
| Solubility                                               | In water: 40 000 mg/L. Temperature:30 °C. Remarks:Very soluble..Ethanol. Remarks:Very soluble.                                                                                                       |
| Partition coefficient n-octanol/water                    | Pow = 0.11. Temperature:30 °C.                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Vapour pressure                                          | 0 Pa. Temperature:25 °C.                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Density and/or relative density                          | 1.1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> . Temperature:30 °C.                                                                                                                                                           |
| Relative vapour density                                  | >1 (vs air)                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Particle characteristics                                 | no data available                                                                                                                                                                                    |

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

no data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

no data available

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

no data available

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

no data available

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### Acute toxicity

- Oral: LD50 - rat (female) - > 2 000 mg/kg bw.
- Inhalation: no data available
- Dermal: LD50 - rat (male/female) - > 2 000 mg/kg bw.

### Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

### Serious eye damage/irritation

no data available

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

### Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

### Carcinogenicity

no data available

**Reproductive toxicity**

no data available

**STOT-single exposure**

no data available

**STOT-repeated exposure**

no data available

**Aspiration hazard**

A nuisance-causing concentration of airborne particles can be reached quickly when dispersed.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

- Toxicity to fish: LC50 - Poecilia reticulata - > 100 mg/L - 96 h.
- Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: LC50 - Daphnia magna - 9 096.488 mg/L - 24 h.
- Toxicity to algae: EC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (previous names: Raphidocelis subcapitata, Selenastrum capricornutum) - 15.915 mg/L - 72 h.
- Toxicity to microorganisms: IGC50 - Tetrahymena pyriformis - 770.636 mg/L - 48 h.

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

no data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

no data available

### 12.5 Other adverse effects

no data available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Disposal methods

**Product**

The material can be disposed of by removal to a licensed chemical destruction plant or by controlled incineration with flue gas scrubbing. Do not contaminate water, foodstuffs, feed or seed by storage or disposal. Do not discharge to sewer systems.

**Contaminated packaging**

Containers can be triply rinsed (or equivalent) and offered for recycling or reconditioning. Alternatively, the packaging can be punctured to make it unusable for other purposes and then be disposed of in a sanitary landfill. Controlled incineration with flue gas scrubbing is possible for combustible packaging materials.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN Number

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IMDG: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IATA: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

### 14.2 UN Proper Shipping Name

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

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IATA: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

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IATA: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

### 14.4 Packing group, if applicable

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IMDG: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

IATA: Not dangerous goods. (For reference only, please check.)

### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: No

IMDG: No

IATA: No

## 14.6 Special precautions for user

no data available

## 14.7 Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

no data available

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

## 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

| Chemical name                                                                              | Common names and synonyms                                                                  | CAS number | EC number   |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), $\alpha$ -hydro- $\omega$ -hydroxy- Ethane-1,2-diol, ethoxylated | Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), $\alpha$ -hydro- $\omega$ -hydroxy- Ethane-1,2-diol, ethoxylated | 25322-68-3 | 500-038-2   |
| European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)                     |                                                                                            |            | Not Listed. |
| EC Inventory                                                                               |                                                                                            |            | Listed.     |
| United States Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory                                |                                                                                            |            | Listed.     |
| China Catalog of Hazardous chemicals 2015                                                  |                                                                                            |            | Not Listed. |
| New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC)                                                 |                                                                                            |            | Listed.     |
| Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)                         |                                                                                            |            | Listed.     |
| Vietnam National Chemical Inventory                                                        |                                                                                            |            | Listed.     |
| Chinese Chemical Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (China IECSC)                   |                                                                                            |            | Listed.     |
| Korea Existing Chemicals List (KECL)                                                       |                                                                                            |            | Listed.     |

# SECTION 16: Other information

## Information on revision

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## Abbreviations and acronyms

- CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service
- ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
- RID: Regulation concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
- IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods
- IATA: International Air Transportation Association
- TWA: Time Weighted Average
- STEL: Short term exposure limit
- LC50: Lethal Concentration 50%
- LD50: Lethal Dose 50%
- EC50: Effective Concentration 50%

## References

- IPCS - The International Chemical Safety Cards (ICSC), website: <http://www.ilo.org/dyn/icsc/showcard.home>
- HSDB - Hazardous Substances Data Bank, website: <https://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/newtoxnet/hsdb.htm>
- IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer, website: <http://www.iarc.fr/>
- eChemPortal - The Global Portal to Information on Chemical Substances by OECD, website: [http://www.echemportal.org/echemportal/index?pageID=0&request\\_locale=en](http://www.echemportal.org/echemportal/index?pageID=0&request_locale=en)
- CAMEO Chemicals, website: <http://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/search/simple>
- ChemIDplus, website: <http://chem.sis.nlm.nih.gov/chemidplus/chemidlite.jsp>
- ERG - Emergency Response Guidebook by U.S. Department of Transportation, website: <http://www.phmsa.dot.gov/hazmat/library/erg>
- Germany GESTIS-database on hazard substance, website: <http://www.dguv.de/ifa/gestis/gestis-stoffdatenbank/index-2.jsp>
- ECHA - European Chemicals Agency, website: <https://echa.europa.eu/>

## Other Information

This card covers the individual substances polyethylene glycol 200, 300, 400, 600 and the mixture of the polyethylene glycols and is fully applicable for all polyethylenes in the molecular mass range from 200 to 600 g/mol. Softening points for Polyethylene glycols: 200 (-65 to -50°C), 300 (-15 to -10°C), 400 (-6 to 8°C), 600 (17 to 22°C).

Any questions regarding this SDS, Please send your inquiry to [info@cato-chem.com](mailto:info@cato-chem.com)

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