

Safety data sheet
according to UK REACH

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

· **1.1 Product identifier**

· **Trade name:** N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone

· **Article number:** 3080

· **CAS Number:**

872-50-4

· **EC number:**

212-828-1

· **Index number:**

606-021-00-7

· **Application of the substance / the mixture**

Chemical for synthesis

Laboratory chemicals

· **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

· **Manufacturer/Supplier:**

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· **1.4 Emergency telephone number:**

Single telephone number for emergency calls: 112 (EU)

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

· **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

· **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Repr. 1B H360D May damage the unborn child.

STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

· **2.2 Label elements**

· **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

The substance is classified and labelled according to the GB CLP regulation.

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· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS07 GHS08

· **Signal word** Danger

· **Hazard statements**

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H360D May damage the unborn child.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

· **Precautionary statements**

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

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

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

P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **2.3 Other hazards**

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

· **3.1 Substances**

· **CAS No. Description**

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· **Identification number(s)**

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· **SVHC**

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

· **4.1 Description of first aid measures**

· **General information:** Involve doctor immediately.

· **After inhalation:**

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel.

· **After skin contact:**

Call a doctor immediately.

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

· **After eye contact:** Call a doctor immediately.

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- **After swallowing:**
make victim drink water (maximum of 2 drinking glasses)
Call a doctor immediately.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**
No further relevant information available.
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
In case of fire, the following can be released:
Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Combustible.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
- **Additional information**
Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.
Contain escaping vapours with water.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Avoid substance contact.
Do not inhale steams/aerosols.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Clean up affected area.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Open and handle receptacle with care.
Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Provide alkali-resistant floor.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.

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- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Keep container tightly sealed.
Open receptacle only under localised extractor facilities.
Store receptacle in a well ventilated area.
Store under lock and key and with access restricted to technical experts or their assistants only.
- **Recommended storage temperature:** Room Temperature
- **Storage class:** 6.1 C
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

· 8.1 Control parameters

· **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

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WEL	Short-term value: 80 mg/m ³ , 20 ppm
	Long-term value: 40 mg/m ³ , 10 ppm
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· **DNELs**

Dermal	Long-term - systemic effects, worker	4.8 mg/kg
Inhalative	Long-term - systemic effects, worker	10 mg/m3

· **PNECs**

Aquatic compartment - freshwater	0.25 mg/L
Aquatic compartment - marine water	0.025 mg/L
Aquatic compartment - water, intermittent releases	5 mg/L
Aquatic compartment - sediment in freshwater	0.805 mg/kg
Aquatic compartment - sediment in marine water	0.0805 mg/kg
Terrestrial compartment - soil	0.138 mg/kg
Sewage treatment plant	10 mg/L
Oral secondary poisoning	1.67 mg/kg food

- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

· 8.2 Exposure controls

- **Appropriate engineering controls** No further data; see section 7.

· **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

- Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
- Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
- Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
- Store protective clothing separately.
- Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

· **Respiratory protection:**

Filter A-(P2)

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

Use suitable respiratory protective device only when aerosol or mist is formed.

· **Hand protection**



Protective gloves

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The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

· **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

· **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· **For the permanent contact gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**

Butyl rubber, BR

Recommended thickness of the material: ≥ 0.11 mm

Value for the permeation: Level ≥ 480 min

· **As protection from splashes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**

Natural rubber, NR

Recommended thickness of the material: ≥ 0.11 mm

Value for the permeation: Level ≥ 480 min

· **Eye/face protection**



Tightly sealed goggles

· **Body protection:**

Use protective suit.

Alkaline resistant protective clothing

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

· **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Physical state**

Liquid

· **Colour:**

Colourless

· **Odour:**

Weak, characteristic

· **Odour threshold:**

Not determined.

· **Melting point/freezing point:**

-24 °C

· **Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range**

204 °C

· **Flammability**

Not applicable.

· **Lower and upper explosion limit**

· **Lower:**

Not determined.

· **Upper:**

Not determined.

· **Flash point:**

91 °C

· **Auto-ignition temperature:**

270 °C

· **Decomposition temperature:**

Not determined.

· **pH**

8.5-10

· **Viscosity:**

· **Kinematic viscosity**

Not determined.

· **Dynamic at 20 °C:**

1.65 mPas

· **Solubility**

· **water:**

Not determined.

· **Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)**

Not determined.

· **Vapour pressure at 20 °C:**

0.32 hPa

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- **Density and/or relative density**
- **Density at 20 °C:** 1.026 g/cm³
- **Relative density** Not determined.
- **Vapour density** Not determined.
- **9.2 Other information**
- **Appearance:**
- **Form:** Fluid
- **Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety.**
- **Ignition temperature:** Not determined.
- **Explosive properties:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.
- **Solvent content:**
- **VOC (EC)** 100 %
- **Molecular weight** 99.13 g/mol
- **Change in condition**
- **Evaporation rate** Not determined.
- **Information with regard to physical hazard classes**
- **Explosives** Void
- **Flammable gases** Void
- **Aerosols** Void
- **Oxidising gases** Void
- **Gases under pressure** Void
- **Flammable liquids** Void
- **Flammable solids** Void
- **Self-reactive substances and mixtures** Void
- **Pyrophoric liquids** Void
- **Pyrophoric solids** Void
- **Self-heating substances and mixtures** Void
- **Substances and mixtures, which emit flammable gases in contact with water** Void
- **Oxidising liquids** Void
- **Oxidising solids** Void
- **Organic peroxides** Void
- **Corrosive to metals** Void
- **Desensitised explosives** Void

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**
Heating.
Warming. A range from approx. 15 Kelvin below the flash point is to be rated as critical.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**
Violent reactions possible with:
strong oxidants
acids
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** Various plastics

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- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** In the event of fire: See chapter 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**
Quantitative data on the toxicological effect of this product are not available.

Components		Type	Value	Species
Oral	LD50		4,150 mg/kg (rat)	
Dermal	LD50		>5,000 mg/kg (rabbit)	
Inhalative	LC50/4 h		>5.1 mg/l (rat)	

- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation** Causes skin irritation.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation** Causes serious eye irritation.
- **After inhalation:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
- **Reproductive toxicity** May damage the unborn child.
- **STOT-single exposure** May cause respiratory irritation.
- **11.2 Information on other hazards**
- **Endocrine disrupting properties** Substance is not listed.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

Type of test	Effective concentration	Method	Assessment
EC50/72 h	>500 mg/l (aquatic plants other than algae)		
EC50/24 h	>1,000 mg/l (Aquatic Invertebrata)		
LC50/96 h	>500 mg/l (fish)		

- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties**
The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.
- **12.7 Other adverse effects**
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Assessment by list): slightly hazardous for water

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Chemicals must be disposed of in compliance with the respective national regulations.
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

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- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:**
Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
Packagings that may not be cleansed are to be disposed of in the same manner as the product.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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| · 14.1 UN number or ID number
· ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.2 UN proper shipping name
· ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)
· ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA
· Class | Void |
| · 14.4 Packing group
· ADR, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.5 Environmental hazards: | Not applicable. |
| · 14.6 Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments | Not applicable. |
| · Transport/Additional information: | Not dangerous according to the above specifications. |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | Void |

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Poisons Act**
- **Regulated explosives precursors** Substance is not listed.
- **Regulated poisons** Substance is not listed.
- **Reportable explosives precursors** Substance is not listed.
- **Reportable poisons** Substance is not listed.
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** Substance is not listed.
- **National regulations:**

Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to UK REACH

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- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

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IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)
DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level (UK REACH)
PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration (UK REACH)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2
Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2
Repr. 1B: Reproductive toxicity – Category 1B
STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3

· *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**

Annex: Exposure scenario 1

- **Short title of the exposure scenario** Use as a reactive processing agent
- **Sector of Use**
 - SU3 Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites
 - SU22 Professional uses: Public domain (administration, education, entertainment, services, craftsmen)
- **Description of the activities / processes covered in the Exposure Scenario**
See section 1 of the annex to the Safety Data Sheet.
- **Conditions of use**
- **Duration and frequency** 5 workdays/week.
- **Physical parameters**
- **Physical state** Fluid
- **Concentration of the substance in the mixture** Raw material.
- **Used amount per time or activity** ≤ 1 tons per day
- **Other operational conditions**
- **Other operational conditions affecting environmental exposure** No special measures required.
- **Other operational conditions affecting worker exposure**
Avoid contact with eyes.
Avoid contact with the skin.
Do not breathe gas/vapour/aerosol.
- **Other operational conditions affecting consumer exposure** No special measures required.
- **Other operational conditions affecting consumer exposure during the use of the product**
Not applicable.
- **Risk management measures**
- **Worker protection**
- **Organisational protective measures** No special measures required.
- **Technical protective measures** Ensure that suitable extractors are available on processing machines
- **Personal protective measures**
Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols.
Avoid contact with the skin.
Avoid contact with the eyes.
Pregnant women should strictly avoid inhalation or skin contact.
Tightly sealed goggles
Filter A-(P2)
In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.
Use suitable respiratory protective device only when aerosol or mist is formed.
Protective gloves
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the

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degradation

- **Measures for consumer protection** Ensure adequate labelling.
- **Environmental protection measures**
- **Water** No special measures required.
- **Disposal measures**
Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
Ensure that waste is collected and contained.
- **Disposal procedures**
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Waste type** Partially emptied and uncleaned packaging
- **Exposure estimation**
- **Worker (dermal)** The calculated value is smaller than the DNEL.
- **Worker (inhalation)** The calculated value is smaller than the DNEL.
- **Consumer** Not relevant for this Exposure Scenario.
- **Guidance for downstream users** No further relevant information available.

Annex: Exposure scenario 2

- **Short title of the exposure scenario** Filling and transferring of substances and mixtures
- **Sector of Use**
SU3 Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites
SU22 Professional uses: Public domain (administration, education, entertainment, services, craftsmen)
- **Description of the activities / processes covered in the Exposure Scenario**
See section 1 of the annex to the Safety Data Sheet.
- **Conditions of use**
- **Duration and frequency** 5 workdays/week.
- **Physical parameters**
- **Physical state** Fluid
- **Concentration of the substance in the mixture** Raw material.
- **Used amount per time or activity** ≤ 1 tons per day
- **Other operational conditions**
- **Other operational conditions affecting environmental exposure** No special measures required.
- **Other operational conditions affecting worker exposure**
Avoid contact with eyes.
Avoid contact with the skin.
Do not breathe gas/vapour/aerosol.
Indoor application.
Outdoor application.
- **Other operational conditions affecting consumer exposure** No special measures required.
- **Other operational conditions affecting consumer exposure during the use of the product**
Not applicable.
- **Risk management measures**
- **Worker protection**
- **Organisational protective measures** No special measures required.
- **Technical protective measures** Ensure that suitable extractors are available on processing machines
- **Personal protective measures**
Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols.
Avoid contact with the skin.
Avoid contact with the eyes.
Pregnant women should strictly avoid inhalation or skin contact.
Tightly sealed goggles
Filter A-(P2)
In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.
Use suitable respiratory protective device only when aerosol or mist is formed.

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Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Measures for consumer protection** Ensure adequate labelling.
- **Environmental protection measures**
- **Water** No special measures required.
- **Disposal measures**
Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
Ensure that waste is collected and contained.
- **Disposal procedures**
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Waste type** Partially emptied and uncleaned packaging
- **Exposure estimation**
- **Worker (dermal)** The calculated value is smaller than the DNEL.
- **Worker (inhalation)** The highest inhalative exposure to be expected is 17.3479 ppm.
- **Consumer** Not relevant for this Exposure Scenario.
- **Guidance for downstream users** No further relevant information available.

Annex: Exposure scenario 3

- **Short title of the exposure scenario** Use in laboratories
- **Sector of Use**
SU3 Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites
SU22 Professional uses: Public domain (administration, education, entertainment, services, craftsmen)
- **Description of the activities / processes covered in the Exposure Scenario**
See section 1 of the annex to the Safety Data Sheet.
- **Conditions of use**
- **Duration and frequency** 5 workdays/week.
- **Physical parameters**
- **Physical state** Fluid
- **Concentration of the substance in the mixture** Raw material.
- **Used amount per time or activity** ≤ 1 tons per day
- **Other operational conditions**
- **Other operational conditions affecting environmental exposure** No special measures required.
- **Other operational conditions affecting worker exposure**
Avoid contact with eyes.
Avoid contact with the skin.
Do not breathe gas/vapour/aerosol.
Indoor application.
- **Other operational conditions affecting consumer exposure** No special measures required.
- **Other operational conditions affecting consumer exposure during the use of the product**
Not applicable.
- **Risk management measures**
- **Worker protection**
- **Organisational protective measures** No special measures required.
- **Technical protective measures** Ensure that suitable extractors are available on processing machines
- **Personal protective measures**
Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols.
Avoid contact with the skin.
Avoid contact with the eyes.
Pregnant women should strictly avoid inhalation or skin contact.
Tightly sealed goggles
Filter A-(P2)
In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer

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exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

Use suitable respiratory protective device only when aerosol or mist is formed.

Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Measures for consumer protection** Ensure adequate labelling.

- **Environmental protection measures**

- **Water** No special measures required.

- **Disposal measures**

Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Ensure that waste is collected and contained.

- **Disposal procedures**

Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

- **Waste type** Partially emptied and uncleaned packaging

- **Exposure estimation**

- **Worker (dermal)** The calculated value is smaller than the DNEL.

- **Worker (inhalation)** The calculated value is smaller than the DNEL.

- **Consumer** Not relevant for this Exposure Scenario.

- **Guidance for downstream users** No further relevant information available.

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