

# **Diethyl Sulfide**

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

**Product information** 

Trade name : Diethyl Sulfide

Material : 1017947, 1024545, 1024826

Use : Sulfiding Chemical

Company : Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LP

Specialty Chemicals 10001 Six Pines Drive The Woodlands, TX 77380

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Responsible Department : Product Safety and Toxicology Group

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## **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### **Emergency Overview**

Form: Liquid Physical state: Liquid Color: Clear Odor: Pungent, garlic-like

OSHA Hazards : Flammable Liquid, Moderate eye irritant

**GHS Classification** 

: Flammable liquids, Category 2 Eye irritation, Category 2

Chronic aquatic toxicity, Category 3

**GHS-Labeling** 

Symbol(s) :





Signal Word : Danger

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Hazard Statements : H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

H319: Causes serious eye irritation.

H412: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements : Prevention:

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 dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280: Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye

protection/ face protection.

Response:

P301 + P310: IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON

CENTER or doctor/ physician.

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

P304 + P340: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and

keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

P312: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you

feel unwell.

P331: Do NOT induce vomiting.

P370 + P378: In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or

alcohol-resistant foam for extinction.

Storage:

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

tightly closed.

P403 + P235: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

P405: Store locked up.

Disposal:

P501: Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste

disposal plant.

Carcinogenicity:

IARC No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed

human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen

by NTP.

ACGIH No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen

by ACGIH.

#### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

Synonyms : Diethyl sulfide

1,1'-Thiobisethane

DES

3-thiapentane

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> Diethyl thioether Ethylthioethane

Molecular formula C4H10S

Component	CAS-No.	Weight %
Diethyl Sulfide	352-93-2	97 - 100

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

General advice Move out of dangerous area. Show this material safety data

> sheet to the doctor in attendance. Material may produce a serious, potentially fatal pneumonia if swallowed or vomited.

If inhaled Consult a physician after significant exposure. If unconscious

place in recovery position and seek medical advice.

If on skin, rinse well with water. If on clothes, remove clothes. In case of skin contact

In case of eye contact : Flush eyes with water as a precaution. Remove contact

> lenses. Protect unharmed eye. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

Keep respiratory tract clear. Do NOT induce vomiting. Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If symptoms persist, call a

physician. Take victim immediately to hospital.

#### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

If swallowed

Flash point -10 - -4 °C (14 - 25 °F) at 100.4 kPa

189 - 199 °C (372 - 390 °F) Autoignition temperature

at 101.45 - 102.39 kPa

Suitable extinguishing

media

: Alcohol-resistant foam. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry chemical.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: High volume water jet.

Specific hazards during fire

fighting

: Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water

courses.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

: Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if

necessary.

Further information : Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This

must not be discharged into drains. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations. For safety reasons in case

of fire, cans should be stored separately in closed containments. Use a water spray to cool fully closed

containers.

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Fire and explosion protection

: Do not spray on an open flame or any other incandescent material. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapors). Use only explosion-proof equipment. Keep away from open flames,

hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

Hazardous decomposition

products

: Carbon oxides. Sulfur oxides.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

Personal precautions : Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate

ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapors accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapors can accumulate in low

areas.

Environmental precautions : Prevent product from entering drains. Prevent further leakage

or spillage if safe to do so. If the product contaminates rivers

and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.

Methods for cleaning up : Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible

absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to

local / national regulations (see section 13).

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### Handling

Advice on safe handling : Avoid formation of aerosol. Do not breathe vapors/dust. Avoid

exposure - obtain special instructions before use. For personal protection see section 8. Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Open drum carefully as content may be under pressure. Dispose of rinse water in accordance with local and national regulations. NORMS based

Radon, a radioactive gas, may be present as a trace component in natural gas, natural gas liquids and

petrochemicals derived from natural gas. Special precautions should be taken when entering or dismantling equipment in this type of service. Equipment should be checked externally while in service for gamma radiation above background levels. This equipment may contain internal surface deposits of radioactive radon decay products. Minimize unnecessary exposures to these radioactive deposits. Exposures can be reduced by

allowing a 4 hour idle (no flow) period before entering or dismantling equipment. During this time the short lived decay products will decay. Longer lived radio nuclides (Pb-210, Bi-210 and Po-210) may be present. Avoid direct skin contact with deposits of radioactivity on surfaces. Avoid generation of dust, smoke or fumes in the work area or if they cannot be avoided, wear a tested and certified respirator for radioactive dusts. Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited when working with this equipment. Employees should wash

thoroughly with soap and water and discard contaminated

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clothing after entering or handling equipment having radioactive deposits.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Do not spray on an open flame or any other incandescent material. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapors). Use only explosion-proof equipment. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

## Storage

Requirements for storage areas and containers

No smoking. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Observe label precautions. Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the technological safety standards.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### **Engineering measures**

Adequate ventilation to control airborned concentrations below the exposure guidelines/limits. Consider the potential hazards of this material (see Section 2), applicable exposure limits, job activities, and other substances in the work place when designing engineering controls and selecting personal protective equipment. If engineering controls or work practices are not adequate to prevent exposure to harmful levels of this material, the personal protective equipment listed below is recommended. The user should read and understand all instructions and limitations supplied with the equipment since protection is usually provided for a limited time or under certain circumstances.

#### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : Wear a supplied-air NIOSH approved respirator unless

ventilation or other engineering controls are adequate to maintain minimal oxygen content of 19.5% by volume under normal atmospheric pressure. Wear a NIOSH approved respirator that provides protection when working with this material if exposure to harmful levels of airborne material may occur, such as:. Air-Purifying Respirator for Organic Vapors. Use a positive pressure, air-supplying respirator if there is potential for uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known, or other circumstances where air-purifying respirators

may not provide adequate protection.

Hand protection : The suitability for a specific workplace should be discussed

with the producers of the protective gloves. Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. Also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion, and the contact time. Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough.

Eye protection : Eye wash bottle with pure water. Tightly fitting safety goggles.

Skin and body protection : Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Wear as appropriate:. Flame retardant antistatic protective

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clothing. Workers should wear antistatic footwear.

Hygiene measures : When using do not eat or drink. When using do not smoke.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

Form : Liquid
Physical state : Liquid
Color : Clear

Odor : Pungent, garlic-like

Safety data

Flash point : -10 - -4 °C (14 - 25 °F) at 100.4 kPa

Lower explosion limit : No data available

Upper explosion limit : No data available

Oxidizing properties : no

Autoignition temperature : 189 - 199 °C (372 - 390 °F)

at 101.45 - 102.39 kPa

Molecular formula : C4H10S

Molecular Weight : 90.2 g/mol

pH : No data available

Pour point : No data available

Melting point/range -103.9 °C (-155.0 °F)

at 103.25 hPa

Boiling point/boiling range : 92.1 °C (197.8 °F)

Vapor pressure : 10.00 kPa

at 30.3 °C (86.5 °F)

Density : 0.84 g/cm3

at 20 °C (68 °F)

Water solubility : 3.07 g/l

at 25 °C (77 °F)

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: log Pow: 1.95

Solubility in other solvents : Negligible

Viscosity, dynamic : 0.422 mPa.s

at 20 °C (68 °F)

Relative vapor density : 3.1

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(Air = 1.0)

Evaporation rate : No data available

Percent volatile : > 99 %

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

Chemical stability : This material is considered stable under normal ambient and

anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature

and pressure.

## Possibility of hazardous reactions

Conditions to avoid : Heat, flames and sparks.

Other data : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

**Acute oral toxicity** 

Diethyl Sulfide : LD50: > 5,000 mg/kg

Species: rat

Sex: male and female

Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

Information given is based on data obtained from similar

substances.

Acute inhalation toxicity

Diethyl Sulfide : LC50: 102 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Species: rat

Sex: male and female

Method: OECD Test Guideline 403

Information given is based on data obtained from similar

substances.

**Acute dermal toxicity** 

Diethyl Sulfide : LD50: > 2,000 mg/kg

Sex: male and female

Method: OECD Test Guideline 402

Information given is based on data obtained from similar

substances.

Skin irritation

Diethyl Sulfide : slight irritation. Information given is based on data obtained

from similar substances.

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Diethyl Sulfide : Irritating to eyes.

Information given is based on data obtained from similar

substances.

Sensitization

Diethyl Sulfide : Does not cause skin sensitization.

Information given is based on data obtained from similar

substances.

Repeated dose toxicity

Diethyl Sulfide : Species: rat, male and female

Sex: male and female

Application Route: oral gavage Dose: 0, 2.5, 25, 250 mg/kg/bw/d

Exposure time: 14 wk

Number of exposures: 7 d/wk Method: OCED Guideline 408 No adverse effects expected

Information given is based on data obtained from similar

substances.

**Developmental Toxicity** 

Diethyl Sulfide : Species: rat

Application Route: oral gavage Dose: 100, 500, 1000 mg/kg/d Exposure time: GD 6 -19 Number of exposures: Daily

Test period: 20 d

Method: OECD Guideline 414 NOAEL Teratogenicity: 1,000 mg/kg NOAEL Maternal: 1,000 mg/kg No adverse effects expected

Information given is based on data obtained from similar

substances.

Diethyl Sulfide Aspiration toxicity

: May be harmful if swallowed and enters airways.

**CMR** effects

Diethyl Sulfide : Carcinogenicity: Not available

Mutagenicity: Tests on bacterial or mammalian cell cultures

did not show mutagenic effects.

Teratogenicity: Animal testing did not show any effects on

fetal development.

Reproductive toxicity: Not available

Diethyl Sulfide Further information

: Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting. Concentrations substantially

above the TLV value may cause narcotic effects. Solvents

may degrease the skin.

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Toxicity to fish

Diethyl Sulfide : LC50: > 49.8 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Species: Danio rerio (Zebra Fish)

semi-static test Method: OECD Test Guideline 203

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

Diethyl Sulfide : EC50: 17 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h

Species: Daphnia magna (Water flea)

static test Information given is based on data obtained from

similar substances.

Toxicity to algae

Diethyl Sulfide : EC50: 38 mg/l

Exposure time: 72 h

Species: Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)

Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

Information given is based on data obtained from similar

substances.

M-Factor

diethyl sulphide : 1

Toxicity to bacteria

Diethyl Sulfide : EC50: > 1,000 mg/l

Exposure time: 3 h
Respiration inhibition

Method: OECD Test Guideline 209

Biodegradability

Diethyl Sulfide : aerobic

Result: Not readily biodegradable.

41 %

Testing period: 28 d

Method: OECD Test Guideline 301D

Information given is based on data obtained from similar

substances.

**Results of PBT assessment** 

Diethyl Sulfide : Non-classified PBT substance, Non-classified vPvB substance

Additional ecological

information

: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

The information in this MSDS pertains only to the product as shipped.

Use material for its intended purpose or recycle if possible. This material, if it must be discarded, may meet the criteria of a hazardous waste as defined by US EPA under RCRA (40 CFR 261) or other State and local regulations. Measurement of certain physical properties and analysis for regulated components may be necessary to make a correct determination. If this material is classified as a hazardous waste, federal law requires disposal at a licensed hazardous waste disposal facility.

Product : Do not dispose of waste into sewer. Do not contaminate

ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container.

Send to a licensed waste management company.

Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents. Dispose of as unused product.

Do not re-use empty containers. Do not burn, or use a cutting

torch on, the empty drum.

#### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

The shipping descriptions shown here are for bulk shipments only, and may not apply to shipments in non-bulk packages (see regulatory definition).

Consult the appropriate domestic or international mode-specific and quantity-specific Dangerous Goods Regulations for additional shipping description requirements (e.g., technical name or names, etc.) Therefore, the information shown here, may not always agree with the bill of lading shipping description for the material. Flashpoints for the material may vary slightly between the MSDS and the bill of lading.

#### **US DOT (UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION)**

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## **IMO / IMDG (INTERNATIONAL MARITIME DANGEROUS GOODS)**

UN2375, DIETHYL SULPHIDE, 3, II, (-10 - -4 °C)

## IATA (INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION)

UN2375, DIETHYL SULPHIDE, 3, II

## ADR (AGREEMENT ON DANGEROUS GOODS BY ROAD (EUROPE))

UN2375, DIETHYL SULPHIDE, 3, II, (D/E)

# RID (REGULATIONS CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS (EUROPE))

UN2375, DIETHYL SULPHIDE, 3, II

# ADN (EUROPEAN AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY INLAND WATERWAYS)

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#### Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

## **National legislation**

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Fire Hazard

**CERCLA Reportable** 

Quantity

: This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA

RQ.

SARA 302 Reportable

Quantity

: This material does not contain any components with a SARA

302 RQ.

SARA 302 Threshold

Planning Quantity

: SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the

reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 304 Reportable

Quantity

: This material does not contain any components with a section

304 EHS RQ.

SARA 313 Ingredients : SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical

components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA

Title III, Section 313.

## Clean Air Act

Ozone-Depletion Potential

: This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR

82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air

Act Section 12 (40 CFR 61).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCMI Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489).

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Pennsylvania Right To Know

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New Jersey Right To Know

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California Prop. 65

Ingredients

: This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State

of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive

defects.

**Notification status** 

Europe REACH : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Notification number: 01-2119971585-25-000

United States of America TSCA : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Canada DSL : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory Australia AICS : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory New Zealand NZIoC : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Japan ENCS : Not in compliance with the inventory

Korea KECI : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory Philippines PICCS : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory China IECSC : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

NFPA Classification : Health Hazard: 1

Fire Hazard: 3 Reactivity Hazard: 0



#### **Further information**

Legacy MSDS Number : 46750

Significant changes since the last version are highlighted in the margin. This version replaces all previous versions.

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Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet			
ACGIH	American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists	LD50	Lethal Dose 50%
AICS	Australia, Inventory of Chemical Substances	LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
DSL	Canada, Domestic Substances List	NFPA	National Fire Protection Agency
NDSL	Canada, Non-Domestic Substances List	NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety & Health
CNS	Central Nervous System	NTP	National Toxicology Program
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service	NZIoC	New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals
EC50	Effective Concentration	NOAEL	No Observable Adverse Effect Level
EC50	Effective Concentration 50%	NOEC	No Observed Effect Concentration
EGEST	EOSCA Generic Exposure Scenario Tool	OSHA	Occupational Safety & Health Administration
EOSCA	European Oilfield Specialty Chemicals Association	PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
EINECS	European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances	PICCS	Philippines Inventory of Commercial Chemical Substances
MAK	Germany Maximum Concentration Values	PRNT	Presumed Not Toxic
GHS	Globally Harmonized System	RCRA	Resource Conservation Recovery Act
>=	Greater Than or Equal To	STEL	Short-term Exposure Limit
IC50	Inhibition Concentration 50%	SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act.
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	TLV	Threshold Limit Value
IECSC	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China	TWA	Time Weighted Average
ENCS	Japan, Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances	TSCA	Toxic Substance Control Act
KECI	Korea, Existing Chemical Inventory	UVCB	Unknown or Variable Composition, Complex Reaction Products, and Biological Materials
<=	Less Than or Equal To	WHMIS	Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System
LC50	Lethal Concentration 50%		

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