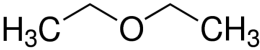


SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form	: Substance
Trade name	: DIETHYL ETHER SPECIALLY DRIED
IUPAC name	: Ethoxyethane
EC Index-No.	: 603-022-00-4
EC-No.	: 200-467-2
CAS-No.	: 60-29-7
Product code	: 0104A
Type of product	: Solvents
Formula	: C ₄ H ₁₀ O
Chemical structure	: 
Synonyms	: Dether; Ethyl ether; Ethyl oxide; 3-Oxapentane; Ethoxyethane; Diethyl oxide; Solvent ether; Sulphuric ether; Vitriolic ether

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Use of the substance/mixture	: Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances
Use of the substance/mixture	: Solvents Laboratory chemicals Manufacture of substances

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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107 Wode House Road, Jehangir Villa, Colaba
400005 Mumbai
INDIA
T +91 22 6663 6663 - F +91 22 6663 6699
info@lobachemie.com - www.lobachemie.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : + 91 22 6663 6663 (9:00am - 6:00 pm)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Flammable liquids, Category 1	H224
Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4	H302
Specific target organ toxicity – Single exposure, Category 3, Narcosis	H336
Full text of H- and EUH-statements: see section 16	

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

Extremely flammable liquid and vapour. May cause drowsiness or dizziness. Harmful if swallowed.

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2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP)



GHS02

GHS07

Signal word (CLP)

: Danger

Hazard statements (CLP)

: H224 - Extremely flammable liquid and vapour.
H302 - Harmful if swallowed.
H336 - May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

Precautionary statements (CLP)

: P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P233 - Keep container tightly closed.
P241 - Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.
P261 - Avoid breathing dust, fume, gas, mist, spray, vapours.
P301+P312 - IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor if you feel unwell.

EUH-statements

: EUH019 - May form explosive peroxides.
EUH066 - Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

2.3. Other hazards

Contains no PBT/vPvB substances $\geq 0.1\%$ assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent
Name : DIETHYL ETHER
CAS-No. : 60-29-7
EC-No. : 200-467-2
EC Index-No. : 603-022-00-4

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.
First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
First-aid measures after skin contact : Rinse skin with water/shower. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/effects : May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Harmful if swallowed.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide. Dry powder. Foam. Water spray.
Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard : Extremely flammable liquid and vapour.
Explosion hazard : May form flammable/explosive vapour-air mixture. Heat may build pressure, rupturing closed containers, spreading fire and increasing risk of burns and injuries. May form explosive peroxides.
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : DO NOT fight fire when fire reaches explosives. Evacuate area.
Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Remove ignition sources. Use special care to avoid static electric charges. No open flames. No smoking.

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. Evacuate unnecessary personnel. No open flames, no sparks, and no smoking. Avoid breathing dust, fume, gas, mist, spray, vapours.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Use personal protective equipment as required. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".
Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material. On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Collect spillage. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.
Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed : Handle empty containers with care because residual vapours are flammable. Hazardous waste due to potential risk of explosion.

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Precautions for safe handling	: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Use only non-sparking tools. Do not breathe vapours. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Flammable vapours may accumulate in the container. Use explosion-proof equipment. Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing dust, fume, gas, mist, spray, vapours.
Hygiene measures	: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Always wash hands after handling the product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures	: Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed.
Storage conditions	: Keep in fireproof place. Keep container tightly closed. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Store locked up.
Incompatible products	: Oxidizing agent.
Incompatible materials	: Heat sources.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

No additional information available

8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

No additional information available

8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or safety glasses

8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Hand protection:

Protective gloves

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8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

Wear appropriate mask

8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Environmental exposure controls:

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Clear liquid.
Molecular mass	: 74.12 g/mol
Colour	: Colourless.
Odour	: sweet ethereal odour.
Odour threshold	: 0.83 ppm
pH	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: 37.5
Melting point	: Not applicable
Freezing point	: -116 °C
Boiling point	: 34.6 °C
Flash point	: -40 °C
Auto-ignition temperature	: 175 °C
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Flammable Extremely flammable liquid and vapour, Not applicable
Vapour pressure	: 563 hPa at 20°C
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: 2.6
Relative density	: No data available
Density	: 0.713 – 0.715 g/cm ³ at 20 °C
Solubility	: Water: 65 g/l at 20°C
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: May form explosive peroxides.
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Lower explosive limit (LEL)	: 1.7 vol %
Upper explosive limit (UEL)	: 36 vol %

9.2. Other information

Refractive index : 1.351 – 1.353 (20°C, 589 nm)

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Extremely flammable liquid and vapour.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions. May form explosive peroxides.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts vigorously with strong oxidizers and acids.

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10.4. Conditions to avoid

Sparks. Heat. Open flame. Avoid contact with hot surfaces. No flames, no sparks. Eliminate all sources of ignition.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agent.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

May release flammable gases. May form explosive peroxides.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Harmful if swallowed.
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified
Additional information	: Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Harmful if swallowed.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general	: The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms nor to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute)	: Not classified
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic)	: Not classified

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

12.6. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

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SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods	: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	: Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation.
Additional information	: Handle empty containers with care because residual vapours are flammable. Hazardous waste due to potential risk of explosion. Flammable vapours may accumulate in the container.

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

14.1 UN number

UN-No. (ADR)	: UN 1155
UN-No. (IMDG)	: UN 1155
UN-No. (IATA)	: UN 1155
UN-No. (ADN)	: UN 1155
UN-No. (RID)	: UN 1155

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (ADR)	: DIETHYL ETHER (ETHYL ETHER)
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG)	: DIETHYL ETHER (ETHYL ETHER)
Proper Shipping Name (IATA)	: Diethyl ether
Proper Shipping Name (ADN)	: DIETHYL ETHER (ETHYL ETHER)
Proper Shipping Name (RID)	: DIETHYL ETHER (ETHYL ETHER)
Transport document description (ADR)	: UN 1155 DIETHYL ETHER (ETHYL ETHER), 3, I, (D/E)
Transport document description (IMDG)	: UN 1155 DIETHYL ETHER (ETHYL ETHER), 3, I (-40°C c.c.)
Transport document description (IATA)	: UN 1155 Diethyl ether, 3, I
Transport document description (ADN)	: UN 1155 DIETHYL ETHER (ETHYL ETHER), 3, I
Transport document description (RID)	: UN 1155 DIETHYL ETHER (ETHYL ETHER), 3, I

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR)	: 3
Danger labels (ADR)	: 3
:	:



IMDG

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG)	: 3
Danger labels (IMDG)	: 3
:	:



IATA

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA)	: 3
Danger labels (IATA)	: 3
:	:



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ADN

Transport hazard class(es) (ADN) : 3
Danger labels (ADN) : 3
:



RID

Transport hazard class(es) (RID) : 3
Danger labels (RID) : 3
:



14.4. Packing group

Packing group (ADR) : I
Packing group (IMDG) : I
Packing group (IATA) : I
Packing group (ADN) : I
Packing group (RID) : I

14.5. Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment : No
Marine pollutant : No
Other information : No supplementary information available

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Classification code (ADR) : F1
Limited quantities (ADR) : 0
Excepted quantities (ADR) : E3
Packing instructions (ADR) : P001
Mixed packing provisions (ADR) : MP7, MP17
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (ADR) : T11
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (ADR) : TP2
Tank code (ADR) : L4BN
Vehicle for tank carriage : FL
Transport category (ADR) : 1
Special provisions for carriage - Operation (ADR) : S2, S20
Hazard identification number (Kemler No.) : 33
Orange plates :



Tunnel restriction code (ADR) : D/E
EAC code : •3YE

Transport by sea

Limited quantities (IMDG) : 0
Excepted quantities (IMDG) : E3
Packing instructions (IMDG) : P001
Tank instructions (IMDG) : T11
Tank special provisions (IMDG) : TP2
EmS-No. (Fire) : F-E
EmS-No. (Spillage) : S-D

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Stowage category (IMDG)	: E
Stowage and handling (IMDG)	: SW2
Flash point (IMDG)	: -40°C c.c.
Properties and observations (IMDG)	: Colourless, volatile and mobile liquid with a pleasant aromatic odour. Flashpoint: -40°C c.c. Explosive limits: 1.7% to 48%. Boiling point: 34°C. Immiscible with water. In the presence of oxygen or on long standing or exposure to sunlight, unstable peroxides sometimes form; these may explode spontaneously or when heated. Strongly narcotic. Readily ignited by static electricity.
MFAG-No	: 127

Air transport

PCA Excepted quantities (IATA)	: E3
PCA Limited quantities (IATA)	: Forbidden
PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA)	: Forbidden
PCA packing instructions (IATA)	: 351
PCA max net quantity (IATA)	: 1L
CAO packing instructions (IATA)	: 361
CAO max net quantity (IATA)	: 30L
ERG code (IATA)	: 3AH

Inland waterway transport

Classification code (ADN)	: F1
Limited quantities (ADN)	: 0
Excepted quantities (ADN)	: E3
Carriage permitted (ADN)	: T
Equipment required (ADN)	: PP, EX, A
Ventilation (ADN)	: VE01
Number of blue cones/lights (ADN)	: 1

Rail transport

Classification code (RID)	: F1
Limited quantities (RID)	: 0
Excepted quantities (RID)	: E3
Packing instructions (RID)	: P001
Mixed packing provisions (RID)	: MP7, MP17
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (RID)	: T11
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (RID)	: TP2
Tank codes for RID tanks (RID)	: L4BN
Transport category (RID)	: 1
Hazard identification number (RID)	: 33

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)

EU restriction list (REACH Annex XVII)	
Reference code	Applicable on
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3(b)	DIETHYL ETHER SPECIALLY DRIED
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REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

DIETHYL ETHER SPECIALLY DRIED is not on the REACH Annex XIV List

REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

DIETHYL ETHER SPECIALLY DRIED is not on the REACH Candidate List

PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

DIETHYL ETHER SPECIALLY DRIED is not subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.

POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

DIETHYL ETHER SPECIALLY DRIED is not subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants

Ozone Regulation (1005/2009)

DIETHYL ETHER is not subject to REGULATION (EU) No 1005/2009 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 September 2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer.

Explosives Precursors Regulation (2019/1148)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) 2019/1148 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors.

Drug Precursors Regulation (273/2004)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Drug Precursors list (Regulation EC 273/2004 on drug precursors)

15.1.2. National regulations

France

Occupational diseases	
Code	Description
RG 84	Conditions caused by liquid organic solvents for professional use: saturated or unsaturated aliphatic or cyclic liquid hydrocarbons and mixtures thereof; liquid halogenated hydrocarbons; nitrated derivatives of aliphatic hydrocarbons; alcohols; glycols, glycol ethers; ketones; aldehydes; aliphatic and cyclic ethers, including tetrahydrofuran; esters; dimethylformamide and dimethylacetamine; acetonitrile and propionitrile; pyridine; dimethylsulfone and dimethylsulfoxide

Germany

- Water hazard class (WGK) : WGK 1, Slightly hazardous to water (Classification according to AwSV; ID No. 80).
- Chemicals Prohibition Ordinance (ChemVerbotsV) : This product is subject to ChemVerbotsV Annex 2 Entry 2. The following requirement must be observed: Basic requirements for the implementation of the submission (according to § 8 paragraph 1, 3 and 4).
- Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV) : Is not subject of the Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)

Netherlands

- SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen : The substance is not listed
- SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen : The substance is not listed
- SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Borstvoeding : The substance is not listed
- SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Vruchtbaarheid : The substance is not listed
- SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Ontwikkeling : The substance is not listed

Denmark

- Class for fire hazard : Class I-1
- Store unit : 1 liter
- Classification remarks : F+ <Flam. Liq. 1>; Emergency management guidelines for the storage of flammable liquids must be followed
- Danish National Regulations : Young people below the age of 18 years are not allowed to use the product

Switzerland

- Storage class (LK) : LK 3 - Flammable liquids

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15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
ATE	Acute Toxicity Estimate
BCF	Bioconcentration factor
BLV	Biological limit value
BOD	Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)
COD	Chemical oxygen demand (COD)
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect level
DNEL	Derived-No Effect Level
EC-No.	European Community number
EC50	Median effective concentration
EN	European Standard
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
LC50	Median lethal concentration
LD50	Median lethal dose
LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOAEC	No-Observed Adverse Effect Concentration
NOAEL	No-Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOEC	No-Observed Effect Concentration
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
STP	Sewage treatment plant
ThOD	Theoretical oxygen demand (ThOD)
TLM	Median Tolerance Limit
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds
CAS-No.	Chemical Abstract Service number
N.O.S.	Not Otherwise Specified
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative
ED	Endocrine disrupting properties

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Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4
EUH019	May form explosive peroxides.
EUH066	Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
Flam. Liq. 1	Flammable liquids, Category 1
H224	Extremely flammable liquid and vapour.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity – Single exposure, Category 3, Narcosis

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This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.