

**SAFETY DATA SHEET**

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name : Glutardialdehyde solution 25%

Product Number : 1.12179

Catalogue No. : 112179

Brand : Millipore

REACH No. : This product is a mixture. REACH Registration Number see section 3.

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

Identified uses : In vitro diagnostic reagent, Reagent for analysis

Uses advised against : This product is not intended for consumer use. This product is not intended for consumer use.

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

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001-803-017-9114 (CHEMTREC India)

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332

Skin corrosion (Sub-category 1B), H314

Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

Respiratory sensitization (Category 1), H334

Skin sensitization (Category 1), H317

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 1), H400

Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard (Category 2), H411



For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## 2.2 Label elements

### Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Pictogram



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H302 + H332

Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled.

H314

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H317

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H334

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

H335

May cause respiratory irritation.

H410

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P273

Avoid release to the environment.

P280

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

P301 + P312

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell.

P303 + P361 + P353

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.

P304 + P340 + P310

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P305 + P351 + P338

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

Supplemental Hazard information (EU)

EUH071

Corrosive to the respiratory tract.

### Reduced Labeling (<= 125 ml)

Pictogram



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H334

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

H317

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H314

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statement(s)

P280

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

P303 + P361 + P353

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.

P304 + P340 + P310

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P305 + P351 + P338

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



Supplemental Hazard information (EU)  
EUH071 Corrosive to the respiratory tract.

### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2 Mixtures

Component		Classification	Concentration
<b>Glutaraldehyde</b> Included in the Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH)			
CAS-No.	111-30-8	Acute Tox. 3; Acute Tox. 2; Skin Corr. 1B; Eye Dam. 1; Resp. Sens. 1; Skin Sens. 1A; STOT SE 3; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 2; H301, H330, H314, H318, H334, H317, H335, H400, H411 Concentration limits: ≥ 0,5 %: STOT SE 3, H335; M-Factor - Aquatic Acute: 1	≥ 25 - < 30 %
EC-No.	203-856-5		
Index-No.	605-022-00-X*		

\*A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its use are exempted from registration according to Article 2 REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

#### General advice

First aiders need to protect themselves. Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air. Immediately call in physician. If breathing stops: immediately apply artificial respiration, if necessary also oxygen.

#### In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Call a physician immediately.

#### In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.



**If swallowed**

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most), avoid vomiting (risk of perforation). Call a physician immediately. Do not attempt to neutralise.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

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**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****5.1 Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing media**

Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) Dry powder

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

**5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Carbon oxides

Mixture with combustible ingredients.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

**5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

**5.4 Further information**

Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

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**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.  
For personal protection see section 8.

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

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

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

**6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

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**SECTION 7: Handling and storage****7.1 Precautions for safe handling****Advice on safe handling**

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapours/aerosols.

### **Hygiene measures**

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

For precautions see section 2.2.

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

### **Storage conditions**

Tightly closed. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

### **Storage class**

Storage class (TRGS 510): 8A: Combustible, corrosive hazardous materials

## **7.3 Specific end use(s)**

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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

### **8.1 Control parameters**

#### **Ingredients with workplace control parameters**

### **8.2 Exposure controls**

#### **Personal protective equipment**

##### **Eye/face protection**

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Tightly fitting safety goggles

##### **Skin protection**

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0,40 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Camatril® (KCL 730 / Aldrich Z677442, Size M)

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Splash contact

Material: Latex gloves

Minimum layer thickness: 0,6 mm

Break through time: 240 min

Material tested: Lapren® (KCL 706 / Aldrich Z677558, Size M)



**Body Protection**  
protective clothing

**Respiratory protection**

Recommended Filter type: Filter A (acc. to DIN 3181) for vapours of organic compounds

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

**Control of environmental exposure**

Do not let product enter drains.

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**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

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

a) Physical state	liquid
b) Color	colorless
c) Odor	characteristic
d) Melting point/freezing point	Melting point: -6 °C
e) Initial boiling point and boiling range	100,5 °C at 1.013 hPa
f) Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
g) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
h) Flash point	Not applicable
i) Autoignition temperature	No data available
j) Decomposition temperature	No data available
k) pH	> 3,0 at 20 °C
l) Viscosity	Viscosity, kinematic: No data available Viscosity, dynamic: No data available
m) Water solubility	at 20 °C soluble
n) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
o) Vapor pressure	0,27 hPa at 20 °C
p) Density	1,06 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C
Relative density	No data available
q) Relative vapor density	No data available



- r) Particle characteristics No data available
- s) Explosive properties Not classified as explosive.
- t) Oxidizing properties none

## 9.2 Other safety information

Relative vapor density 0,8

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:

Amines

Strong oxidizing agents

Strong acids

Strong bases

Violent reactions possible with:

The generally known reaction partners of water.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Strong heating.

no information available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Aluminum, various metals

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Mixture

#### Acute toxicity

Acute toxicity estimate Oral - 800 mg/kg  
(Calculation method)

Symptoms: If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach.

Acute toxicity estimate Inhalation - 4 h - 1,12 mg/l - dust/mist(Calculation method)

Symptoms: Possible symptoms:, mucosal irritations, Cough, Shortness of breath, Possible damages:, damage of respiratory tract

Dermal: No data available



**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Remarks: Mixture causes burns.

Remarks: Mixture causes burns.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Remarks: Mixture causes serious eye damage.

Risk of blindness!

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

Mixture may cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Mixture may cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No data available

**Carcinogenicity**

No data available

**Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

Mixture may cause respiratory irritation.

Mixture may cause respiratory irritation.

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available

**11.2 Additional Information****Endocrine disrupting properties****Product:**

Assessment

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Components****Glutaraldehyde****Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 200 mg/kg (US-EPA)

Symptoms: If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach.





Acute toxicity estimate Oral - 200 mg/kg  
(ATE value derived from LD50/LC50 value)  
LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - 0,28 mg/l - dust/mist  
(OECD Test Guideline 403)  
Symptoms: mucosal irritations, Cough, Shortness of breath, Possible damages:,  
damage of respiratory tract  
Acute toxicity estimate Inhalation - 0,28 mg/l - dust/mist  
(ATE value derived from LD50/LC50 value)  
LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - male and female - > 1.000 mg/kg  
(US-EPA)

#### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - Rabbit  
Result: Corrosive - 4 h  
(OECD Test Guideline 404)  
Remarks: (50% solution)  
Remarks: (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)

#### **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Eyes - Rabbit  
Result: Irreversible effects on the eye  
(Draize Test)  
Remarks: (50% solution)  
Remarks: Causes serious eye damage.

#### **Respiratory or skin sensitization**

May cause allergic respiratory and skin reactions Chronic exposure may cause  
dermatitis. largely based on human evidence

#### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

Test Type: Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.  
Test system: Chinese hamster lung cells  
Result: positive  
Remarks: (50% solution)  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 486  
Species: Rat - male - Liver cells  
Result: negative  
Remarks: (50% solution)

#### **Carcinogenicity**

This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its  
carcinogenicity based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

#### **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

#### **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

May cause respiratory irritation. - Respiratory system  
Remarks: Classified according to Regulation (EU) 1272/2008, Annex VI (Table  
3.1/3.2)  
Acute oral toxicity - If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a  
danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach.  
Acute inhalation toxicity - mucosal irritations, Cough, Shortness of breath, Possible  
damages:, damage of respiratory tract

#### **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available



**Aspiration hazard**  
No data available

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

**Mixture**

No data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

### 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

**Product:**

Assessment : The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

### 12.7 Other adverse effects

Biological effects:

Bactericidal effect.

Forms toxic mixtures in water, dilution measures notwithstanding.

When discharged properly, no impairments in the function of adapted biological wastewater treatment plants are to be expected.

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

#### Components

**Glutaraldehyde**

Toxicity to fish static test LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 0,8 mg/l - 96 h (US-EPA)

Toxicity to algae static test ErC50 - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - 0,6 mg/l - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201)

Toxicity to bacteria



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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

See [www.retrologistik.com](http://www.retrologistik.com) for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 1760

IMDG: 1760

IATA: 1760

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Glutaraldehyde)

IMDG: CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Glutaraldehyde)

IATA: Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (Glutaraldehyde)

### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 8

IMDG: 8

IATA: 8

### 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: II

IMDG: II

IATA: II

### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: yes

IMDG Marine pollutant: yes

IATA: no

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

Tunnel restriction code : (E)

Further information : No data available

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

#### Authorisations and/or restrictions on use

REACH - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation (Article 59) : Glutaraldehyde

#### National legislation

Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances : ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

#### Other regulations

Observe work restrictions regarding maternity protection in accordance to Dir 92/85/EEC or stricter national regulations where applicable.

Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work.

### 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out



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## SECTION 16: Other information

### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

EUH071	Corrosive to the respiratory tract.
H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H302	
H302 + H332	Harmful if swallowed.
H314	Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled.
H317	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H330	Causes serious eye damage.
H332	Fatal if inhaled.
H334	Toxic if swallowed.
H335	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H400	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H410	Fatal if inhaled.
H411	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

### Full text of other abbreviations

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways; ADR - Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road; AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative



**Classification of the mixture**

Acute Tox.4	H302
Acute Tox.4	H332
Skin Corr.1B	H314
Eye Dam.1	H318
Resp. Sens.1	H334
Skin Sens.1	H317
STOT SE3	H335
Aquatic Acute1	H400
Aquatic Chronic2	H411

**Classification procedure:**

Calculation method
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**Further information**

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