



Material Safety Data Sheet

HAZARD WARNINGS	RISK PHRASES	PROTECTIVE CLOTHING
×	Irritating to skin, eyes, and the respiratory system.	

Section I. Chemical Product and Company Identification			
Chemical Name	Polyethylene Glycol #300		
Catalog Number	H0543	Supplier	TCI America 9211 N. Harborgate St.
Synonym	Poly (ethylene oxide)		Portland OR 1-800-423-8616
Chemical Formula	HO-(CH₂CH₂O)n-H		***************************************
CAS Number	25322-68-3	In case of Emergency	Chemtrec® (800) 424-9300 (U.S.)
		Call	(703) 527-3887 (International)

Section II. Composition and Information on Ingredients				
Chemical Name	CAS Nun	nber Percent (%)	TLV/PEL	Toxicology Data
Polyethylene Glycol #300	25322-68	3-3		Rat LD ₅₀ (oral) 27,500mg/kg Rabbit LD ₅₀ (oral) 17,300mg/kg

Section III.	Hazards Identification
Acute Health Effects	Irritating to eyes and skin on contact. Inhalation causes irritation of the lungs and respiratory system. Inflammation of the eye is characterized by redness, watering, and itching. Skin inflammation is characterized by itching, scaling, reddening, or, occasionally, blistering. Follow safe industrial hygiene practices and always wear proper protective equipment when handling this compound.
Chronic Health Effect	CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITYNot available. Repeated or prolonged exposure to this compound is not known to aggravate existing medical conditions.

Section IV.	First Aid Measures
Eye Contact	Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
Skin Contact	In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention.
Inhalation	If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If breathing is difficult, oxygen can be administered. Seek medical attention if respiration problems do not improve.
Ingestion	INDUCE VOMITING by sticking finger in throat. Lower the head so that the vomit will not reenter the mouth and throat. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Examine the lips and mouth to ascertain whether the tissues are damaged, a possible indication that the toxic material was ingested; the absence of such signs, however, is not conclusive. SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION in case of ingestion of a radioactive material.

Section V. Fi	re and Explosion Data		
Flammability	May be combustible at high temperature.	Auto-Ignition	Not available.
Flash Points	99°C (210.2°F).	Flammable Limits	Not available.
Combustion Products	These products include toxic carbon oxides (CO,CO₂)		
Fire Hazards	Not available.		
Explosion Hazards	Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available.		
Fire Fighting Media and Instructions	SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder. LARGE FIRE: Use water spray, fog or foam. DO NOT use water jet.		

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Section VI. Accidental Release Measures

Spill Cleanup Instructions

Irritating material.

In case of a spill and/or a leak, always shut off any sources of ignition, ventilate the area, and excercise caution. Use a shovel to put material into a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning the spill by rinsing any contaminated surfaces with copious amounts of water. Consult federal, state and/or local authorities for assistance on disposal.

Section VII. Handling and Storage

Handling and Storage Information IRRITANT. Keep away from heat. Mechanical exhaust required. When not in use, tightly seal the container and store in a dry, cool place. Avoid excessive heat and light. DO NOT ingest. Do not breathe gas/fumes/ vapor/spray. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Always store away from incompatible compounds such as oxidizing agents.

Section VIII. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls

Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective threshold limit value. Ensure that eyewash station and safety shower is proximal to the work-station location.

Personal Protection

Splash goggles. Lab coat. Vapor respirator. Boots. Gloves. Be sure to use a MSHA/NIOSH approved respirator or equivalent. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.



Exposure Limits

Not available.

Section IX. Physical and Chemical Properties				
Physical state @ 20°C	Liquid.	Solubility	Soluble in water, in many organic solvents. Readily soluble in aromatic hydrocarbons.	
Specific Gravity	1.13		Slightly soluble in alipathic hydrocarbons.	
Molecular Weight	Not available.	Partition Coefficient	Not available.	
Boiling Point	Not available.	Vapor Pressure	<0.01mm Hg @ 20°C	
Melting Point	Not available.	Vapor Density	>1g/L	
Refractive Index	Not available.	Volatility	Not available.	
Critical Temperature	Not available.	Odor	Slightly characteristic odor.	
Viscosity	Not available.	Taste	Not available.	

Section X.	Stability and Reactivity Data
Stability	This material is stable if stored under proper conditions. (See Section VII for instructions)
Conditions of Instability	Avoid excessive heat and light.
Incompatibilities	Reactive with strong oxidizing agents.

Section XI.	Toxicological	Information
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RTECS Number

TQ3630000

Routes of Exposure

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Section XII.

Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity

Not available.

Environmental Fate

Not available.

Section XIII.

Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal

Recycle to process, if possible. Consult your local regional authorities. You may be able to dissove or mix material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber system. Observe all federal, state and locl regulations when disposing of the substance.

Section XIV. Transport Information

DOT Classification

Not a DOT controlled material (United States).

PIN Number

Not applicable.

Proper Shipping Name

Not applicable.

Packing Group (PG)

Not applicable.

DOT Pictograms



Section XV. Other Regulatory Information and Pictograms

TSCA Chemical Inventory

This compound is ON the EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory list.

(EPA)

WHMIS Classification

On DSL

(Canada)

Not available.

EINECS Number (EEC)
EEC Risk Statements

R36/37/38- Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

Japanese Regulatory Data

ENCS No.: 7-129X

Section XVI. Other Information

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Notice to Reader

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