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Material Safety Data Sheet

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name	1-Propanol
Cat No.	A414-1; A414-4; A414-20; A414-500; A414RB-50; A414S-4; BP1130-500
Synonyms	n-Propanol; n-Propyl alcohol (Certified/Peroxide-Free/Sequencing)
Recommended Use	Laboratory chemicals
Company	Emergency Telephone Number
Fisher Scientific	CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA: 800-
One Reagent Lane	424-9300
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410	CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 703-
Tel: (201) 796-7100	527-3887

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

DANGER!

Emergency Overview

Flammable liquid and vapor. Risk of serious damage to eyes. Vapors may cause drowsiness and dizziness. May cause skin and respiratory tract irritation. Aspiration hazard if swallowed - can enter lungs and cause damage.

Appearance Clear

Physical State Liquid

odor Alcohol-like

Target Organs

Eyes, Central nervous system (CNS), Blood, Liver

Potential Health Effects

Acute Effects

Principle Routes of Exposure

Eyes

Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Skin

May cause irritation. May be harmful in contact with skin.

Inhalation

Inhalation may cause central nervous system effects. May cause irritation of respiratory tract. May be harmful if inhaled.

Ingestion

Aspiration hazard. May be harmful if swallowed. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Chronic Effects

Tumorigenic effects have been reported in experimental animals.. Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals. May cause adverse liver effects.

See Section 11 for additional Toxicological information.

Aggravated Medical Conditions Central nervous system disorders. Gastrointestinal tract. Preexisting eye disorders. Skin disorders.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Haz/Non-haz

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
n-Propyl alcohol	71-23-8	> 99

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

Inhalation Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with a respiratory medical device. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

Ingestion Do not induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point 15°C / 59°F

Method No information available.

Autoignition Temperature 405°C / 761°F

Explosion Limits

Upper	13.7 vol %
Lower	2.2 vol %

Suitable Extinguishing Media CO₂, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam. Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Water may be ineffective.

Hazardous Combustion Products No information available.

Sensitivity to mechanical impact No information available.

Sensitivity to static discharge No information available.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Flammable. Risk of ignition. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back. Containers may explode when heated. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear

NFPA **Health 1** **Flammability 3** **Instability 0** **Physical hazards N/A**

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions Use personal protective equipment. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Environmental Precautions Should not be released into the environment.

Methods for Containment and Clean Up Remove all sources of ignition. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Keep in suitable and closed containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Wear personal protective equipment. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Storage Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Measures Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Exposure Guidelines

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
n-Propyl alcohol	TWA: 100 ppm	(Vacated) TWA: 500 mg/m ³ (Vacated) TWA: 200 ppm (Vacated) STEL: 250 ppm (Vacated) STEL: 625 mg/m ³ TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 500 mg/m ³	IDLH: 800 ppm TWA: 500 mg/m ³ TWA: 200 ppm STEL: 625 mg/m ³ STEL: 250 ppm

Component	Quebec	Mexico OEL (TWA)	Ontario TWAEV
n-Propyl alcohol	TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 492 mg/m ³ STEL: 614 mg/m ³ STEL: 250 ppm Skin	TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 500 mg/m ³ STEL: 250 ppm STEL: 625 mg/m ³	TWA: 100 ppm

NIOSH IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/face Protection

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166

Skin and body protection

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

Respiratory Protection

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State	Liquid
Appearance	Clear
odor	Alcohol-like
Odor Threshold	No information available.
pH	No information available.
Vapor Pressure	14.3 mmHg @ 20 °C
Vapor Density	2.1 (Air = 1.0)
Viscosity	No information available.
Boiling Point/Range	97°C / 206.6°F @ 760 mmHg
Melting Point/Range	-127°C / -196.6°F
Decomposition temperature	No information available.
Flash Point	15°C / 59°F
Evaporation Rate	(Butyl Acetate = 1.0)
Specific Gravity	.8040
Solubility	Miscible with water
log Pow	No data available
Molecular Weight	60.09
Molecular Formula	C3H8O

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability	Stable under normal conditions.
Conditions to Avoid	Incompatible products. Heat, flames and sparks.
Incompatible Materials	Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO ₂)
Hazardous Polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Hazardous Reactions .	None under normal processing.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity

Component Information

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
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n-Propyl alcohol	1870 mg/kg (Rat)	Not listed	13548 ppm (Rat) 4 h
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Irritation Severe eye irritant

Toxicologically Synergistic Products No information available.

Chronic Toxicity

Carcinogenicity There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

Sensitization No information available.

Mutagenic Effects Mutagenic effects have occurred in microorganisms.

Reproductive Effects Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals.

Developmental Effects Developmental effects have occurred in experimental animals.

Teratogenicity Teratogenic effects have occurred in experimental animals..

Other Adverse Effects Tumorigenic effects have been reported in experimental animals.. See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

Endocrine Disruptor Information No information available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea
n-Propyl alcohol	Not listed	Not listed	EC50 = 17700 mg/L 5 min EC50 = 45000 mg/L 5 h EC50 = 8686 mg/L 15 min EC50 = 980 mg/L 12 h	EC50 48 h 3642 mg/L

Persistence and Degradability No information available

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation No information available

Mobility

Component	log Pow
n-Propyl alcohol	0.25 - 0.34

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Methods Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN-No UN1274
 Proper Shipping Name N-PROPANOL
 Hazard Class 3
 Packing Group II

TDG

UN-No UN1274
 Proper Shipping Name n-Propanol
 Hazard Class 3
 Packing Group II

IATA

UN-No UN1274
 Proper Shipping Name n-PROPANOL
 Hazard Class 3
 Packing Group II

IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN1274
 Proper Shipping Name N-PROPANOL
 Hazard Class 3
 Packing Group II

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	CHINA	KECL
n-Propyl alcohol	X	X	-	200-746-9	-		X	X	X	X	KE-29362 X

Legend:

X - Listed

E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.

F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.

N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.

P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance

R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.

S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule

T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.

XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B)).

Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.

Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

SARA 313
Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire Hazard	Yes
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

Clean Water Act
Not applicable

Clean Air Act
Not applicable

OSHA
Not applicable

CERCLA
Not Applicable

California Proposition 65
This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

State Right-to-Know

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
n-Propyl alcohol	X	X	X	-	X

U.S. Department of Transportation

Reportable Quantity (RQ):	N
DOT Marine Pollutant	N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant	N

U.S. Department of Homeland Security
This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade Serious risk, Grade 3

Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

WHMIS Hazard Class

B2 Flammable liquid

D2B Toxic materials

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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End of MSDS