

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Xylenes (histological grade)
Product Number : 534056
Brand : SIGALD
Index-No. : 601-022-00-9
CAS-No. : 1330-20-7

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances
Uses advised against : The product is being supplied under the TSCA R&D Exemption (40 CFR Section 720.36). It is the recipient's responsibility to comply with the requirements of the R&D exemption. The product may not be used for a non-exempt commercial purpose under TSCA unless appropriate consent is granted in writing by MilliporeSigma.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.
3050 SPRUCE ST
ST. LOUIS MO 63103
UNITED STATES
Telephone : +1 314 771-5765
Fax : +1 800 325-5052

1.4 Emergency telephone

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable liquids (Category 3), H226
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332
Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4), H312

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Skin irritation (Category 2), H315
 Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319
 Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335
 Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Category 2), hearing organs, H373
 Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Inhalation (Category 2), Central nervous system, Liver, Kidney, H373
 Aspiration hazard (Category 1), H304
 Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 2), H401
 Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard (Category 3), H412

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

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

H226	Flammable liquid and vapor.
H304	May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.
H312 + H332	Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
H373	May cause damage to organs (hearing organs) through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H373	May cause damage to organs (Central nervous system, Liver, Kidney) through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.
H401	Toxic to aquatic life.
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements

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.
P260	Do not breathe mist or vapors.
P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301 + P310	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.
P303 + P361 + P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
P304 + P340 + P312	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P314	Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.
P331	Do NOT induce vomiting.
P332 + P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P337 + P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.
P362	Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
P370 + P378	In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.
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.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Synonyms	: Xylene mixture of isomers
Formula	: C ₈ H ₁₀
Molecular weight	: 106.17 g/mol
CAS-No.	: 1330-20-7
EC-No.	: 215-535-7
Index-No.	: 601-022-00-9

Component	Classification	Concentration
Xylene		
	Flam. Liq. 3; Acute Tox. 4; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2A; STOT SE 3; STOT RE 2; Asp. Tox. 1; Aquatic Acute 2; Aquatic Chronic 3; H226, H332, H312, H315, H319, H335, H373, H304, H401, H412	>= 70 - < 90 %
ethylbenzene		
	Flam. Liq. 2; Acute Tox. 4; STOT RE 2; Asp. Tox. 1; Aquatic Acute 2; Aquatic Chronic 3; H225, H332, H373, H304, H401, H412	>= 20 - < 30 %

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

No data available

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

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

No data available

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides
Combustible.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

No data available

5.4 Further information

No data available

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

No data available

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

No data available

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

No data available

7.3 Specific end use(s)

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

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Xylene	1330-20-7	PEL	100 ppm 435 mg/m ³	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)
		C	300 ppm	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)
		STEL	150 ppm 655 mg/m ³	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)
		TWA	100 ppm 435 mg/m ³	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
		TWA	20 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Remarks	Ototoxicant Not classifiable as a human carcinogen		
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	TWA	100 ppm 435 mg/m ³	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
		ST	125 ppm 545 mg/m ³	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
		TWA	100 ppm 435 mg/m ³	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
		STEL	30 ppm 130 mg/m ³	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)
		PEL	5 ppm 22 mg/m ³	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)

Biological occupational exposure limits

Component	CAS-No.	Parameters	Value	Biological specimen	Basis
Xylene	1330-20-7	Methylhippuric acids	0.3g/g creatinine	Urine	ACGIH - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI)

	Remarks	End of shift (As soon as possible after exposure ceases)			
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	Sum of mandelic acid and phenyl glyoxylic acid	150mg/g creatinine	Urine	ACGIH - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI)
		End of shift (As soon as possible after exposure ceases)			

8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: Fluorinated rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.7 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Vitoject® (KCL 890 / Aldrich Z677698, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm

Break through time: 30 min

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

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the EC approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

Control of environmental exposure

Prevent product from entering drains.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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|-------------------|---|
| a) Appearance | Form: clear, liquid
Color: colorless |
| b) Odor | No data available |
| c) Odor Threshold | No data available |
| d) pH | No data available |

e) Melting point/freezing point	< 0 °C (< 32 °F)
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	136 - 140 °C 277 - 284 °F at 1,013 hPa
g) Flash point	25 °C (77 °F) - closed cup
h) Evaporation rate	No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Upper explosion limit: 7 %(V) Lower explosion limit: 1.1 %(V)
k) Vapor pressure	24 hPa at 37.70 °C (99.86 °F)
l) Vapor density	3.67 - (Air = 1.0)
m) Density	0.865 g/cm ³ at 20 °C (68 °F)
Relative density	No data available
n) Water solubility	No data available
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
p) Autoignition temperature	No data available
q) Decomposition temperature	No data available
r) Viscosity	No data available
s) Explosive properties	No data available
t) Oxidizing properties	No data available

9.2 Other safety information

Relative vapor density	3.67 - (Air = 1.0)
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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

No data available

10.2 Chemical stability

No data available

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

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10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Acute toxicity estimate Oral - 3,518 mg/kg

(Calculation method)

LD50 Oral - Rat - male - 3,523 mg/kg (Xylene)

(EC Directive 92/69/EEC B.1 Acute Toxicity (Oral))

Remarks: (ECHA)

Acute toxicity estimate Inhalation - 4 h - 12 mg/l - vapor (Calculation method)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male - 4 h - 29.09 mg/l - vapor

(Xylene)

(Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, B.2)

Remarks: (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)

Acute toxicity estimate Dermal - 1,376 mg/kg

(Calculation method)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - > 1,700 mg/kg (Xylene)

Remarks: (RTECS)

No data available

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit (Xylene)

Result: Moderate skin irritation - 24 h

Remarks: (IUCLID)

Remarks: Drying-out effect resulting in rough and chapped skin.

After long-term exposure to the chemical:

Dermatitis

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit (Xylene)

Result: Causes serious eye irritation. - 24 h

Remarks: (RTECS)

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse (Xylene)

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 429)

Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

(Xylene)

Test system: Chinese hamster ovary cells

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, B.10

Result: negative
Remarks: (National Toxicology Program)
Test Type: Ames test
(Xylene)
Test system: Salmonella typhimurium
Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation
Method: OECD Test Guideline 471
Result: negative
Test Type: sister chromatid exchange assay
(Xylene)
Test system: Chinese hamster ovary cells
Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation
Method: Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, B.19
Result: negative
(Xylene)
Test Type: dominant lethal test
Species: Mouse

Method: OECD Test Guideline 478
Result: negative

Carcinogenicity

IARC: 2B - Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans (ethylbenzene)
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.
OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

Reproductive toxicity

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration hazard

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

11.2 Additional Information

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - 90 d - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - 150 mg/kg - LOAEL (Lowest observed adverse effect level) - 150 mg/kg
(Xylene)

Blurred vision, Incoordination., Headache, Nausea, Vomiting, Dizziness, Weakness, anemia, Prolonged or repeated exposure to skin causes defatting and dermatitis. (Xylene)

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. (Xylene)

After absorption:
(Xylene)

Systemic effects:

(Xylene)
 Headache
 somnolence
 Dizziness
 agitation, spasms
 narcosis
 inebriation
 (Xylene)
 Effect potentiated by: ethanol
 (Xylene)
 Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.
 (Xylene)
 Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
 (Xylene)
 Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence
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 (Xylene)

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

No data available

Toxicity to fish	static test LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 2.60 mg/l - 96 h (Xylene) (OECD Test Guideline 203)
Toxicity to algae	static test EC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata - 4.36 mg/l - 73 h (Xylene) (OECD Test Guideline 201)
Toxicity to bacteria	Remarks: (ECHA) (Xylene)
Toxicity to fish(Chronic toxicity)	flow-through test NOEC - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - > 1.3 mg/l - 56 d (Xylene) Remarks: (ECHA)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates(Chronic toxicity)	NOEC - Ceriodaphnia dubia (water flea) - 0.96 mg/l - 7 d (Xylene) (US-EPA)

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

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12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

No data available

SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US)

UN number: 1307 Class: 3 Packing group: III
Proper shipping name: Xylenes
Reportable Quantity (RQ): 125 lbs
Reportable Quantity (RQ): 100 lbs
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG

UN number: 1307 Class: 3 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-E, S-D
Proper shipping name: XYLENES

IATA

UN number: 1307 Class: 3 Packing group: III
Proper shipping name: Xylenes

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

CERCLA Reportable Quantity

Components	CAS-No.	Component RQ (lbs)	Calculated product RQ (lbs)
Xylene	1330-20-7	100	125
Xylene	1330-20-7	100	100 (F003)
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	100	100 (F003)

SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Fire Hazard
Acute Health Hazard
Chronic Health Hazard

SARA 313 : The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

Xylene	1330-20-7	>= 70 - < 90 %
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	>= 20 - < 30 %

Clean Air Act

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).

The following chemical(s) are listed as HAP under the U.S. Clean Air Act, Section 112 (40 CFR 61):

Xylene	1330-20-7	>= 70 - < 90 %
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	>= 20 - < 30 %

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).

The following chemical(s) are listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCM I Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489):

Xylene	1330-20-7	>= 70 - < 90 %
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	>= 20 - < 30 %

Clean Water Act

The following Hazardous Substances are listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A:

Xylene	1330-20-7	>= 70 - < 90 %
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	>= 20 - < 30 %

The following Hazardous Chemicals are listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3:

Xylene	1330-20-7	>= 70 - < 90 %
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	>= 20 - < 30 %

This product contains the following toxic pollutants listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Section 307

ethylbenzene	100-41-4	>= 20 - < 30 %
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This product contains the following priority pollutants related to the U.S. Clean Water Act:

ethylbenzene	100-41-4	>= 20 - < 30 %
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US State Regulations

Massachusetts Right To Know

Xylene	1330-20-7
ethylbenzene	100-41-4

Pennsylvania Right To Know

Xylene	1330-20-7
ethylbenzene	100-41-4

Maine Chemicals of High Concern

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

Vermont Chemicals of High Concern

ethylbenzene 100-41-4

Washington Chemicals of High Concern

ethylbenzene 100-41-4

California Prop. 65

WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including ethylbenzene, which is/are known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

The ingredients of this product are reported in the following inventories:

TSCA : All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

TSCA list

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

SECTION 16: Other information

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