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Safety Data Sheet

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

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name/designation: Product No.: Synonymes: CAS No. Tetrahydrofuran AR, ACS T0032 THF 109-99-9

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

Relevant identified uses:

General chemical reagent

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier

Avantor Performance Materials India Ltd. Street Postal code/City Telephone	501, 5th floor, Tiffany Building, Hiranandani Business Park, Thane, Maharashtra - 400607, India 022-41288100
Emergency phone number	
Telephone	1800105561
Preparation Information Product Information Compliance	
1.4 E-mail	SDS@avantorsciences.com



SECTION 2: Hazard identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Physical hazards

Flammable liquid, category 2

Health hazards

Eye irritation, category 2 Carcinogenicity, category 2 Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure), category 3, vascular

2.2 Label elements

Hazard pictograms



Signal word: Danger

Highly flammable liquid and vapour. Causes serious eye irritation. Suspected of causing cancer. May cause respiratory irritation.

Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Response:

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/...

2.3 Other hazards This substance does not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria of REACH, Annex XIII.

SECTION 3: Composition / information on ingredients

Substances

Substance name	Tetrahydrofuran
Molecular formula	C_4H_8O
Molecular weight	72.11 g/mol
CAS No.	109-99-9



SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 General information

no data available

After inhalation no data available

In case of skin contact no data available

After eye contact no data available

In case of ingestion no data available

Self-protection of the first aider no data available

- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** no data available
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed** no data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Water spray ABC-powder Carbon dioxide (CO2) Nitrogen

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons no restriction

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

In case of fire may be liberated: Carbon monoxide Carbon dioxide (CO2)

5.3 Advice for firefighters

DO NOT fight fire when fire reaches explosives. Special protective equipment for firefighters Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

5.4 Additional information

Do not allow run-off from fire-fighting to enter drains or water courses. Do not inhale explosion and combustion gases. Use caution when applying carbon dioxide in confined spaces. Carbon dioxide can displace oxygen. Use water spray jet to protect personnel and to cool endangered containers. In case of fire: Evacuate area.



SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

In case of major fire and large quantities: Remove persons to safety.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Spilled product must never be returned to the original container for recycling. Collect in closed and suitable containers for disposal.

6.4 Additional information

Clear spills immediately.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

All work processes must always be designed so that the following is as low as possible: Inhalation skin contact Eye contact Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Usual measures for fire prevention. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Protect from moisture.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Recommended storage temperature: Keep bottles tightly closed and away from sources of ignition and heat.

Keep container tightly closed and in a well-ventilated place. Keep/Store away from combustible materials.

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

Does not contain substances above concentration limits fixing an occupational exposure limit.

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Technical measures and the application of suitable work processes have priority over personal protection equipment. If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.

Personal protection equipment

Wear suitable protective clothing. When handling with chemical substances, protective clothing with CElabels including the four control digits must be worn.

Eye/face protection Eye glasses with side protection

Skin protection





Wear suitable gloves. When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn with the CE-label including the four control digits. In the case of wanting to use the gloves again, clean them before taking off and air them well. Check leak tightness/impermeability prior to use.

Suitable material:	NBR (Nitrile rubber)
Thickness of the glove material:	0,425 mm
Breakthrough time::	10 min
By long-term hand contact	
Suitable material:	PE (polyethylene)
Thickness of the glove material:	-
Breakthrough time::	> 480 min

Respiratory protection no data available

Additional information

Wash hands before breaks and after work. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Provide eye shower and label its location conspicuously.

Environmental exposure controls no data available



SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

(a) Appearance	
Physical state:	liquid
Colour:	colourless
(b) Odour:	no data available
(c) Odour threshold:	no data available

Safety relevant basic data

7-8 (200 g/L. 20 °C) -108.5 °C 66 °C (1013 hPa) -21.5 °C no data available Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
1.5 % (v/v)
12 % (v/v) 175 hPa (20 °C) 2.5 (20 °C)
0.888 g/cm ³ (20 °C)
soluble (20 °C) no data available
0.46 (20 °C) 215 °C
no data available
no data available 0.48 mPa*s (20 °C) not applicable not applicable

9.2 Other information

Bulk density:	no data available
Refraction index:	1.407 (589 nm; 20 °C)
Dissociation constant:	no data available
Surface tension:	no data available
Henry's Law Constant:	no data available

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

no data available

10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

10.5 Incompatible materials

no data available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

no data available

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute effects

Acute oral toxicity: LD50: > 1650 mg/kg - Rat - (RTECS)

Acute dermal toxicity: no data available

Acute inhalation toxicity: LC50: 21000 ppm - Rat - (Japan GHS Basis for Classification Data)

Irritant and corrosive effects

Primary irritation to the skin: not applicable

Irritation to eyes: Causes serious eye irritation.

Irritation to respiratory tract: May cause respiratory irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

In case of skin contact: not sensitising After inhalation: not sensitising

STOT-single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation.

STOT-repeated exposure not applicable

CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction) Carcinogenicity

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Germ cell mutagenicity

No indications of human germ cell mutagenicity exist.

Reproductive toxicity

No indications of human reproductive toxicity exist.





Aspiration hazard not applicable

Other adverse effects no data available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Ecotoxicity

Fish toxicity:

LC50: 2160 mg/l (96 h) - Brooke, L.T., D.J. Call, D.L. Geiger, and C.E. Northcott 1984. Acute Toxicities of Organic Chemicals to Fathead Minnows (Pimephales promelas), Vol. 1. Center for Lake Superior Environmental Stud., Univ.of Wisconsin-Superior, Superior, WI :414

Daphnia toxicity:

no data available

Algae toxicity: no data available

Bacteria toxicity: no data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

no data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: 0.46 (20 °C)

12.4 Mobility in soil:

no data available

12.5 Results of PBT/vPvB assessment

This substance does not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria of REACH, Annex XIII.

12.6 Other adverse effects

no data available



SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Appropriate disposal / Product

Dispose according to local legislation. Consult the appropriate local waste disposal expert about waste disposal.

Appropriate disposal / Package

Dispose according to local legislation. Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1	UN-No.:	2056
14.2	Proper Shipping Name:	TETRAHYDROFURAN
14.3	Class(es):	3
	Classification code:	F1
	Hazard label(s):	3
14.4	Packing group:	ll
14.5	Environmental hazards:	No
14.6	Special precautions for user:	
	Hazard identification number (Kemler	33
	No.):	
	tunnel restriction code:	D/E
		(Passage forbidden through tunnels of category D when carried in bulk or in tanks. Passage forbidden through

tunnels of category E.)

Sea transport (IMDG)

14.1	UN-No.:	2056
14.2	Proper Shipping Name:	TETRAHYDROFURAN
14.3	Class(es):	3
	Classification code:	
	Hazard label(s):	3
14.4	Packing group:	II
14.5	Environmental hazards:	No
	Marine pollutant:	No
14.6	Special precautions for user:	
	Segregation group:	-
	EmS-No.	F-E S-D
14.7	Transport in bulk according to Annex II of M/ not relevant	ARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code



Air transport (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR)

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14.3	Class(es):	3
	Classification code:	
	Hazard label(s):	3
14.4	Packing group:	II
14.5	Special precautions for user:	



SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

SECTION 16: Other information

Abbreviations and acronyms

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygiensts ADR - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road AGS - Committee on Hazardous Substances (Ausschuss für Gefahrstoffe) CLP - Regulation on Classification, Labelling and Packaging of Substances and Mixtures DFG - German Research Foundation (Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft) Gestis - Information system on hazardous substances of the German Social Accident Insurance (Gefahrstoffinformationssystem der Deutschen Gesetzlichen Unfallversicherung) IATA-DGR - International Air Transport Association-Dangerous Goods Regulations ICAO-TI - International Civil Aviation Organization-Technical Instructions IMDG - International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods LTV - Long Term Value NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health OSHA - Occupational Safety & Health Administration PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic RID - Regulation concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail STV - Short Term Value SVHC - Substances of Very High Concern vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

Training advice: Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

Additional information

Indication of changes: Section 1

If you need an explanation of the change, contact the supplier. (SDS@avantorsciences.com)

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