

**Safety Data Sheet**  
 acc. to OSHA HCS

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## 1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** EDTA Molecular biology grade
- **Article number:** A5097
- **CAS Number:**  
60-00-4
- **EC number:**  
200-449-4
- **Index number:**  
607-429-00-8
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory chemical
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
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## 2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**  
 Acute Tox. 4 H332 Harmful if inhaled.  
 Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
 STOT RE 2 H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements**  
 The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS07 GHS08

- **Signal word** Warning
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**  
 edetic acid
- **Hazard statements**  
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 P312 Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

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- **Classification system:**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

HEALTH	2	Health = *2
FIRE	0	Fire = 0
REACTIVITY	0	Reactivity = 0

- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

### 3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Substances**
- **CAS No. Description**  
60-00-4 edetic acid
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### 4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:**  
Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.  
If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.
- **After eye contact:**  
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.  
Call a doctor immediately.
- **After swallowing:**  
Rinse out mouth.  
make victim drink water (maximum of 2 drinking glasses)  
If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **Information for doctor:**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
No further relevant information available.

### 5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
CO<sub>2</sub>, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**  
Combustible.  
Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.  
In case of fire, the following can be released:  
Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>)  
CO, CO<sub>2</sub>

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- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
- **Additional information**  
Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

## 6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**  
Avoid formation of dust.  
Do not inhale dust.  
Avoid substance contact.  
Ensure adequate ventilation
- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Pick up mechanically.  
Avoid generation of dusts.  
Clean up affected area.  
Dispose of the collected material according to regulations.
- **Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.

## 7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling** Any deposit of dust which cannot be avoided must be regularly removed.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**  
Keep receptacle tightly sealed.  
Open receptacle only under localized extractor facilities.
- **Recommended storage temperature:** 15-25 °C
- **Storage class:** 13
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

## 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:** Not required.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**  
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.  
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.  
Avoid contact with the eyes.  
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Breathing equipment:**  
Required when dusts are generated.

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· **Protection of hands:**

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

· **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

· **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· **For the permanent contact gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**

Nitrile rubber, NBR

Recommended thickness of the material:  $\geq 0.11$  mm

Value for the permeation: Level  $\geq 480$  min

· **As protection from splashes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**

Nitrile rubber, NBR

Recommended thickness of the material:  $\geq 0.11$  mm

Value for the permeation: Level  $\geq 480$  min

· **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

· **Body protection:**

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the working place, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled.

## 9 Physical and chemical properties

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

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

Form: Solid

Color: Whitish

· **Odor:** Odorless

· **pH-value:** Not applicable.

· **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:  $>200$  °C ( $>392$  °F)

Boiling point/Boiling range: Undetermined.

· **Flash point:** Not applicable.

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Product is not flammable.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· **Explosion limits:**

Lower: Not determined.

Upper: Not determined.

· **Vapor pressure:** Not applicable.

· **Density at 20 °C (68 °F):** 1.46 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (12.184 lbs/gal)

· **Bulk density at 20 °C (68 °F):** 720-920 kg/m<sup>3</sup>

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

Water at 20 °C (68 °F):  $<1$  g/l

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- **Viscosity:**
  - Dynamic:** Not applicable.
  - Kinematic:** Not applicable.
- **Solvent content:**
  - Organic solvents:** 0.0 %
  - VOC content:** 0.0 g/l / 0.00 lb/gl
- **Other information** No further relevant information available.

## 10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** Strong heating
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:**
  - strong bases
  - strong acids
  - strong oxidants
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** In the event of fire: See chapter 5
- **Additional information:**

The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and preparations: In correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.

Incompatible with:  
various metals

## 11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**
- **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

Components	Type	Value	Species
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**60-00-4 edetic acid**

Oral	LD50	2000-5000 mg/kg	(rat)
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** Severe irritations.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**

- **Carcinogenic categories**

· <b>IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)</b>
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Substance is not listed.
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· <b>NTP (National Toxicology Program)</b>
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Substance is not listed.
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· <b>OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety &amp; Health Administration)</b>
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## 12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:**

Type of test	Effective concentration	Method	Assessment
<b>60-00-4 edetic acid</b>			
EC50/72 h	>100 mg/l	(Aquatic plants)	
EC50/48 h	>100 mg/l	(Aquatic Invertebrata)	
LC50/96 h	>100 mg/l	(fish)	

- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.

- **Behavior in environmental systems:**

- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.

- **Additional ecological information:**

- **General notes:**

Water hazard class 2 (Assessment by list): hazardous for water

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.

- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

- **PBT:** Not applicable.

- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

## 13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**

- **Recommendation:**

Chemicals must be disposed of in compliance with the respective national regulations.

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

- **Uncleaned packagings:**

- **Recommendation:**

Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Packagings that cannot be cleansed are to be disposed of in the same manner as the product.

## 14 Transport information

- **UN-Number**

- **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA** Void

- **UN proper shipping name**

- **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA** Void

- **Transport hazard class(es)**

- **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

- **Class** Void

- **Packing group**

- **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA** Void

- **Environmental hazards:**

- **Marine pollutant:** No

- **Special precautions for user** Not applicable.

- **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of**

MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

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| · <b>Transport/Additional information:</b> | Not dangerous according to the above specifications. |
| · <b>UN "Model Regulation":</b>            | Void   |

### 15 Regulatory information

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Sara**

- **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

Substance is not listed.

- **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

Substance is not listed.

- **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

Substance is listed.

- **Proposition 65**

- **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

Substance is not listed.

- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

Substance is not listed.

- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

Substance is not listed.

- **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

Substance is not listed.

- **Carcinogenicity categories**

- **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

Substance is not listed.

- **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

Substance is not listed.

- **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

Substance is not listed.

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· **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out.

## 16 Other information

*This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.*

· **Department issuing SDS:** Dept. Compliance

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· **Date of preparation / last revision** 10/07/2016 / 3

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

*RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)*

*ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)*

*IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods*

*DOT: US Department of Transportation*

*IATA: International Air Transport Association*

*ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists*

*EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances*

*CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)*

*NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)*

*HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)*

*VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)*

*LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent*

*LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent*

*PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic*

*vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative*

*NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety*

*OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health*

*TLV: Threshold Limit Value*

*PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit*

*REL: Recommended Exposure Limit*

*Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4*

*Eye Irrit. 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2A*

*STOT RE 2: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 2*