

# Safety data sheet

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## 1 Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **Product identifier** Low Viscosity Resin
- **Trade name: Low Viscosity Resin**
- **Article number:** AGR1370, AGR1371, AGR1372
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the preparation:** Epoxy resin used in microscopy.
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
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- **Further information obtainable from:** Technical Support
- **Emergency telephone number:** 24 hours: +44 (0)1856 407333

## 2 Hazards identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**



GHS02 flame

Flam. Liq. 3          H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.



GHS08 health hazard

Muta. 2                  H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.  
Carc. 2                  H351 Suspected of causing cancer.



GHS09 environment

Aquatic Chronic 2    H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.



GHS07

Skin Irrit. 2            H315 Causes skin irritation.  
Eye Irrit. 2            H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
Skin Sens. 1           H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

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- **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC** Not applicable.
  - **Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:**  
The product does not have to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.
  - **Classification system:**  
The classification is according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and extended by company and literature data.
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- **Label elements**
  - **Labelling according to EU guidelines:**  
Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals.  
The product is not subject to identification regulations under EU Directives and the Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (German GefStoffV).
  - **Code letter and hazard designation of product:**  
  

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

### 3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

- **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 25068-38-6 NLP: 500-033-5	reaction product: bisphenol-A-(epichlorhydrin) epoxy resin (number average molecular weight ≤ 700) ☒ Xi R36/38; ☒ Xi R43; ☒ N R51/53 ⚠ Aquatic Chronic 2, H411; ⚠ Skin Irrit. 2, H315; Eye Irrit. 2, H319; Skin Sens. 1, H317	83.0%
CAS: 2426-08-6 EINECS: 219-376-4	butyl glycidyl ether ☒ Xn R20/22-40-68; ☒ Xi R37; ☒ Xi R43 R10-52/53 Carc. Cat. 3, Muta. Cat. 3 ⚠ Flam. Liq. 3, H226; ⚠ Muta. 2, H341; Carc. 2, H351; ⚠ Acute Tox. 4, H302; Acute Tox. 4, H332; Skin Sens. 1, H317; STOT SE 3, H335; Aquatic Chronic 3, H412	14.0%

- **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

### 4 First aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:** No special measures required.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **Information for doctor:**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**  
No further relevant information available.

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- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
No further relevant information available.

### 5 Firefighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
CO<sub>2</sub>, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

### 6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.
- **Environmental precautions:** No special measures required.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
- **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** No special measures required.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** 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:** None.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

### 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**  
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**  
The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.
- **Respiratory protection:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**  
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

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Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

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. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

- **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.

- **Eye protection:** Goggles recommended during refilling

## 9 Physical and chemical properties

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

- **General Information**

- **Appearance:**

Form:	Fluid
Colour:	According to product specification
• <b>Odour:</b>	Characteristic
• <b>Odour threshold:</b>	Not determined.

- **pH-value:** Not determined.

- **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Undetermined.

- **Flash point:** 56 °C

- **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not applicable.

- **Ignition temperature:** 215 °C

- **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

- **Self-igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

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

- **Explosion limits:**

Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.

- **Vapour pressure at 20 °C:** 3.5 hPa

- **Density:** Not determined.

- **Relative density** Not determined.

- **Vapour density** Not determined.

- **Evaporation rate** Not determined.

- **Solubility in / Miscibility with water:**

Not miscible or difficult to mix.

- **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.

- **Viscosity:**

Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.

- **Solvent content:**

Organic solvents: 0.0 %

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<b>VOC (EC)</b>	0.00 %
· <b>Other information</b>	No further relevant information available.

### 10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity**
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**  
No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

### 11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**

- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**

**2426-08-6 butyl glycidyl ether**

Oral	LD50	2050 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	2520 mg/kg (rabbit)

- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**

The product is not subject to classification according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version.

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects to our experience and the information provided to us.

### 12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behaviour in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **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** Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste.

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- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

### 14 Transport information

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| · <b>UN-Number</b>   |                 |
| · <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>   | --              |
| · <b>UN proper shipping name</b>   |                 |
| · <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>   | NIF             |
| · <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>  |                 |
| · <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>   |                 |
| · <b>Class</b>   | --              |
| · <b>Packing group</b>   |                 |
| · <b>ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>   | --              |
| · <b>Environmental hazards:</b>  |                 |
| · <b>Marine pollutant:</b>   | No              |
| · <b>Special precautions for user</b>  | Not applicable. |
| · <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</b> | Not applicable. |

### 15 Regulatory information

- **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

### 16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge and should assist the user with the safe handling of this material when properly applied. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

#### · **Relevant phrases**

- H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.
- H302 Harmful if swallowed.
- H315 Causes skin irritation.
- H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
- H332 Harmful if inhaled.
- H335 May cause respiratory irritation.
- H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.
- H351 Suspected of causing cancer.
- H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
- H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
- R10 Flammable.
- R20/22 Harmful by inhalation and if swallowed.
- R36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.
- R37 Irritating to respiratory system.
- R40 Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect.
- R43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact.
- R51/53 Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

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R52/53 Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

R68 Possible risk of irreversible effects.

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• **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

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

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

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

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

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