

Safety data sheet

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

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name: Monostep Lowicryl HM20-Non Polar Embedding Media**
- **Article number:** AGR1076
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the preparation:** No Further Information Available
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Supplier.**
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- **Further information obtainable from:** Technical Support
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:** 24 hours: +44 (0)1856 407333

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

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



flame

Flam. Liq. 3 H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.
Flam. Sol. 1 H228 Flammable solid.



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.
STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02 GHS07

- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**
2-Propenoic acid, 2-methyl-, ethyl ester
4-methoxyphenol
- **Hazard statements**
H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.
H228 Flammable solid.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

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H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

· **Precautionary statements**

P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P102 Keep out of reach of children.

P103 Read carefully and follow all instructions.

P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

P241 Use explosion-proof [electrical/ventilating/lighting] equipment.

P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **2.3 Other hazards**

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

· **3.2 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures**

· **Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 97-63-2	2-Propenoic acid, 2-methyl-, ethyl ester	50-100%
EINECS: 202-597-5	⚠ Flam. Liq. 2, H225; ⚠ Skin Irrit. 2, H315; Eye Irrit. 2, H319; Skin Sens. 1, H317; STOT SE 3, H335	
CAS: 150-76-5	4-methoxyphenol	2.5-10%
EINECS: 205-769-8	⚠ Acute Tox. 4, H302; Eye Irrit. 2, H319; Skin Sens. 1, H317	
CAS: 3524-62-7	Initiator C (Lowicryl HM20)	2.5-10%
EINECS: 222-538-7	⚠ Acute Tox. 3, H301; ⚠ Skin Irrit. 2, H315; Eye Irrit. 2, H319	

· **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

· **4.1 Description of first aid measures**

· **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

· **After inhalation:**

Supply fresh air.

No adverse effects are anticipated from inhalation.

· **After skin contact:** Wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

· **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

· **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.

· **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

No further relevant information available.

· **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
No further relevant information available.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear protective gloves and glasses.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **6.4 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.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling** Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:**
The dried resin is combustible, similar to wood. Burning dry resin emits dense, black smoke. As latex, material is not combustible.
Protect against electrostatic charges.
- **7.2 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 container tightly sealed.
Store at 4
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.
- **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.
- **8.2 Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

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- **Respiratory protection:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

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

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:**



Tightly sealed goggles

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

- **General Information**

- **Appearance:**

Form:	Fluid
Colour:	According to product specification
Odour:	Characteristic
Odour threshold:	Not determined.

- **pH-value:** Not applicable.

- **Change in condition**

Melting point/freezing point:	Undetermined.
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	118.9 °C

- **Flash point:** 64 °C

- **Flammability (solid, gas):** Flammable.

- **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

- **Auto-ignition temperature:** Product is not selfigniting.

- **Explosive properties:** Not determined.

- **Explosion limits:**

Lower:	1.8 Vol %
Upper:	Not determined.

- **Vapour pressure at 20 °C:** 16 hPa

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· Density at 20 °C:	0.91 g/cm ³
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not applicable.
· Evaporation rate	Not applicable.

· Solubility in / Miscibility with water:	Soluble.
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· Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	Not determined.
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· Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not applicable.
Kinematic:	Not applicable.

· **Solvent content:**

Solids content:	100.0 %
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· **9.2 Other information** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

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

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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

97-63-2 2-Propenoic acid, 2-methyl-, ethyl ester

Oral	LD50	14,800 mg/kg (rat)
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3524-62-7 Initiator C (Lowicryl HM20)

Oral	LD50	7,560 mg/kg (rat)
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· **Specific symptoms in biological assay:**

· **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Causes skin irritation.

· **Serious eye damage/irritation**

Causes serious eye irritation.

· **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

· **Additional toxicological information:**

· **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**

· **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **STOT-single exposure**

May cause respiratory irritation.

· **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.


SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 2 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): 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.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

SECTION 14: Transport information

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.1 UN-Number · ADR, IMDG, IATA 	<p>UN1866</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.2 UN proper shipping name · ADR · IMDG, IATA 	<p>1866 RESIN SOLUTION RESIN SOLUTION</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) · ADR, IMDG, IATA <div style="text-align: center; margin: 10px 0;">  </div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Class · Label 	<p>3 Flammable liquids. 3</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.4 Packing group · ADR 	<p>II</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.5 Environmental hazards: · Marine pollutant: 	<p>No</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.6 Special precautions for user · EMS Number: 	<p>Warning: Flammable liquids. F-E, S-E</p>

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| · 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| · Transport/Additional information: | |
| · ADR | |
| · Limited quantities (LQ) | 5L |
| · Excepted quantities (EQ) | Code: E2
Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 g
Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 g |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | UN 1866 RESIN SOLUTION, 3, II |

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.
- **Seveso category** P5c FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements** 5,000 t
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements** 50,000 t
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 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**
 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
 H301 Toxic if swallowed.
 H302 Harmful if swallowed.
 H315 Causes skin irritation.
 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.
- **Department issuing SDS:** Sales department
- **Contact:**
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 Tel: +44 (0) 1279 813 519
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
 ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
 IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
 IATA: International Air Transport Association
 GHS: Globally Harmonised 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)
 LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
 LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
 PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
 vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
 Flam. Liq. 2: Flammable liquids – Category 2
 Flam. Liq. 3: Flammable liquids – Category 3
 Flam. Sol. 1: Flammable solids – Category 1
 Acute Tox. 3: Acute toxicity – Category 3
 Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4

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Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2
Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2
Skin Sens. 1: Skin sensitisation – Category 1
STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3

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· * **Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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