

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## Section 1 - Product and Company Information

Product Name	GLYCEROL ANHYDROUS
Product Number	HR2-623
Company	Hampton Research
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## Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient

Substance Name	CAS #	SARA 313
GLYCEROL	56-81-5	No
Formula	C3H8O3	
Synonyms	Glycerol, Citifluor AF 2, Glycerin, Glycerin, anhydrous, Glycerine, Glycerin mist (ACGIH, OSHA), Glycerin, synthetic, Glyceritol, Glycyl alcohol, Clyzerin, wasserfrei (German), Grocolene, MOON, 1, 2, 3-Propanetriol, Osmoglyn, Star, Synthetic glycerin, 90 Technical glycerine, Trihydroxypropane, 1, 2, 3-Trihydroxypropane	
RTECS Number:	MA8050000	

## Section 3 - Hazards Identification

## EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Caution: Avoid contact and inhalation. Target organ(s): Kidneys.

## HMIS RATING

HEALTH: 1\*  
FLAMMABILITY: 0  
REACTIVITY: 1

## NFPA RATING

HEALTH: 1  
FLAMMABILITY: 0  
REACTIVITY: 1

\*additional chronic hazards present.

For additional information on toxicity, please refer to Section 11.

## Section 4 - First Aid Measures

## ORAL EXPOSURE

If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician.

#### INHALATION EXPOSURE

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult, call a physician.

#### DERMAL EXPOSURE

In case of contact, immediately wash skin with soap and copious amounts of water.

#### EYE EXPOSURE

In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. Call a physician.

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### Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

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#### FLASH POINT

320 °F 160 °C Method: closed cup

#### EXPLOSION LIMITS

Lower: 0.9 %

#### AUTOIGNITION TEMP

370 °C

#### FLAMMABILITY

N/A

#### EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Suitable: Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.

#### FIREFIGHTING

Protective Equipment: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.  
Specific Hazard(s): Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

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### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

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#### PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)

Exercise appropriate precautions to minimize direct contact with skin or eyes and prevent inhalation of vapors.

#### METHODS FOR CLEANING UP

Absorb on sand or vermiculite and place in closed containers for disposal. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

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### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

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#### HANDLING

User Exposure: Avoid inhalation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

#### STORAGE

Suitable: Keep tightly closed.

#### SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Hygroscopic.

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### Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE

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#### ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Safety shower and eye bath. Mechanical exhaust required.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Respiratory: Wear dust mask.  
Hand: Protective gloves.  
Eye: Chemical safety goggles.

GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES

Wash thoroughly after handling.

EXPOSURE LIMITS, RTECS

Country	Source	Type	Value
USA USA	ACGIH ACGIH	TWA TWA	10 MG/M3 10 MG/M3
Remarks: inhalable particulate			
USA USA	MSHA Standard MSHA		
Remarks: Nuisance Particulates (mist). Nuisance			
USA USA	OSHA. OSHA.	PEL PEL	8H TWA 15 MG/M3, TOTAL DUST 8H
New Zealand	OEL OEL		
Remarks: check ACGIH TLV check ACGIH TLV			

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Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

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Appearance	Physical State: Liquid	
Property	Value	At Temperature or Pressure
Molecular Weight	92.09 AMU	
pH	5.5 - 8	
BP/BP Range	182 °C	20 mmHg
MP/MP Range	20 °C	
Freezing Point	N/A	
Vapor Pressure	< 1 mmHg	20 °C
Vapor Density	3.1 g/l	
Saturated Vapor Conc.	N/A	
SG/Density	1.262 g/cm3	
Bulk Density	N/A	
Odor Threshold	N/A	
Volatile%	N/A	
VOC Content	N/A	
Water Content	< 0.1 %	
Solvent Content	N/A	
Evaporation Rate	N/A	
Viscosity	N/A	
Surface Tension	N/A	
Partition Coefficient	N/A	
Decomposition Temp.	N/A	
Flash Point	320 °F 160 °C	Method: closed cup
Explosion Limits	Lower: 0.9 %	
Flammability	N/A	
Autoignition Temp	370 °C	
Refractive Index	1.474	
Optical Rotation	N/A	
Miscellaneous Data	N/A	
Solubility	Solubility in Water: 5 M in H2O, 20°C complete, colorless	

N/A = not available

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Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

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STABILITY

Stable: Stable.

Conditions to Avoid: Protect from moisture.  
Materials to Avoid: Strong bases, Strong oxidizing agents.

#### HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide.

#### HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

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### Section 11 - Toxicological Information

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#### ROUTE OF EXPOSURE

Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation.  
Skin Absorption: May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.  
Eye Contact: May cause eye irritation.  
Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material may be irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.  
Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

#### TARGET ORGAN(S) OR SYSTEM(S)

Kidneys.

#### SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

Prolonged exposure can cause: Nausea, headache, and vomiting.

#### TOXICITY DATA

Skin  
Rabbit  
> 10,000 mg/kg

LD50

Oral

Rat

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LD50

Inhalation

Rat

> 4 mg/kg

LC50

Oral

Rat

12,600 mg/kg

LD50

Remarks: Behavioral:General anesthetic. Behavioral:Muscle weakness. Liver:Other changes.

Inhalation

Rat

> 570 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

LC50

Intraperitoneal

Rat

4420 MG/KG

LD50

Remarks: Behavioral:Toxic psychosis. Cardiac:Other changes. Kidney, Ureter, Bladder:Other changes.

Subcutaneous

Rat

100 MG/KG

LD50

Intravenous  
Rat  
5566 MG/KG  
LD50

Oral  
Mouse  
4,090 mg/kg  
LD50

Intraperitoneal  
Mouse  
8700 MG/KG  
LD50  
Remarks: Behavioral:Altered sleep time (including change in  
righting reflex).

Subcutaneous  
Mouse  
91 MG/KG  
LD50

Intravenous  
Mouse  
4250 MG/KG  
LD50

Oral  
Rabbit  
27,000 mg/kg  
LD50

Skin  
Rabbit  
> 10,000 mg/kg  
LD50

Intravenous  
Rabbit  
53 GM/KG  
LD50

Oral  
Guinea pig  
7,750 mg/kg  
LD50

#### IRRITATION DATA

Skin  
Rabbit  
500 mg  
24H  
Remarks: Mild irritation effect

Eyes  
Rabbit  
126 mg  
Remarks: Mild irritation effect

Eyes

Rabbit  
500 mg  
24H  
Remarks: Mild irritation effect

#### CHRONIC EXPOSURE - MUTAGEN

Species: Human  
Dose: 200 MMOL/L  
Cell Type: lymphocyte  
Mutation test: DNA inhibition

Species: Rat  
Route: Oral  
Dose: 1 GM/KG  
Mutation test: Cytogenetic analysis

#### CHRONIC EXPOSURE - REPRODUCTIVE HAZARD

Species: Rat  
Dose: 100 MG/KG  
Route of Application: Oral  
Exposure Time: (1D MALE)  
Result: Effects on Fertility: Post-implantation mortality (e.g., dead and/or resorbed implants per total number of implants).

Species: Rat  
Dose: 280 MG/KG  
Route of Application: Intratesticular  
Exposure Time: (2D MALE)  
Result: Paternal Effects: Spermatogenesis (including genetic material, sperm morphology, motility, and count). Paternal Effects: Testes, epididymis, sperm duct.

Species: Rat  
Dose: 1600 MG/KG  
Route of Application: Intratesticular  
Exposure Time: (1D MALE)  
Result: Effects on Fertility: Male fertility index (e.g., # males impregnating females per # males exposed to fertile nonpregnant females).

Species: Rat  
Dose: 862 MG/KG  
Route of Application: Intratesticular  
Exposure Time: (1D MALE)  
Result: Paternal Effects: Spermatogenesis (including genetic material, sperm morphology, motility, and count).

Species: Monkey  
Dose: 119 MG/KG  
Route of Application: Intratesticular  
Exposure Time: (1D MALE)  
Result: Paternal Effects: Spermatogenesis (including genetic material, sperm morphology, motility, and count). Paternal Effects: Testes, epididymis, sperm duct.

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#### Section 12 - Ecological Information

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No data available.

#### ACUTE ECOTOXICITY TESTS

Test Type: LC50 Fish  
Species: other fish  
Value: > 100,100 mg/l

Test Type: LC50 Fish  
Species: Pimephales promelas (Fathead minnow)  
Value: 44,000 mg/l

Test Type: LC50 Fish  
Species: Carassius auratus (Goldfish)  
Value: > 5,000 mg/l

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## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

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### APPROPRIATE METHOD OF DISPOSAL OF SUBSTANCE OR PREPARATION

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

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## Section 14 - Transport Information

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### DOT

Proper Shipping Name: None  
Non-Hazardous for Transport: This substance is considered to be non-hazardous for transport.

### IATA

Non-Hazardous for Air Transport: Non-hazardous for air transport.

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## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

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### EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION

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Safety Statements: Do not breathe vapor. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

### US CLASSIFICATION AND LABEL TEXT

US Statements: Caution: Avoid contact and inhalation. Target organ(s): Kidneys.

### UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA LISTED: No

TSCA INVENTORY ITEM: Yes Yes

### CANADA REGULATORY INFORMATION

WHMIS Classification: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

DSL: Yes

NDSL: No

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## Section 16 - Other Information

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