



**Section 1: Identification**

**PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION**

**Product Name:** Vinyl toluene **Molecular Formula:** C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>10</sub>  
**Catalog Number(s):** M-102  
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**Section 2: Hazards Identification**

**Classification of the substance or mixture**

**GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)**

Flammable liquids, Category 3, H226  
Acute toxicity, Inhalation, Category 4, H332  
Skin irritation, Category 2, H315  
Eye irritation, Category 2A, H319  
Aspiration Toxicity, Category 1, H304  
Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 2), H401

**GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements**

Pictogram



Signal word **Danger**

Hazard statement(s)

H226 Flammable liquid and vapor.  
H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
H332 Harmful if inhaled.  
H335 May cause respiratory irritation.  
H401 Toxic to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.  
P233 Keep container tightly closed.  
P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.  
P241 Use explosion proof electrical, ventilating, lighting and all material handling equipment.  
P242 Use only non-sparking tools.  
P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.  
P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well ventilated area.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301+P310	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician.
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
P304+P340+P312	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P331	Do NOT induce vomiting.
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P362	Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
P370+P378	In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol resistant foam for extinction.
P403+P233	Store in a well ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P403+P235	Store in a well ventilated place. Keep cool.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS – none**

To the best of our knowledge, the toxicological properties of this chemical have not been thoroughly investigated. Use appropriate procedures and precautions to prevent or minimize exposure.

**Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients**

Ingredient	CAS Number	Concentration (%)
Vinyl toluene	25013-15-4	100

**Section 4: First Aid Measures**

**Description of first aid measures**

**General advice**

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

**If inhaled**

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

**In case of skin contact**

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

**In case of eye contact**

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

**If swallowed**

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

**Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

No data available.

**Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

**Further information**

Use water spray to cool unopened containers

**Section 6: Accidental Release Measures**

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapors accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapors can accumulate in low areas. For personal protection see section 8.

**Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

**Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

**Section 7: Handling and Storage**

**Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist. Keep away from sources of ignition-No smoking. Take measure to prevent the buildup of electrostatic charge. For precautions see section 2.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Recommended storage temperature 2 – 8° C  
Storage class (TRGS 510): Flammable liquids

**Specific end use(s)**

Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

**Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

**Control parameters**

**Components with workplace control parameters**

Component	CAS-No	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Vinyltoluene	25013-15-4	TWA	50 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Remarks	Upper respiratory tract irritation. Eye irritation. Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.		
		TWA	50.000000 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)

		Upper respiratory tract irritation. Eye irritation. Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.		
		STEL	100 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		Upper respiratory tract irritation. Eye irritation. Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.		
		STEL	100.000000 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		Upper respiratory tract irritation. Eye irritation. Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.		
		TWA	100.000000 ppm 480.000000 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA)- Table Z-2
		The value in mg/m3 is approximate.		
		TWA	100.000000 ppm 480.000000 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
		PEL	50 ppm 240 mg/m3	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)

## Exposure controls

### Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye/face protection

Face shield and safety glasses. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

#### Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air purifying respirators are appropriate use a full face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage of spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a)	Appearance	Form: Liquid
b)	Odor	No data available
c)	Odor Threshold	No data available
d)	pH	No data available
e)	Melting point/freezing point	No data available
f)	Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available
g)	Flash point	52° C (126° F) –Closed cup

h)	Evaporation rate	No data available
i)	Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j)	Flammability or explosive limits	
	Upper	No data available
	Lower	No data available
k)	Vapor pressure	No data available
l)	Vapor density	No data available
m)	Relative density	0.893 g/cm <sup>3</sup> @ 25° C (77° F)
n)	Water solubility	Insoluble
o)	Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	No data available
p)	Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
q)	Decomposition temperature	No data available
r)	Viscosity	No data available
s)	Explosive properties	No data available
t)	Oxidizing properties	No data available

**Other safety information**

No data available

**Section 10: Stability and Reactivity**

**Reactivity**

No data available

**Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions**

No data available

**Conditions to avoid**

Heat, flames and sparks.

**Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids

**Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions- Carbon oxides

Other decomposition products- no data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

**Section 11: Toxicological Information**

**Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral- Rat- 3,275 mg/kg

LC50 Inhalation –Rat- 4 h – 16.891 mg/l

LD50 Dermal- Rabbit- >4,400 mg/kg

**Skin Corrosion/Irritation**

Skin- Rabbit

Result: Skin irritation

**Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation**

Eyes- Rabbit

Result: Eye irritation

**Respiratory or Skin Sensitization**

No data available

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

No data available

**Carcinogenicity**

This product is or contains a component that has been reported to be possibly carcinogenic based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP or EPA classification.

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: Reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen (Styrene)

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by OSHA.

#### Reproductive Toxicity

No data available

#### Specific Target Organ Toxicity – Single Exposure

The substance or mixture is classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure, category 3 with respiratory tract irritation.

#### Specific Target Organ Toxicity – Repeated Exposure

No data available

#### Aspiration Hazard

May be fatal if swallowed and enters the airways.

#### Additional Information:

RTECS: Not available

## Section 12: Ecological Information

#### Toxicity

Toxicity to fish Static test LC50- Pimephales promelas (Fathead minnow) – 5.2 mg/l – 96 h (OECD Test Guideline 203)

Toxicity to daphnia and Other aquatic invertebrates Immobilization EC50- Daphnia magna (Water flea) – 1.3 mg/l – 48 h (OECD Test Guideline 202)

Toxicity to algae Growth inhibition EC50- Selenastrum capricornutum (green algae) – 2.6 mg/l – 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201)

#### Persistence & Degradability

No data available

#### Bioaccumulation Potential

Bioaccumulation Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill sunfish) 30 d – 0.25 mg/l

Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 96

#### Mobility in Soil

No data available

#### Results of PBT and vPvB Assessment:

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted.

#### Other Adverse Effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal. Toxic to aquatic life

## Section 13: Disposal Considerations

#### Waste treatment methods

**Product**

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

<b>Section 14: Transport Information</b>
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**DOT (US)**

UN number: 2618	Class: 3	Packing group: III
Proper shipping name: Vinyltoluenes, stabilized		
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No		

**IMDG**

UN number: 2618	Class: 3	Packing group: III
Proper shipping name: Vinyltoluenes, stabilized		

**IATA**

UN number: 2618	Class: 3	Packing group: III
Proper shipping name: Vinyltoluenes, stabilized		

<b>Section 15: Regulatory Information</b>
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**SARA 302 Components**

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

**SARA 313 Components**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

Vinyltoluene	CAS No. 25013-15-4
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**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

Vinyltoluene	CAS No. 25013-15-4
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**New Jersey Right To Know Components**

Vinyltoluene	CAS No. 25013-15-4
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**California Prop. 65 Components**

This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

<b>Section 16: Other Information</b>
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**HMIS Rating**

Health:	2
Flammability:	2
Reactivity:	0

**NFPA Rating**

Health:	2
Flammability:	2
Reactivity:	0

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