

SAFETY DATA SHEET



Section 1. Identification

Product identifier	: ADDONYL 8073
Material Number	: 00488860
Chemical name	: polyethylene glycol
Identified uses	: Additives for use in the production of polyurethanes
Supplier/Manufacturer	: LANXESS Corporation Rhein Chemie Additives 111 RIDC Park West Drive Pittsburgh, PA 15275-1112 USA
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Section 2. Hazards identification

HAZCOM Standard Status	: While this material is not considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200), the SDS contains valuable information critical to the safe handling and proper use of the product. The SDS should be retained and available for employees and other users of this product.
Physical state	: Solid.
Color	: Colorless.
Classification of the substance or mixture	: Not classified.
Signal word	: No signal word.
Hazard statements	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)	: None known.
Precautionary statements	
Prevention	: Not applicable.
Response	: Not applicable.
Storage	: Not applicable.
Disposal	: Not applicable.
Supplemental label elements	: Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials and food and drink.

Section 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Substance/mixture	: Substance
Chemical name	: polyethylene glycol
CAS number	: 25322-68-3

There are no ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health and hence require reporting in this section.

Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

Section 4. First aid measures

Description of first aid measures

- Eye contact** : Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.
- Inhalation** : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
- Skin contact** : Flush contaminated skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
- Ingestion** : Wash out mouth with water. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If material has been swallowed and the exposed person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Potential acute health effects

- Eye contact** : May cause eye irritation.
- Inhalation** : May cause respiratory irritation.
- Skin contact** : May cause slight irritation.
- Ingestion** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Over-exposure signs/symptoms

- Eye contact** : May cause irritation with symptoms of reddening, tearing and stinging.
- Inhalation** : May cause respiratory tract irritation with symptoms of coughing, sore throat and runny nose.
- Skin contact** : May cause irritation with symptoms of reddening and itching.
- Ingestion** : No specific data.

Potential chronic health effects

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically. No specific treatment.

Protection of first-aiders : No special measures required.

See toxicological information (Section 11)

Section 5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media** : Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire. In case of fire, use water spray (fog), foam or dry chemical.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media** : None known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical : No specific fire or explosion hazard.

Hazardous thermal decomposition products : Decomposition products may include the following materials:
carbon dioxide
carbon monoxide

Special protective actions for fire-fighters : Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters : Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

Section 6. Accidental release measures

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** : No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.
- Environmental precautions** : Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).
- Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up** : Move containers from spill area. Vacuum or sweep up material and place in a designated, labeled waste container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Note: see Section 1 for emergency contact information and Section 13 for waste disposal. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas.

Section 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

- Protective measures** : Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Put on appropriate personal protection equipment. Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed.
- Conditions for safe storage** : Do not store above the following temperature: 50°C (122°F). Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues.

Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

No exposure limit value known.

- Appropriate engineering controls** : Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control worker exposure to airborne contaminants.

Personal protection

- Hygiene measures** : Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.
- Respiratory protection** : Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.
- Skin protection** : Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves. Suitable protective footwear.
- Eye/face protection** : If contact with product is possible, wear safety glasses with side shields.
- Medical Surveillance** : Not available.

Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

- Physical state** : Solid. [flakes]
- Color** : Colorless.
- Odor** : Slight Characteristic
- Odor threshold** : Not available.
- pH** : 5 to 7 [Conc. (% w/w): 10%]
- Boiling point** : Not available.
- Melting point** : 60°C (140°F)

Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

Flash point	: Closed cup: 240°C (464°F) [DIN 51376]
Evaporation rate	: Not available.
Explosion limits	: Not available.
Vapor pressure	: Not available.
Density	: 1.2 g/cm ³
Specific gravity (Relative density)	: Not available.
Bulk density	: 400 to 500 kg/m ³
Solubility	: Easily soluble in the following materials: cold water
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: <-1
Vapor density	: Not available.
Viscosity	: Dynamic: 2700 to 3500 mPa·s Kinematic: 25 to 35 cm ² /s
Ignition temperature	: >320°C
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not available.
Decomposition temperature	: 360°C

Section 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	: No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients.
Chemical stability	: The product is stable.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	: Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.
Conditions to avoid	: No specific data.
Incompatible materials	: No specific data.
Hazardous decomposition products	: Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

Section 11. Toxicological information

Information on the likely routes of exposure : Dermal contact. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Potential acute health effects

Eye contact	: May cause eye irritation.
Inhalation	: May cause respiratory irritation.
Skin contact	: May cause slight irritation.
Ingestion	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Eye contact	: May cause irritation with symptoms of reddening, tearing and stinging.
Inhalation	: May cause respiratory tract irritation with symptoms of coughing, sore throat and runny nose.
Skin contact	: May cause irritation with symptoms of reddening and itching.
Ingestion	: No specific data.

Potential chronic health effects

Short term exposure

Potential immediate effects : Not available.

Long term exposure

Potential delayed effects : Not available.

General : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Carcinogenicity : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Section 11. Toxicological information

- Mutagenicity** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Teratogenicity : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Developmental effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Fertility effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Dose	Exposure	Test
Polyethylene Glycol	LD50 Oral	Rat	>5000 mg/kg	-	-
Polyethylene Glycol	LD50 Dermal	Rabbit	>5000 mg/kg	-	-

Irritation/Corrosion

Conclusion/Summary

- Skin** : Non-irritating
Eyes : Non-irritating

Sensitization

Product/ingredient name	Route of exposure	Species	Result
Polyethylene Glycol	skin	Guinea pig	Not sensitizing

Mutagenicity

Product/ingredient name	Test	Experiment	Result
Polyethylene Glycol	OECD Ames test: OECD 471 Bacterial Reverse Mutation Test	Experiment: In vitro Subject: Bacteria	Negative
	-	Experiment: In vivo Subject: Insect	Negative

Carcinogenicity

Product/ingredient name	CAS #	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Polyethylene Glycol	25322-68-3	Not classified.	Not classified.	Not classified.

Section 12. Ecological information

Toxicity

Product/ingredient name	Test	Result	Species	Exposure
Polyethylene Glycol	OECD OECD- Confirmatory Test 202 <i>Daphnia</i> sp. Acute Immobilization Test	Acute EC50 >100 mg/l	Daphnia - <i>Daphnia magna</i>	48 hours
	-	Acute IC50 >100 mg/l	Algae - <i>Desmodesmus subspicatus</i>	72 hours
	OECD OECD- Confirmatory Test 203 Fish, Acute Toxicity Test	Acute LC50 >100 mg/l	Fish - <i>Cyprinus carpio</i>	96 hours

- Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

Persistence and degradability

- Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

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Product/ingredient name	Aquatic half-life	Photolysis	Biodegradability
polyethylene glycol	-	-	Readily
Polyethylene Glycol	-	-	Readily

Bioaccumulative potential

Product/ingredient name	LogP _{ow}	BCF	Potential
polyethylene glycol	<-1	-	low
Polyethylene Glycol	<3	-	low

Mobility in soil

Soil/water partition coefficient (K_{oc}) : Not available.

Other adverse effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Section 13. Disposal considerations

Disposal methods : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Waste disposal should be in accordance with existing federal state, provincial and or local environmental controls laws.

RCRA classification : : If discarded in its purchased form, this product would not be a hazardous waste either by listing or by characteristic. However, under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the product user to determine at the time of disposal, whether a material containing the product or derived from the product should be classified as a hazardous waste. (40 CFR 261.20-24)

Section 14. Transport information

Regulatory information	UN number	Proper shipping name	Classes	PG*	Label	Additional information
DOT Classification	-	-	-	-		Not regulated.
IMDG Class	-	-	-	-		Not regulated.
IATA-DGR Class	-	-	-	-		Not regulated.

PG* : Packing group

RQ : 0 lbs

Section 15. Regulatory information

SARA 311/312 : None

SARA Title III Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances : None

SARA Title III Section 313 Toxic Chemicals : None

US EPA CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302.4) : None

State regulations

The following chemicals are specifically listed by individual states; other product specific health and safety data in other sections on the SDS may also be applicable for state requirements. For details on your regulatory requirements you should contact the appropriate agency in your state.

Section 15. Regulatory information

Ingredient name CAS number State Code Concentration (%)

Massachusetts Substances: MA - S

Massachusetts Extraordinary Hazardous Substances: MA - Extra HS

New Jersey Hazardous Substances: NJ - HS

Pennsylvania RTK Hazardous Substances: PA - RTK HS

Pennsylvania Special Hazardous Substances: PA - Special HS

California Prop. 65

U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act : Listed on the TSCA Inventory.

Section 16. Other information

Hazardous Material Information System

Health	1
Flammability	1
Physical hazards	0

0=Insignificant 1=Slight 2=Moderate 3=High 4=Extreme
*=Chronic

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0= Minimal 1=Slight 2=Moderate 3=Serious 4=Severe

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