

Right to Know Hazardous Substance Fact Sheet

Emergency Responders Quick Reference

Common Name: 2-(2-AMINOETHOXY)ETHANOL

Synonyms: DGA; Diglycolamine

CAS No: 929-06-6

Molecular Formula: C₄H₁₁NO₂ RTK Substance No: 0073

Description: Colorless liquid with a faint, fish-like or Amine odor

HAZARD DATA		
Hazard Rating	Firefighting	Reactivity
3 - Health 1 - Fire	2-(2-Aminoethoxy)Ethanol may burn, but does not readily ignite. Use dry chemical, CO ₂ , water spray or foam as	2-(2-Aminoethoxy)Ethanol reacts violently with STRONG ACIDS (such as HYDROCHLORIC, SULFURIC and NITRIC).
0 - Reactivity DOT#: UN 3055 ERG Guide #: 154 Hazard Class: 8 (Corrosive)	extinguishing agents. Water or foam may cause frothing. DO NOT use solid streams of water. POISONOUS GASES ARE PRODUCED IN FIRE, including <i>Nitrogen Oxides</i> and <i>Ammonia</i> . Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.	2-(2-Aminoethoxy)Ethanol reacts with REDUCING AGENTS (such as LITHIUM, SODIUM, ALUMINUM and their HYDRIDES) to produce flammable and explosive Hydrogen gas. 2-(2-Aminoethoxy)Ethanol is not compatible with ISOCYANATES; HALOGENATED ORGANICS (such as TRICHLOROETHANE and METHYLENE CHLORIDE); METALS and their ALLOYS (such as COPPER, ZINC, and GALVANIZED IRON); PHENOLS; ALCOHOLS; EPOXIDES; ANHYDRIDES; and ACID HALIDES.

SPILL/LEAKS

Isolation Distance:

Spill: 50 meters (150 feet) Fire: 800 meters (1/2 mile)

Absorb liquids in vermiculite, dry sand, earth, or a similar material and place into sealed containers for disposal.

Use only non-sparking tools and equipment, especially when opening and closing containers of

2-(2-Aminoethoxy)Ethanol. DO NOT wash into sewer.

EXPOSURE LIMITS

No occupational exposure limits have been established for **2-(2-Aminoethoxy)Ethanol**.

HEALTH EFFECTS

Eyes: Irritation and burns

Skin: Irritation and burns with redness and

blisters

Inhalation: Nose, throat and lung irritation with

coughing and severe shortness of

breath (pulmonary edema)

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Odor Threshold: Amine odor Flash Point: 255°F (124°C)

LEL: 2.6% **UEL**: 11.7%

Auto Ignition Temp: $694^{\circ}F$ ($368^{\circ}C$) Vapor Density: 3.6 (air = 1)

Vapor Pressure: 0.01 mm Hg at 68°F (20°C)

Specific Gravity:
Water Solubility:
Boiling Point:
Melting Point:
Molecular Weight:

pH:

1.1 (water = 1)
Soluble
430°F (221°C)
10°F (-12°C)
105.2
11.8

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Gloves: Silver Shield®/4H® (>4-hr breakthrough)

Coveralls: Tychem® fabrics; Zytron® 300; Saint-Gobain ONESuit®

TEC; and Trellchem® fabrics (>8-hr breakthrough for

Diethylamine)

Respirator: Supplied air or SCBA

FIRST AID AND DECONTAMINATION

Remove the person from exposure.

Flush eyes with large amounts of water for at least 30 minutes. Remove contact lenses if worn. Seek medical attention.

Quickly remove contaminated clothing and wash contaminated skin with large amounts of water. Seek medical attention.

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Medical observation is recommended as symptoms may be delayed.