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#### 1. Identification

#### Product identifier used on the label

# Pluronic® L 62 LF

#### Recommended use of the chemical and restriction on use

Recommended use\*: Chemical

# Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company:

BASF CORPORATION 100 Park Avenue Florham Park, NJ 07932, USA

Telephone: +1 973 245-6000

# **Emergency telephone number**

CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

BASF HOTLINE: 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

# Other means of identification

Chemical family: polyglycol

Synonyms: Polyoxypropylene-polyoxyethylene Block Copolymer

# 2. Hazards Identification

# According to Regulation 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard; 29 CFR Part 1910.1200

# Classification of the product

No need for classification according to GHS criteria for this product.

#### Label elements

The product does not require a hazard warning label in accordance with GHS criteria.

<sup>\*</sup> The "Recommended use" identified for this product is provided solely to comply with a Federal requirement and is not part of the seller's published specification. The terms of this Safety Data Sheet (SDS) do not create or infer any warranty, express or implied, including by incorporation into or reference in the seller's sales agreement.

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### Hazards not otherwise classified

No specific dangers known, if the regulations/notes for storage and handling are considered.

# Labeling of special preparations (GHS):

This surfactant complies with the biodegradability criteria as laid down in Regulation (EC) No.648/2004 on detergents. Data to support this assertion are held at the disposal of the competent authorities of the Member States and will be made available to them at their direct request or at the request of a detergent manufacturer.

# 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

# According to Regulation 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard; 29 CFR Part 1910.1200

Under the referenced regulation, this product does not contain any components classified for health hazards above the relevant cut off value.

# 4. First-Aid Measures

# **Description of first aid measures**

#### General advice:

Remove contaminated clothing.

#### If inhaled:

Keep patient calm, remove to fresh air.

#### If on skin:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water.

#### If in eyes:

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open.

### If swallowed:

Rinse mouth and then drink plenty of water.

# Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms: No significant symptoms are expected due to the non-classification of the product.

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physician

Treatment: Symptomatic treatment (decontamination, vital functions).

# 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

# **Extinguishing media**

Suitable extinguishing media: water spray, dry powder, foam

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# Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards during fire-fighting:

harmful vapours

Evolution of fumes/fog. The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire.

# Advice for fire-fighters

Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in confined areas or when exposed to combustion products.

#### **Further information:**

Contaminated extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with official regulations.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective clothing. Information regarding personal protective measures see, section 8.

# **Environmental precautions**

Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

# Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For small amounts: Pick up with absorbent material (e.g. sand, sawdust, general-purpose binder).

Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations.

For large amounts: Pump off product.

Spills should be contained, solidified, and placed in suitable containers for disposal.

# 7. Handling and Storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

Keep container tightly closed. Protect from the effects of light.

Protection against fire and explosion:

No special precautions necessary.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Suitable materials for containers: Stainless steel 1.4301 (V2), Stainless steel 1.4401, Aluminium, High density polyethylene (HDPE), glass, Low density polyethylene (LDPE)

Further information on storage conditions: Keep in a cool place.

# 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

No occupational exposure limits known.

# Advice on system design:

Provide local exhaust ventilation to control vapours/mists.

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# Personal protective equipment

#### Respiratory protection:

Respiratory protection in case of vapour/aerosol release. Particle filter with medium efficiency for solid and liquid particles (e.g. EN 143 or 149, Type P2 or FFP2)

### Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves

#### Eye protection:

Wear face shield or tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles) if splashing hazard exists.

#### **Body protection:**

Body protection must be chosen based on level of activity and exposure.

# General safety and hygiene measures:

Wear protective clothing as necessary to minimize contact. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Remove contaminated clothing.

# 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: liquid

Odour: mild, of polyol
Odour threshold: No data available.
Colour: slightly milky, cloudy

pH value: 5 - 7.5

Freezing point: approx. -10 °C

(1,013 hPa)

Boiling point: > 300 °F

Flash point: > 215 °C (ASTM D92)

Autoignition: No data available. Vapour pressure: < 0.1 mmHg

(25 °C)

Density: 1.03 g/cm3

(25 °C)

Relative density: 1.03

( 25 °C) 1,030 kg/m3

Bulk density: 1,030 kg/m3
Vapour density: No data available.
Thermal decomposition: No data available.

Viscosity, dynamic: 400 mPa.s

(25°C)

Particle size: The substance / product is marketed

or used in a non solid or granular

form.

Solubility in water: soluble
Molar mass: 2,500 g/mol
Evaporation rate: No data available.

Other Information: If necessary, information on other physical and chemical

parameters is indicated in this section.

# 10. Stability and Reactivity

#### Reactivity

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Corrosion to metals:

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No corrosive effect on metal.

# **Chemical stability**

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

# Possibility of hazardous reactions

No hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to instructions.

The product is chemically stable.

#### **Conditions to avoid**

See MSDS section 7 - Handling and storage.

# Incompatible materials

No data available.

strong bases, strong acids, strong oxidizing agents

# **Hazardous decomposition products**

Decomposition products:

Hazardous decomposition products: No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Thermal decomposition:

No data available.

# 11. Toxicological information

# Primary routes of exposure

Routes of entry for solids and liquids are ingestion and inhalation, but may include eye or skin contact. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquefied gases.

# **Acute Toxicity/Effects**

#### Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity: No data available.

Oral

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat

Value: > 5,000 mg/kg

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Species: rat

Value: 5,000 mg/kg 5000

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat

Value: approx. ~ 5.5 ml/kg

Practically nontoxic.

**Dermal** 

Type of value: ATE Value: > 5,000 mg/kg

<u>Eye</u>

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Species: rabbit Result: non-irritant Method: Draize test

Sensitization

Assessment of sensitization: No data available.

No sensitizing effect.

Aspiration Hazard No data available.

# **Chronic Toxicity/Effects**

#### Repeated dose toxicity

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: No data available.

# **Genetic toxicity**

Assessment of mutagenicity: No data available.

Genetic toxicity in vitro: Ames-test with metabolic activation

# Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity: No carcinogenic effects reported.

Experimental/calculated data: Not listed as a carcinogen by OSHA, IARC, & NTP.

#### Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity: No data available.

#### Reproduction

Experimental/calculated data: No data available.

# **Teratogenicity**

Assessment of teratogenicity: No data available.

#### **Development**

No data available.

# Symptoms of Exposure

No significant symptoms are expected due to the non-classification of the product.

# 12. Ecological Information

# **Toxicity**

Aquatic toxicity
Assessment of aquatic toxicity:
not determined

#### Toxicity to fish

Insignificant hazard

# Aquatic invertebrates

No data available.

#### Aquatic plants

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No data available.

# Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates

No data available.

# Persistence and degradability

# **Elimination information**

> 60 % CO2 formation relative to the theoretical value (28 d) (OECD 301B; ISO 9439; 92/69/EEC, C.4-C) Readily biodegradable.

# Bioaccumulative potential

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No data available.

# Mobility in soil

# Assessment transport between environmental compartments

The substance will not evaporate into the atmosphere from the water surface.

Adsorption to solid soil phase is possible.

# **Additional information**

Add. remarks environm. fate & pathway:

Treatment in biological waste water treatment plants has to be performed according to local and administrative regulations.

# 13. Disposal considerations

# Waste disposal of substance:

Dispose of in accordance with national, state and local regulations. It is the waste generator's responsibility to determine if a particular waste is hazardous under RCRA.

### Container disposal:

Dispose of in accordance with national, state and local regulations.

RCRA: NA

# 14. Transport Information

#### Land transport

**USDOT** 

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Sea transport

**IMDG** 

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Air transport

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Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

# 15. Regulatory Information

# **Federal Regulations**

Registration status:

Chemical TSCA, US released / listed

**EPCRA 311/312 (Hazard categories):** Refer to SDS section 2 for GHS hazard classes applicable for this product.

CERCLA RQ CAS Number Chemical name

100 LBS 75-56-9; 123-91-1 Propylene oxide; 1,4-dioxane

10 LBS 75-21-8 Ethylene Oxide

Safe Drinking Water & Toxic Enforcement Act, CA Prop. 65:

**WARNING:** This product can expose you to chemicals including ETHYLENE OXIDE, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information, go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

**NFPA Hazard codes:** 

Health: 1 Fire: 1 Reactivity: 0 Special:

**HMIS III rating** 

Health: 1 Flammability: 1 Physical hazard:0

#### 16. Other Information

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