1 Identification of the substances/ mixture and of the company/ undertaking

1.1 Product Identifiers
Product Number MB180
Product Name Xylene mixture of isomers
For Molecular Biology
CAS No. : 1330-20-7
EC No. : 215-535-7

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against
1.2.1 Relevant identified uses Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet
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2 Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture
**CLP Classification-Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008[EU-GHS/CLP]**
Flammable liquids, (Category 3), H226
Aspiration hazard, (Category 1), H304
Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled, H302+H332
Skin corrosion or irritation, (Category 2), H315
Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure, Respiratory tract irritation, (Category 3), H335
Specific target organ toxicity, repeated exposure, (Category 2), H373

2.2 Label elements
**Labeling according to Regulation (EC) No.1272/2008**

Pictogram
Signal word Danger

Hazard Statement(s)
H226 Flammable liquid and vapour
H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways
H312+H332 Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled
H315 Causes skin irritation
May cause respiratory irritation

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Precautionary Statement(s)

P210. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces.
P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P301 + P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
P331 Do NOT induce vomiting.
P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].
P304+P340+P312 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

2.3 Other Hazards
This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

3 Composition/Information On Ingredients

3.1 Substances
Molecular Formula : C₈H₁₀
Molecular Weight : 106.17
CAS No. : 1330-20-7
EC No. : 215-535-7

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For the full text of the H-Statements and classification mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

4 First Aid Measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

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 with plenty of soap and water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact
Rinse immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. 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.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed
The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labeling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11.

4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
No data available

5 Fire Fighting Measures
5.1 Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing media
Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable extinguishing media
No data available.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
Carbon oxides
No data available

5.3 Precautions for fire-fighters
Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary

5.4 Further information
No data available

6 Accidental Release Measures
6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Wear respiratory protection. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

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

6.3 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.

6.4 Reference to other sections
For disposal see Section 13.

7 Handling and Storage
7.1 Precautions for safe handling
Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Keep away from sources of heat and ignition - No smoking. For precautions see section 2.2

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

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

*Recommended Storage Temperature*: Below 30°C

7.3 **Specific end uses**

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

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8 **Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

8.1 **Control parameters**

Components with workplace control parameters

8.2 **Exposure controls**

*Appropriate engineering controls*

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

*Personal protective equipment*

*Hygiene measure*

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with the product.

*Eye/face protection*

Faceshield and safety goggles.

*Skin protection*

Handle with gloves.

*Body protection*

Complete suit protecting against chemicals.

*Respiratory protection*

Air-purifying respirators.

*Environment exposure controls*

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

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9 **Physical and chemical properties**

9.1 **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

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Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: No data available
Autoignition Temperature: No data available
Decomposition Temperature: No data available
Viscosity: No data available
Explosive properties: No data available
Oxidizing properties: No data available
Vapour density: No data available
Thermal decomposition: No data available

9.2 Other safety information
No data available

10 Stability and Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity
No data available

10.2 Chemical stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions
No data available

10.4 Conditions to avoid
Incompatible material

10.5 Incompatible materials
Strong oxidizing agents

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products
Other decomposition products - refer section 5.2.
In the event of fire - refer section 5.

11 Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity
No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation
No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation
No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitisation
No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity
No data available

Carcinogenicity
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.

Reproductive toxicity

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No data available

Specific target organ toxicity- single exposure
No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
No data available

Aspiration hazard
No data available

Additional Information
RTECS : ZE2100000

12 Ecological Information
12.1 Toxicity
No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability
No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential
No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil
No data available

12.5 PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT and vPvB assessment not available Chemical safety assessment is not required

12.6 Other adverse effects
Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

13 Disposal Considerations
13.1 Waste treatments methods
Product
Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an after burner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable.

13.2 Contaminated packaging
Dispose of as unused product.

14 Transport Information
14.1 UN-No

14.2 UN proper shipping name
ADNR : Xylenes
ADR : Xylenes
IATA_C : Xylenes
IATA_P : Xylenes
IMDG : Xylenes
RID : Xylenes
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)
ADNR : 3  ADR : 3  IATA_C : 3  IATA_P : 3  IMDG : 3  RID : 3

14.4 Packaging group

14.5 Environmental hazards
ADNR : No  ADR : No  IMDG : Marine Pollutant : No  IATA_C : No  IATA_P : No  RID : No

14.6 Special precautions for use
No data available

15 Regulatory Information
This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation(EC) No. 1907/2006.

15.1 Safety health and environment regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
No data available

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment
No data available

16 Other information
Text of H-Statements and EUH-Phrases mentioned in section 3
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STOT RE 2 Specific target organ toxicity, repeated exposure, Category 2

Further Information
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