

# safety data sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), amended by 2015/830/EU



## N-Ethyl-2-pyrrolidone ≥98 %, for synthesis

article number: **CN19**  
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### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1 Product identifier

Identification of the substance	<b>N-Ethyl-2-pyrrolidone</b>
Article number	CN19
Registration number (REACH)	01-2119472138-36-xxxx
Index No	616-208-00-5
EC number	220-250-6
CAS number	2687-91-4

#### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

<b>Identified uses:</b>	professional use consumer uses laboratory chemical
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#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency information service **Poison Centre Munich: +49/(0)89 19240**

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

Classification acc. to GHS			
Section	Hazard class	Hazard class and category	Hazard statement
3.3	serious eye damage/eye irritation	(Eye Dam. 1)	H318
3.7	reproductive toxicity	(Repr. 1B)	H360Df

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### Remarks

For full text of Hazard- and EU Hazard-statements: see SECTION 16.

## 2.2 Label elements

### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

#### Signal word

**Danger**

#### Pictograms



#### Hazard statements

H318 Causes serious eye damage.  
H360Df May damage the unborn child. Suspected of damaging, fertility.

#### Precautionary statements

##### Precautionary statements - prevention

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
P280 Wear protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

##### Precautionary statements - response

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P308+P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

For professional users only

#### Labelling of packages where the contents do not exceed 125 ml

Signal word: **Danger**

Symbol(s)



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## 2.3 Other hazards

There is no additional information.

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### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1 Substances

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EC number	220-250-6
CAS number	2687-91-4
Molecular formula	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>11</sub> NO
Molar mass	113,2 g/mol

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures



##### General notes

Take off contaminated clothing.

##### Following inhalation

Provide fresh air. In all cases of doubt, or when symptoms persist, seek medical advice.

##### Following skin contact

Rinse skin with water/shower. In all cases of doubt, or when symptoms persist, seek medical advice.

##### Following eye contact

In case of contact with eyes flush immediately with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart and consult an ophthalmologist.

##### Following ingestion

Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. In case of accident or unwellness, seek medical advice immediately (show directions for use or safety data sheet if possible).

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Risk of serious damage to eyes

#### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

none

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### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

##### Suitable extinguishing media

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings  
water spray, foam, dry extinguishing powder, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

##### Unsuitable extinguishing media

water jet

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible.

##### Hazardous combustion products

In case of fire may be liberated: nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), carbon monoxide (CO), carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Fight fire with normal precautions from a reasonable distance. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

##### For non-emergency personnel

Wearing of suitable protective equipment (including personal protective equipment referred to under Section 8 of the safety data sheet) to prevent any contamination of skin, eyes and personal clothing. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.

#### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

##### Advices on how to contain a spill

Covering of drains.

##### Advices on how to clean up a spill

Absorb with liquid-binding material (e.g. sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents).

##### Other information relating to spills and releases

Place in appropriate containers for disposal. Ventilate affected area.

##### Reference to other sections

Hazardous combustion products: see section 5. Personal protective equipment: see section 8. Incompatible materials: see section 10. Disposal considerations: see section 13.

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### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Provision of sufficient ventilation.

- Measures to prevent fire as well as aerosol and dust generation



Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking.

#### Advice on general occupational hygiene

Wash hands before breaks and after work. Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

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

Keep container tightly closed.

#### Incompatible substances or mixtures

Observe hints for combined storage.

#### Consideration of other advice

- Ventilation requirements

Use local and general ventilation.

- Specific designs for storage rooms or vessels

Recommended storage temperature: 15 - 25 °C.

#### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

See attached exposure scenario.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1 Control parameters

##### National limit values

##### Occupational exposure limit values (Workplace Exposure Limits)

not relevant

##### Relevant DNELs/DMELs/PNECs and other threshold levels

- human health values

Endpoint	Threshold level	Protection goal, route of exposure	Used in	Exposure time
DNEL	20,1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	human, inhalatory	worker (industry)	acute - local effects
DNEL	10,05 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	human, inhalatory	worker (industry)	chronic - local effects
DNEL	4 mg/kg	human, dermal	worker (industry)	chronic - systemic effects
DNEL	16,75 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	human, inhalatory	worker (industry)	chronic - systemic effects

- environmental values

Endpoint	Threshold level	Environmental compartment	Exposure time
PNEC	0,25 mg/l	freshwater	short-term (single instance)
PNEC	0,025 mg/l	marine water	short-term (single instance)
PNEC	10 mg/l	sewage treatment plant (STP)	short-term (single instance)
PNEC	1,91 mg/kg	freshwater sediment	short-term (single instance)
PNEC	0,191 mg/kg	marine sediment	short-term (single instance)

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Endpoint	Threshold level	Environmental compartment	Exposure time
PNEC	0,235 mg/kg	soil	short-term (single instance)
PNEC	1 mg/l	water	continuous

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Individual protection measures (personal protective equipment)



##### Eye/face protection

Use safety goggle with side protection.

##### Skin protection

###### • hand protection

Wear suitable gloves. Chemical protection gloves are suitable, which are tested according to EN 374. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

###### • type of material

NBR (Nitrile rubber)

###### • material thickness

0,4 mm.

###### • breakthrough times of the glove material

>480 minutes (permeation: level 6)

###### • other protection measures

Take recovery periods for skin regeneration. Preventive skin protection (barrier creams/ointments) is recommended.

##### Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection necessary at: Aerosol or mist formation. Type: A (against organic gases and vapours with a boiling point of > 65 °C, colour code: Brown). Observe the wear time limits according GefStoffV in combination with the rules for using respiratory protection apparatus (BGR 190).

##### Environmental exposure controls

Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### Appearance

Physical state	liquid (fluid)
Colour	colourless - yellow
Odour	this information is not available
Odour threshold	No data available

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### Other physical and chemical parameters

pH (value)	8 - 9 (water: 100 g/l, 20 °C)
Melting point/freezing point	<-75 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	212,5 °C at 1.013 hPa
Flash point	91 °C at 1.013 hPa (closed cup)
Evaporation rate	no data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	not relevant (fluid)
<u>Explosive limits</u>	
• lower explosion limit (LEL)	1,3 vol%
• upper explosion limit (UEL)	7,7 vol%
Explosion limits of dust clouds	not relevant
Vapour pressure	0,18 hPa at 20 °C 0,28 hPa at 25 °C 1,65 hPa at 50 °C
Density	0,998 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C
Vapour density	This information is not available.
Bulk density	Not applicable
Relative density	Information on this property is not available.
<u>Solubility(ies)</u>	
Water solubility	>1.000 g/l at 23 °C
<u>Partition coefficient</u>	
n-octanol/water (log KOW)	-0,2 (pH value: 7, 23 °C) (ECHA)
Auto-ignition temperature	245 °C - ECHA
Decomposition temperature	no data available
Viscosity	
• kinematic viscosity	2,1 mm <sup>2</sup> /s at 20 °C
• dynamic viscosity	2,09 mPa s at 20 °C 1,5 mPa s at 40 °C
Explosive properties	none
Oxidising properties	none

### 9.2 Other information

Surface tension 69 mN/m (20 °C, 0,1 wt%)

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### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1 Reactivity

In case of warming: Vapours can form explosive mixtures with air

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

The material is stable under normal ambient and anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature and pressure.

#### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reaction with: Alkali (lye), Strong acid

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Keep away from heat. No smoking.

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

There is no additional information.

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous combustion products: see section 5.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

##### Acute toxicity

Exposure route	Endpoint	Value	Species	Source
oral	LD50	3200 mg/kg	rat	ECHA
dermal	LD50	>2000 mg/kg	rat	ECHA

##### Skin corrosion/irritation

Shall not be classified as corrosive/irritant to skin.

##### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Causes serious eye damage.

##### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Shall not be classified as a respiratory or skin sensitiser.

##### Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties

**Reproductive toxicity:** May damage the unborn child. Suspected of damaging fertility

- **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (single exposure).

- **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (repeated exposure).

##### Aspiration hazard

Shall not be classified as presenting an aspiration hazard.



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### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

• **If swallowed**

data are not available

• **If in eyes**

Causes serious eye damage, risk of blindness

• **If inhaled**

data are not available

• **If on skin**

data are not available

**Other information**

Gastrointestinal complaints, Vomiting, Diarrhoea, Dizziness, Vertigo, Nausea

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

acc. to 1272/2008/EC: Shall not be classified as hazardous to the aquatic environment.

#### Aquatic toxicity (acute)

Endpoint	Value	Species	Source	Exposure time
LC50	999 mg/l	fish	ECHA	96 hours
EC50	>104 mg/l	aquatic invertebrates	ECHA	48 hours
ErC50	>101 mg/l	algae	ECHA	72 hours
NOEC	215 mg/l	fish	ECHA	96 hours
LOEC	>101 mg/l	algae	ECHA	72 hours
growth rate (ErCx) 10%	>101 mg/l	algae	ECHA	72 hours

### 12.2 Process of degradability

The substance is readily biodegradable.

Theoretical Oxygen Demand with nitrification: 2,686 mg/mg

Theoretical Oxygen Demand: 2,121 mg/mg

Theoretical Carbon Dioxide: 2,333 mg/mg

Process	Degradation rate	Time
biotic/abiotic	90 - 100 %	28 d
DOC removal	90 - 100 %	28 d

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Does not significantly accumulate in organisms.

n-octanol/water (log KOW)

-0,2 (pH value: 7, 23 °C)

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### 12.4 Mobility in soil

Data are not available.

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Data are not available.

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

Slightly hazardous to water.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

#### Sewage disposal-relevant information

Do not empty into drains.

### 13.2 Relevant provisions relating to waste

The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

### 13.3 Remarks

Waste shall be separated into the categories that can be handled separately by the local or national waste management facilities. Please consider the relevant national or regional provisions.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

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|------|---|--|
| 14.1 | UN number   | (not subject to transport regulations)                                       |
| 14.2 | UN proper shipping name   | not relevant   |
| 14.3 | Transport hazard class(es)  | not relevant   |
|      | Class   | -  |
| 14.4 | Packing group   | not relevant   |
| 14.5 | Environmental hazards   | none (non-environmentally hazardous acc. to the dangerous goods regulations) |
| 14.6 | <b>Special precautions for user</b>   |  |
|      |   | There is no additional information.  |
| 14.7 | <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code</b>             |  |
|      |   | The cargo is not intended to be carried in bulk.                             |
| 14.8 | <b>Information for each of the UN Model Regulations</b>                               |  |
|      | • <b>Transport of dangerous goods by road, rail and inland waterway (ADR/RID/ADN)</b> |  |
|      |   | Not subject to ADR, RID and ADN.   |
|      | • <b>International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)</b>                           |  |
|      |   | Not subject to IMDG.   |

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### Relevant provisions of the European Union (EU)

- **Regulation 649/2012/EU concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals (PIC)**

Not listed.

- **Regulation 1005/2009/EC on substances that deplete the ozone layer (ODS)**

Not listed.

- **Regulation 850/2004/EC on persistent organic pollutants (POP)**

Not listed.

- **Restrictions according to REACH, Annex XVII**

not listed

- **List of substances subject to authorisation (REACH, Annex XIV)**

not listed

- **Limitation of emissions of volatile organic compounds due to the use of organic solvents in certain paints and varnishes and vehicle refinishing products (2004/42/EC, Deco-Paint Directive)**

VOC content 100 %

- **Directive on industrial emissions (VOCs, 2010/75/EU)**

VOC content 100 %

- **Directive 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS) - Annex II**

not listed

- **Regulation 166/2006/EC concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register (PRTR)**

not listed

- **Directive 2000/60/EC establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy (WFD)**

not listed

#### National inventories

Substance is listed in the following national inventories:

- EINECS/ELINCS/NLP (Europe)
- REACH (Europe)

### 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

For this substance a chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

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### SECTION 16: Other information

#### Abbreviations and acronyms

Abbr.	Descriptions of used abbreviations
ADN	Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par voies de navigation intérieures (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways)
ADR	Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service (service that maintains the most comprehensive list of chemical substances)
CLP	Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures
CMR	Carcinogenic, Mutagenic or toxic for Reproduction
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect Level
DNEL	Derived No-Effect Level
EINECS	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS	European List of Notified Chemical Substances
GHS	"Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals" developed by the United Nations
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
index No	the Index number is the identification code given to the substance in Part 3 of Annex VI to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (abbr. of "Marine Pollutant")
NLP	No-Longer Polymer
PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals
RID	Règlement concernant le transport International ferroviaire des marchandises Dangereuses (Regulations concerning the International carriage of Dangerous goods by Rail)
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds
vPvB	very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

#### Key literature references and sources for data

- Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), amended by 2015/830/EU
- Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP, EU GHS)

#### List of relevant phrases (code and full text as stated in chapter 2 and 3)

Code	Text
H318	causes serious eye damage
H360Df	may damage the unborn child. Suspected of damaging, fertility

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