

## **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

### **1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

#### **1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name: n-Hexane  
Product code: H014, H015, H016, H103, H116, H102, H116, H252, H996, H997  
Brand: LEONID

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

Identified uses: Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

#### **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company: Leonid Chemicals Pvt. Ltd  
Plot No. 30P2, KIADB Industrial Area  
Dobaspet – 562111  
Taluk – Nelamangala  
District – Bangalore Rural  
State – Karnataka  
India

#### **1.4 Emergency telephone number**

Emergency phone number: +91 23377126 / 23378254

### **2. Hazards identification**

#### **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

##### **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Flammable liquids (Category 2), H225  
Skin irritation (Category 2), H315  
Reproductive toxicity (Category 2), H361f  
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Central nervous system, H336  
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Category 2), H373  
Aspiration hazard (Category 1), H304  
Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 2), H411

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

#### **2.2 Label elements**

##### **Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.  
H304: May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
H315: Causes skin irritation.  
H336: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.  
H361f: Suspected of damaging fertility.  
H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.  
H411: Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

|                                |                                                                                                |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| P201                           | Obtain special instructions before use.                                                        |
| P210                           | Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. |
| P273                           | Avoid release to the environment.                                                              |
| P301 + P310                    | IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.                                         |
| P308 + P313                    | IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.                                         |
| P331                           | Do NOT induce vomiting.                                                                        |
| Supplemental Hazard Statements | None                                                                                           |

### 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

|                   |                                |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| Formula:          | C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>14</sub> |
| Molecular weight: | 86.18 g/mol                    |
| CAS-No.:          | 110-54-3                       |
| EC-No.:           | 203-777-6                      |
| Index-No.:        | 601-037-00-0                   |

### Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

| Component               | Classification                                                                                 | Concentration |
|-------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| <b>n-Hexane</b>         |                                                                                                |               |
| CAS-No.: 110-54-3       | Flam. Liq. 2; Skin Irrit. 2; Repr. 2; STOT SE 3; STOT RE 2;                                    | < 100 %       |
| EC-No.: 203-777-6       | Asp. Tox. 1; Aquatic Chronic 2;                                                                |               |
| Index-No.: 601-037-00-0 | H225, H315, H361f, H336, H373, H304, H411<br>Concentration limits: >= 5 %:<br>STOT RE 2, H373; |               |

For the full text of the H-Statements 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 off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and 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 labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

**5. Firefighting measures**

**5.1 Extinguishing media**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

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

Carbon oxides

**5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

**5.4 Further information**

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

**6. Accidental release measures**

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

For personal protection see section 8.

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

Discharge into the 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).

**6.4 Reference to other section**

For disposal see section 13.

**7. Handling and storage**

**7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build-up of electrostatic charge.

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.

Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Flammable liquids

**7.3 Specific end uses**

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

**8. Exposure controls/personal protection**

**8.1 Control parameters**

**8.2 Exposure control**

**Appropriate engineering controls**

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

**Personal protective equipment**

**Eye/face protection**

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

**Skin protection**

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Camatril

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.2 mm

Break through time: 59 min

Material tested: Dermatril

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

**Body Protection**

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

**Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use (US) or type AXBEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engine protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**Control of environmental exposure**

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

**9. Physical and chemical properties**

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

|                                            |                             |
|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| a) Appearance                              | Colourless liquid           |
| b) Odour                                   | No data available           |
| c) Odour Threshold                         | No data available           |
| d) pH                                      | No data available           |
| e) Melting point/freezing point            | Melting point/range: -95°C. |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range | 68.0 – 70.0°C at 1013 hPa   |

|                                                 |                                                                    |
|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| g) Flash point                                  | -23.0°C - closed cup                                               |
| h) Evaporation rate                             | No data available                                                  |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available                                                  |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | Upper explosion limit: 7.70%(V)<br>Lower explosion limit: 1.20%(V) |
| k) Vapour pressure                              | 256.0 mmHg at 37.7°C<br>132.0 mmHg at 20.0°C                       |
| l) Vapour density                               | No data available                                                  |
| m) Relative density                             | 0.659 g/mL at 25°C                                                 |
| n) Water solubility                             | Insoluble                                                          |
| o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water       | log Pow: 3.90 - 4.11                                               |
| p) Auto-ignition temperature                    | 234.0°C                                                            |
| q) Decomposition temperature                    | No data available                                                  |
| r) Viscosity                                    | No data available                                                  |
| s) Explosive properties                         | No data available                                                  |
| t) Oxidizing properties                         | No data available                                                  |
| <b>9.2 Other safety information</b>             | 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

Heat, flames and sparks

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

## 11. Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - 25,000 mg/kg (n-Hexane)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - 4 h - 48000 ppm (n-Hexane)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Irritating to skin. (n-Hexane)

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes – Rabbit (n-Hexane)

Result: Mild eye irritation

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available (n-Hexane)

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available (n-Hexane)

## **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**

Overexposure may cause reproductive disorder(s) based on tests with laboratory animals. Suspected human reproductive toxicant Suspected of damaging fertility. (n-Hexane)

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

May cause drowsiness or dizziness. (n-Hexane)

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

Ingestion - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. – Nervous system.

## **Aspiration hazard**

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways. (n-Hexane)

## **Additional Information**

RTECS: MN9275000

Prolonged or repeated contact with skin may cause:, defatting, Dermatitis, Contact with eyes can cause:, Redness, Blurred vision, Provokes tears., Effects due to ingestion may include:, Gastrointestinal discomfort, Central nervous system depression, Lung irritation, chest pain, pulmonary edema, giddiness, slowed reaction time, slurred speech, Headache, Dizziness, Drowsiness, Unconsciousness (n-Hexane)

## **12. Ecological information**

### **12.1 Toxicity**

|                                                     |                                                                                                                                          |
|-----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Toxicity to fish                                    | LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) – 2.5 mg/l 96 h (n-Hexane)                                                                   |
| Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates | E50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) – 3,878.00 mg/l - 48 h (n-Hexane)                                                                       |
| Toxicity to algae                                   | EC50 - Chlorella vulgaris (Fresh water algae) - 245.00 12,840.00 mg/l - 3 h ((n-Hexane)<br>EC50 - SKELETOMA - 0.30 mg/l - 8 h (n-Hexane) |

### **12.2 Persistence and degradability**

No data available.

### **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

### **12.4 Mobility in soil**

No data available (n-Hexane)

### **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

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### **12.6 Other adverse effects**

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

## **13. Disposal considerations**

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber b highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

## 14. Transport information

### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: - 1208

IMDG: - 1208

IATA: - 1208

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: HEXANES

IMDG: HEXANES

IATA: Hexanes

### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es):

ADR/RID: - 3

IMDG: - 3

IATA: - 3

### 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: - II

IMDG: - II

IATA: - II

### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

## 15. Regulatory information

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

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

### 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out.

## 16. Other information

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

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### Further information

The information above is believed to be accurate and represents the best information currently available to us. However, we make no warranty of merchantability or any other warranty, express or implied, with respect to such information, and we assume no liability resulting from its use. Users should make their own investigations to determine the suitability of the information for their particular purposes. In no event shall Leonid Chemicals Pvt. Ltd. be liable for any claims, losses, or damages of any third party or for lost profits or any special, indirect, incidental, consequential or exemplary damages, howsoever arising, even if Leonid Chemicals Pvt. Ltd. has been advised of the possibility of such damages.