



# Hexanes, ACS

## Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form	: Mixtures
Product name	: Hexanes, ACS
CAS-No.	: 110-54-3
Product code	: 1.1290
Formula	: C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>14</sub>
Other means of identification	: "This reagent is generally a mixture of several isomers of hexane (C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>14</sub> ), predominantly n-hexane, 2-methylpentane, and 3-methylpentane, plus methylcyclopentane (C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>12</sub> )."- Reagent Chemicals, 10th ed., ACS Committee on Analytical Reagents

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture	: For laboratory and manufacturing use only.
Recommended use	: Laboratory chemicals
Restrictions on use	: Not for food, drug or household use

#### 1.3. Supplier

NEUTRON PHARMACHEMICAL CO  
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[info@neutronpharmaceutical.com](mailto:info@neutronpharmaceutical.com) -  
[www.neutronpharmaceutical.com](http://www.neutronpharmaceutical.com)

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : CHEMTREC: 125

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

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

##### GHS US classification

Flammable liquids Category 2	H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor
Acute toxicity (oral) Category 2	H300 Fatal if swallowed
Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2	H315 Causes skin irritation
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A	H319 Causes serious eye irritation
Reproductive toxicity Category 2	H361 Suspected of damaging fertility.
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3	H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) Category 1	H372 Causes damage to organs (heart, liver, blood, peripheral nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure
Aspiration hazard Category 1	H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways
Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard Category 2	H401 Toxic to aquatic life
Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard Category 2	H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Full text of H statements : see section 16

#### 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

##### GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US) :



Signal word (GHS US) :

Danger

Hazard statements (GHS US) :

H225 - Highly flammable liquid and vapor  
 H300 - Fatal if swallowed  
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 H315 - Causes skin irritation  
 H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

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	H336 - May cause drowsiness or dizziness H361 - Suspected of damaging fertility. H372 - Causes damage to organs (heart, liver, blood, peripheral nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure H411 - Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
Precautionary statements (GHS US)	: P201 - Obtain special instructions before use. P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. P210 - Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames, hot surfaces. - No smoking. P233 - Keep container tightly closed. P240 - Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. P241 - Use explosion-proof electrical, ventilating, lighting equipment. P242 - Use only non-sparking tools. P243 - Take precautionary measures against static discharge. P260 - Do not breathe the mist, vapors. P264 - Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling. P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. P273 - Avoid release to the environment. P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection. P303+P361+P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P312 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. P370+P378 - In case of fire: Use alcohol resistant foam, extinguishing powder, sand to extinguish P391 - Collect spillage. P403+P235 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. P405 - Store locked up. P501 - Dispose of contents/container to comply with local, state and federal regulations. If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. P301+P330+P331 - IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

### 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

Other hazards not contributing to the classification : None under normal conditions.

### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

## SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

### 3.2. Mixtures

This mixture does not contain any substances to be mentioned according to the criteria of section 3.2 of HazCom 2012

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Rinse skin with water/shower. Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Fatal if swallowed. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Fatal if swallowed.

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Symptoms/effects	: Suspected of damaging fertility. Causes damage to organs (nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: May cause drowsiness or dizziness. Headache. Nausea. Vomiting.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Causes skin irritation.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Causes serious eye irritation.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: Fatal if swallowed. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways. Risk of lung edema. Risk of aspiration pneumonia.
Chronic symptoms	: Central nervous system depression.

### 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Obtain medical assistance.

## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water fog. Sand.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: Do not use a heavy water stream.

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard	: Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
Explosion hazard	: May form flammable/explosive vapor-air mixture. Vapors are heavier than air and may travel considerable distance to an ignition source and flash back to source of vapors.

### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighting instructions	: Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.
Protection during firefighting	: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Complete protective clothing. Self-contained breathing apparatus.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

General measures	: Remove ignition sources. Use special care to avoid static electric charges. No naked lights. No smoking.
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#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment	: Safety glasses. Protective clothing. Gloves.
Emergency procedures	: Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Keep upwind. Do not breathe vapors. Ventilate spillage area.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment	: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Emergency procedures	: Ventilate area.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters. Avoid release to the environment.

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

For containment	: Dam up the liquid spill. Dilute/disperse combustible gas/vapour with water curtain. Collect spillage.
Methods for cleaning up	: Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Collect spillage. Store away from other materials.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed	: Handle empty containers with care because residual vapors are flammable.
Precautions for safe handling	: Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapor. No naked lights. No smoking. Use only non-sparking tools. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Do not breathe the mist, vapors.
Hygiene measures	: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

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

Technical measures	: Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/... equipment.
Storage conditions	: Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : Heat sources, Ignition sources, incompatible materials. Keep in fireproof place. Keep container tightly closed.
Incompatible products	: Strong oxidizers.
Incompatible materials	: Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight. Heat sources.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

Hexanes, ACS (110-54-3)	
<b>USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits</b>	
ACGIH TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	176 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Skin (as n-Hexane)
ACGIH TWA (ppm)	50 ppm Skin (as n-Hexane)
ACGIH STEL (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	3500 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (as Hexane isomers)
ACGIH STEL (ppm)	1000 ppm (as Hexane isomers)
<b>USA - OSHA - Occupational Exposure Limits</b>	
OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	1800 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	500 ppm
<b>USA - IDLH - Occupational Exposure Limits</b>	
US IDLH (ppm)	1500 ppm
Remark (IDLH)	IDLH is for n-hexane.
<b>USA - NIOSH - Occupational Exposure Limits</b>	
NIOSH REL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	180 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
NIOSH REL (TWA) (ppm)	50 ppm
NIOSH REL (ceiling) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	1800 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min.
NIOSH REL (ceiling) (ppm)	510 ppm 15 min.
Remark (NIOSH)	Ceiling listed is for other hexane isomers. No ceiling is listed for n-hexane.
US-NIOSH chemical category	Potential for dermal absorption

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls	: Emergency eye wash fountains should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Material should be handled in a laboratory hood whenever possible.
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### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

#### Personal protective equipment:

Gloves. Safety glasses. Protective clothing. Gas mask with filter type A.

#### Hand protection:

Wear protective gloves.

#### Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or safety glasses

#### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection:

Gas mask with filter type A

#### Personal protective equipment symbol(s):

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### Other information:

Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Clear, colorless liquid.
Color	: Colorless
Odor	: gasoline-like
Odor threshold	: Not available
pH	: Not available
Melting point	: -94 °C
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: 69 °C
Flash point	: -21.7 °C
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
Vapor pressure	: 20.13 kPa @ 25°C
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: 2.97
Relative density	: 0.66
Specific gravity / density	: 0.65 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Molecular mass	: 86.17 g/mol
Solubility	: Water: 0.02 g/l
Log Pow	: 3.9
Auto-ignition temperature	: 225 °C
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: 0.498 mm <sup>2</sup> /s
Viscosity, dynamic	: 0.33 mPa·s
Explosion limits	: 1.1 – 7.5 vol %
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

VOC content : 100 %

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

Reacts exothermically with (strong) oxidizers.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Highly flammable liquid and vapor. May form flammable/explosive vapor-air mixture.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Refer to section 10.1 on Reactivity.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures. Open flame.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizers.

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### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Fatal if swallowed.  
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified  
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

Hexanes, ACS (110-54-3)	
LD50 oral rat	43.5 mg/kg
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	< 48000 mg/l/4h
ATE US (oral)	43.5 mg/kg body weight

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes skin irritation.  
pH: Not available  
Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye irritation.  
pH: Not available  
Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified  
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified  
Carcinogenicity : Not classified  
Reproductive toxicity : Suspected of damaging fertility.  
STOT-single exposure : May cause drowsiness or dizziness.  
STOT-repeated exposure : Causes damage to organs (heart, liver, blood, peripheral nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure.  
Aspiration hazard : May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
Viscosity, kinematic : 0.498 mm<sup>2</sup>/s  
Likely routes of exposure : Inhalation. Skin and eye contact.  
Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Fatal if swallowed.  
Symptoms/effects : Suspected of damaging fertility. Causes damage to organs (nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure.  
Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May cause drowsiness or dizziness. Headache. Nausea. Vomiting.  
Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Causes skin irritation.  
Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.  
Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Fatal if swallowed. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways. Risk of lung edema. Risk of aspiration pneumonia.  
Chronic symptoms : Central nervous system depression.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - water : Toxic to aquatic life. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Hexanes, ACS (110-54-3)	
LC50 fish 1	2.101 – 2.981 mg/l 96 hr.

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Hexanes, ACS (110-54-3)	
Persistence and degradability	May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Hexanes, ACS (110-54-3)	
Log Pow	3.9
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

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### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Disposal methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Dispose of contents/container to comply with local, state and federal regulations.

Additional information : Handle empty containers with care because residual vapors are flammable.

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment. Hazardous waste due to toxicity.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description : UN1208 Hexanes, 3, II

UN-No.(DOT) : UN1208

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Hexanes

Transport hazard class(es) (DOT) : 3 - Class 3 - Flammable and combustible liquid 49 CFR 173.120

Packing group (DOT) : II - Medium Danger

Hazard labels (DOT) : 3 - Flammable liquid



Dangerous for the environment : Yes

Marine pollutant : Yes



DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 202

DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 242

DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102) : IB2 - Authorized IBCs: Metal (31A, 31B and 31N); Rigid plastics (31H1 and 31H2); Composite (31HZ1). Additional Requirement: Only liquids with a vapor pressure less than or equal to 110 kPa at 50 C (1.1 bar at 122 F), or 130 kPa at 55 C (1.3 bar at 131 F) are authorized.  
T4 - 2.65 178.274(d)(2) Normal..... 178.275(d)(3)  
TP1 - The maximum degree of filling must not exceed the degree of filling determined by the following: Degree of filling =  $97 / 1 + a (tr - tf)$  Where: tr is the maximum mean bulk temperature during transport, and tf is the temperature in degrees celsius of the liquid during filling.

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 150

DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27) : 5 L

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75) : 60 L

DOT Vessel Stowage Location : E - The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel carrying a number of passengers limited to not more than the larger of 25 passengers, or one passenger per each 3 m of overall vessel length, but is prohibited from carriage on passenger vessels in which the limiting number of passengers is exceeded.

Other information : No supplementary information available.

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

##### Hexanes, ACS (110-54-3)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory  
Subject to reporting requirements of United States SARA Section 313

RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists) 5000 lb

SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes  
Fire hazard  
Immediate (acute) health hazard  
Delayed (chronic) health hazard

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory

Chemical(s) subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 or Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

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#### 15.2. International regulations

##### CANADA

##### Hexanes, ACS (110-54-3)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

##### EU-Regulations

No additional information available

##### National regulations

No additional information available

#### 15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm

### SECTION 16: Other information

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Other information : None.

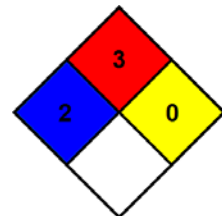
Full text of H-phrases: see section 16:

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NFPA health hazard : 2 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause temporary incapacitation or residual injury.

NFPA fire hazard : 3 - Liquids and solids (including finely divided suspended solids) that can be ignited under almost all ambient temperature conditions.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.





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### Hazard Rating

- Health : 2 Moderate Hazard - Temporary or minor injury may occur  
\* - Chronic (long-term) health effects may result from repeated overexposure
- Flammability : 3 Serious Hazard - Materials capable of ignition under almost all normal temperature conditions. Includes flammable liquids with flash points below 73 F and boiling points above 100 F. as well as liquids with flash points between 73 F and 100 F. (Classes IB & IC)
- Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.
- Personal protection : H  
H - Splash goggles, Gloves, Synthetic apron, Vapor respirator

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