

# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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## Methylithium, typ. 3 % solution in 2-Methyl-THF / Cumene

CAS-No.	917-54-4
EC-No.	213-026-4
REACH No.	01-2120065574-52
Molecular Formula	CH <sub>3</sub> Li
Product Number	401249

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**APPLICATION** Alkylating and metalating agent.

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### FURTHER INGREDIENTS

Cumene

CAS-No.	98-82-8
EC-No.	202-704-5

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2-Methyltetrahydrofuran

CAS-No.	96-47-9
EC-No.	202-507-4

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n-Heptane

CAS-No.	142-82-5
EC-No.	205-563-8
EC-No.	2055638

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### SPECIFICATION

Methylithium: 2.7 - 3.4 %

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### METHOD OF ANALYSIS

Determination of assay as total base; Detailed description available on request.

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### PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	liquid
Color	clear to yellowish

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Flash point	-10 °C (2-Methyltetrahydrofuran) 31.0 °C
Boiling point/boiling range	78 °C (2-Methyltetrahydrofuran)
Density	0.867 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C
Water solubility	(Not applicable)
Molecular weight	21.98 g/mol
Thermal Stability	No crystallization expected at low temperatures (> -15 °C) over some weeks

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## HANDLING & STORAGE

Handling	Handling only under inert gas (nitrogen or argon). Product is spontaneously flammable in air. Pay attention to official safety regulations (see also: "Transport regulations" and "Marking").
Storage	Keep container tightly closed and in a cold-storage depot or refrigerator. Keep away from sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

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## TRANSPORT & PACKAGING

UN number 3399

ADR	Class: 4.3	PG: I	Label: 4.3 (3)
RID	Class: 4.3	PG: I	Label: 4.3 (3)
IMDG	Class: 4.3	PG: I	Label: 4.3 (3)
IATA_C	Class: 4.3	PG: I	Packing instruction (cargo aircraft): 494
IATA_P	Class: 4.3	PG: I	

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Hazard pictograms



Signal Word

Danger

H&P Phrases

See Safety Data Sheet

Labelling

The labelling is according to EU-GHS classification ((EG) 1272/2008) and may vary in other countries. Please refer to the respective Safety Data Sheet for your country.

Packaging

Glass bottles of 100, 250, 500 and 1,000 ml. Steel bottles and containers with nominal volumes of 7.4, 27, 127 and 450 l. For safety reasons these are filled to a maximum of 90 %.

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OTHER INFORMATION

Further Related Documents

Safety Data Sheet

Our brochure(s)

Organolithium Compounds

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