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★ Indicates a change from the 2020 List of MAK and BAT Values.
Details of the new threshold values or classifications proposed are listed in the list of MAK values and assessment values in biological material reviewed in 2020/2021 (appendix page I). The Commission has adopted these proposals but puts them up for discussion until 31.12.2021. New data or scientific commentary may be submitted to the Commission’s scientific office (Kommissionssekretariat) until this date. This information will be examined and taken into consideration in the final ratification.
Maximum Concentrations at the Workplace

I Significance, use and derivation of MAK values

Definition
★ The MAK value ("maximale Arbeitsplatz-Konzentration": maximum workplace concentration) is defined as the maximum concentration of a chemical substance (as gas, vapour or aerosol) in the workplace air which generally does not have known adverse effects on the health of the employee nor cause unreasonable annoyance (e.g. by a nauseous odour) even when the person is repeatedly exposed during long periods, usually for 8 hours daily but assuming on average a 40-hour working week. As the MAK value is intended for a daily exposure period of 8 hours, the permissible concentration should be reduced if exposure regularly exceeds 8 hours¹). Certain aspects of occupational hygiene associated with liquid substances, e.g. formation of mist with obscured visibility, dampening of clothing, or condensation on the floor, can not be taken into account in establishing the MAK value. Such effects have a wide range of variation, depending on the industrial process, the procedure, and the physical conditions at the workplace. A suitable instrument for evaluation is not yet available. Regardless of the level of the toxicologically based MAK value, it should be ensured in these cases that safety at the workplace is not placed at risk. This situation is not explicitly mentioned in the documentations because it is not known whether the substance exists as an aerosol at the MAK value. As a rule, the MAK value is given as an average concentration for a period of up to one working day or shift. MAK values are established on the basis of the effects of chemicals substances; when possible, practical aspects of the industrial processes and the resulting exposure patterns are also taken into account. Scientific criteria for the prevention of adverse effects on health are decisive, not technical and economic feasibility.

For the establishment of a MAK value,

- the carcinogenicity (see Section III)
- the sensitizing effects (see Section IV)
- the contribution to systemic toxicity after percutaneous absorption (see Section VII)
- the risks during pregnancy (see Section VIII)
- the germ cell mutagenicity (see Section IX)

of a substance are evaluated and the substance classified or designated accordingly. Descriptions of the procedures used by the Commission in the evaluation of these end points may be found in the appropriate sections of the List of MAK and BAT Values, in the “Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinischen Begründungen von MAK-Werten” (available in English translation)²) and in scientific journals³)⁴)⁵)⁶)⁷).

In line with the so-called “preferred value approach” also used e.g. in the European Union, MAK values are to be established preferentially as the numerical values 1, 2 or 5 ml/m³ or, for non-volatile substances, 1, 2 or 5 mg/m³, multiplied by powers of ten.

In the use of MAK values, the analytical procedures used for sampling and analysis and the sampling strategy are of great importance.

**Purpose**

MAK values promote the protection of health at the workplace. They provide a basis for judgement of the toxic potential or safety of the concentrations of substances in the workplace air. However, they do not provide constants from which the presence or absence of a health hazard after longer or shorter periods of exposure can be determined; nor can proven or suspected damage to health be deduced, in an isolated case, from MAK values or from the classification of a substance as carcinogenic. Such deductions can be made only on the basis of medical findings, taking into consideration all the circumstances of the particular case. Therefore, on principle statements in the List of MAK and BAT Values are not to be seen as a priori judgements for individual cases. On principle, observation of MAK values does not eliminate the necessity for regular medical examination of the exposed individuals.

MAK values are not suitable for providing constant conversion factors for deduction of health risks associated with long-term exposure to contaminants in the non-occupational atmosphere, e.g., in the vicinity of industrial plants.

**Prerequisites**

In principle, the substances are dealt with according to their importance for practical occupational hygiene and the expertise of the members of the Commission. The prerequisite for the establishment of a MAK value is the availability of sufficient data for the substance from the fields of toxicology, occupational medicine or industrial hygiene. Adequate documentation is not always available. The list is revised annually and suggestions for substances to be added and new information on listed substances are welcome.

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6) Please contact the Geschäftsstelle der Deutschen Forschungsgemeinschaft, D-53170 Bonn; or the Sekretariat der Kommission: Karlsruher Institut für Technologie (KIT) – Institut für angewandte Biowissenschaften, Abteilung Lebensmittelchemie und Toxikologie, 76131 Karlsruhe.
Derivation of MAK values

MAK values are derived by the “Permanent Senate Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area of the DFG” exclusively on the basis of scientific arguments and are published in the List of MAK and BAT Values which is issued annually. For the derivation of MAK values, certain rules of procedure have been developed by the Commission on the basis of established toxicological and occupational medical concepts; answers to at least the more common questions are repeatedly sought in the same way. Therefore, the usual procedures and the general principles for the derivation of MAK values are described below. Essentially, these principles correspond with those published by the European “Scientific Committee on Occupational Exposure Limits, SCOEL”\(^9\).

First, the most sensitive parameters described in the available data are to be identified, i.e., those effects which appear first during exposure to increasing concentrations of the substance. To be taken into account in this process are both local effects, that is, the results of effects on surfaces of the organism which are in contact with the environment (e.g. mucous membranes of the respiratory tract and the eyes, skin) and also systemic effects and effects on the lungs, that is, the results of uptake of the substance into the organism. Generally, the concentration-effect relationships for these two kinds of effects are different. The derivation of the MAK value is based on the “no observed adverse effect level” for the most sensitive effect with relevance for health. A NOAEL is not equivalent with a threshold which cannot be scientifically defined. The NOAEL is a concentration determined by experimental conditions at which the given effect is so low that it does not differ from the control value. It must be decided whether or not such effects may be considered to be adverse effects. At present there is no generally accepted definition for an “adverse” effect, at least in part because of the lack of clarity about the still changing definition for the state of being “healthy”;\(^10\), \(^11\) therefore, this decision must be made anew in every case.

Fundamentally, known effects of a substance in man are given highest priority in the derivation of the MAK value.

In the evaluation of a substance, known effects of structural analogues may also be taken into account.

If no NOAEL may be derived from the available data, a scientifically founded MAK value cannot be established and the substance is listed in Section II b of the List of MAK and BAT Values.

a. Selection of substances and collection of data

For the substances being studied, the epidemiological data published in scientific journals, occupational medical reports, toxicological properties and any other potentially useful information is first assembled by carrying out searches in appropriate databanks. The references found in the literature search are checked for their relevance for the assessment.


of the substance in question and the original publications of the selected literature are examined. When necessary, unpublished internal company data in the form of complete study reports are also included. These are then identified as such in the reference list at the end of the documentation. The validity of the available information and studies is checked. Whether or not a study is relevant for the current assessment is decided on a case to case basis. Whenever possible, evaluation of the studies is based on the guidelines of the OECD or similar bodies.

The unabridged reports are made available to the Commission and are filed at the Commission’s scientific central office. Information required by a third party about the company reports cited in the Commission’s documentation is supplied in writing by the chair of the Commission at own discretion. Access to company reports is not made available to third parties. Copies, even of parts of reports, are not provided.

b. Values based on effects in man

For many substances encountered at the workplace, irritation or central nervous depression is the critical effect. Valuable information – at least for these acute effects of single exposures – may be obtained from studies of volunteers exposed under controlled conditions which yield data for concentration-effect relationships and also for concentrations without effects (NOAEC). A detailed review of the methods required of such studies and of the usefulness of various parameters for the establishment of threshold concentrations has been published\(^ {12}\). Such studies often demonstrate differences in sensitivity between persons who have never been exposed to the test substance and those who have been repeatedly exposed, e.g., at work.

Occupational medical and epidemiological studies provide further information from which the health risks associated with handling particular substances may be evaluated. However, not only the parameters determined in the exposed persons, but also any differences in study design, in the analytical methods and sampling strategies must be considered in evaluating such studies. Various confounders, exposure to mixtures, previous disorders or inadequate exposure records can alter or falsify any detected concentration-effect relationships.

Cross-sectional studies with only single determinations of exposure levels and only single examinations of the exposed persons do not generally permit the association of any observed symptoms with the current exposure situation. This requires information as to past exposure levels.

Therefore, longitudinal studies with repeated determination of the workplace and systemic exposure levels and repeated examination of the exposed persons play a decisive role in the establishment of thresholds. Valid epidemiological studies of persons exposed for long periods to concentrations which do not produce adverse effects provide a reliable basis for the establishment of threshold levels for the workplace, especially when the study design permits statements as to both local and systemic effects.

The diverse sensitivities of individual employees (as determined by age, constitution, nutrition, climate, etc.) are taken into consideration in the establishment of MAK values. It is currently not possible to take sex-specific differences in toxicokinetics and

toxicodynamics into account when establishing MAK and BAT values because of the lack of appropriate scientific data.

When the NOAEL has been determined from the effects of the substance in man observed at the workplace the MAK value is generally established at the level of this NOAEL.

When deriving MAK values for systemic effects and effects on the lungs from studies with volunteers at rest, the results are extrapolated to the increased respiratory minute volume at the workplace. The MAK value is established at half of the concentration used in the volunteer study, which is calculated from the ratio of the respiratory volume of workers to that of persons at rest. Gases and vapours with a blood:air partition coefficient of < 5 represent an exception (see the documentation “Increased respiratory volume at the workplace – Significance for the derivation of the MAK value”[13]). In addition, the results are extrapolated to the longer daily exposure at the workplace, unless there are toxicokinetic data available that show this to be unnecessary.

c. Values based on effects on animals

Because the effects in man are not known for many substances, MAK values are often derived from results obtained with experimental animals. This is carried out in the clear understanding of the problems associated with extrapolation between species and of the much smaller group sizes than is usual in epidemiological studies. On the other hand, animal studies carried out according to modern principles also offer advantages including precise characterization of exposure levels, the wide range of parameters that can be studied, and the possibility of determining dose-response relationships and NOAELs. The minimum database for the derivation of a MAK value is generally considered to be a NOAEL from a valid 90-day inhalation study with experimental animals. Of the results of studies in which substances were administered to experimental animals by the oral or dermal route, mostly only the systemic effects may be considered to be relevant for persons exposed at the workplace. Therefore, in the documentation of a MAK value such results must be accompanied by information about the local effects of the substance, especially the effects on the respiratory tract.

To extrapolate an oral dose from an animal study to a concentration in the air at the workplace, the Commission uses a procedure which in essence corresponds with that described in the document for determination of “Derived No-Effect Levels” (Guidance on Information Requirements and Chemical Safety Assessment, Chapter R.8, ECHA 2008). The only difference is that the Commission assumes 100% absorption after inhalation and oral administration when there are no substance-specific data. Exceptions to this are the metals and metal compounds, for which 50% absorption is assumed after oral administration if substance-specific data are not available.

Procedure: If substance-specific data are not available, the oral dose is divided by the following correction factor (ECHA 2008), depending on the species:

mouse: 7; rat: 4; rabbit: 2.4; monkey: 2; dog: 1.4.

The further assumptions (human body weight: 70 kg, breathing volume: 10 m³ per 8 hours) still apply. The conversion is calculated with the following formula:

\[
\text{Inhaled concentration} = \frac{\text{oral dose (mg/kg body weight and day) x oral absorption in the animal (\%) x 70 kg body weight}}{\text{species-specific correction factor x inhalation absorption in humans (\%) x (10 m³ per day)}}
\]

For example, a dose of 1 mg/kg body weight in the rat, a substance-specific oral absorption of 80% and unknown inhalation absorption result in the following concentration:

\[
\frac{1 \text{ mg/kg} \times 80\% \times 70 \text{ kg}}{4 \times 100\% \times 10 \text{ m}^3} = 1.4 \text{ mg/m}^3
\]

Assuming that the same external concentration in the air leads to the same internal exposure in all species at rest, it must be taken into account when extrapolating data from inhalation studies in animals to humans that in the case of systemic effects and effects in the lungs the body burden (related to kg body weight) of the worker at the workplace, with an assumed respiratory volume of 10 m³ in 8 hours, is about twice as high as that of the experimental animal in the usual 6-hour experiment. The equivalent external concentration at the workplace is, therefore, half of that used in the experiment. This applies only for gases and vapours with a blood:air distribution coefficient of >5 and for aerosols, provided that the effect is the product of c×t. If it can be shown that the critical effect depends more on the concentration than the product of c×t and that the steady state was reached within the duration of the experiment, the equivalent concentration at the workplace is two thirds of the concentration used in the experiment (1:1.5), as then extrapolation of the usual 6-hour exposure in animal experiments to the 8-hour exposure at the workplace is no longer necessary (see the documentation “Increased respiratory volume at the workplace – Significance for the derivation of the MAK value”\(^{14}\)). If there are valid PBPK models of exposure with the relevant metabolites in humans and animals these are used for extrapolation from the experimental animal to persons at the workplace. If necessary, the dose in the animal experiment is converted if the frequency of exposure differed from that at the workplace. With continuous exposure (for example, feeding studies) the NOAEL from the animal experiment is therefore multiplied by 7/5 to take into consideration the continuous exposure of the animals compared with the intermittent exposure of the usual 5-day working week. With administration of the substance with the diet or drinking water to rats and mice, as a rule the factors used by the EFSA\(^ {15}\) are used to convert the values into a dose per kg body weight, if there are no measured values.

When the NOAEL is based on results with animals in oral or inhalation studies, the MAK value is generally established at the level of half of the concentration in air extrapolated for workers at the workplace. However, in some cases species differences in sensitivity to the substance must be taken into account and here the toxicokinetic data are particularly important.

\(^{14}\) see “Increased respiratory volume at the workplace – Significance for the derivation of the MAK value” (2017). DOI: https://doi.org/10.1002/3527600418.mbrespivole6217

\(^{15}\) EFSA (European Food Safety Authority) (2012) Scientific opinion: Guidance on selected default values to be used by the EFSA Scientific Committee, scientific panels and units in the absence of actual measured data. EFSA J 10: 2579. DOI: https://doi.org/10.2903/j.efsa.2012.2579
d. Exceptional workplaces

The concentrations of inhaled gaseous substances in blood and tissues of persons working under hyperbaric pressure have been shown to correlate positively with the pressure. This dependence of the body burden on the workplace conditions must be taken into account in the application of MAK and BAT values.

★ e. Chemosensory perceptions and effects

Substances present in the workplace air as gas or aerosol are potentially able to induce chemosensory perceptions and thus associated effects relevant to health. Humans possess very sensitive chemosensory senses which are able to perceive chemicals at the workplace. The sense of smell (nervus olfactorius) is particularly sensitive and perceives both pleasant and unpleasant odours even at very low concentrations, frequently below the MAK value. The so-called “trigeminal chemoreception” (nervus trigeminus) perceives burning and biting sensations, above all at higher concentrations of the substance in the workplace air. Both senses serve primarily the perception of volatile chemicals in the ambient air but can also warn the organism against possible dangers. The sense of smell possesses above all a “psychological” warning function, while trigeminal chemoreception can induce defence mechanisms to avoid damage to tissues. Nevertheless, the mere perception of the chemical is not a health effect; in addition (a) sensory irritation, (b) considerable odour annoyance or (c) in individual cases “odour-associated” symptoms must occur.

Sensory irritation

Trigeminal nerve fibres occur in almost all regions of the nose, but also in the mucous membranes of the eyes, the oral cavity and the throat. Various receptors are found on these fibres of the peripheral nervous system, which can be activated by chemicals. They detect changes in temperature and other changes in the milieu (for example, changes in pH) in their immediate environment. The activation of these chemoreceptors forms the physiological basis of sensory irritation. Sensory irritation is understood to be an acute, more or less concentration-dependent effect, which can be regarded as reversible until the activation of the receptors leads to defence reflexes (for example, an increase in blinking frequency, or the release of neurogenic inflammation markers). This sensory defence reaction takes place without signs of inflammation or histopathological changes yet being evident. The sensory NOAEC can be determined in human studies (subjective/objective symptoms) or estimated from suitable studies with animals (mouse, RD). At higher concentrations, however, neurogenic inflammation and adverse histopathological changes of the upper respiratory tract (for example, an inflammatory reaction of the tissue, atrophy/degeneration of the olfactory epithelium) may additionally occur. Such effects have been observed in inhalation studies with rodents. A NOAEC can be derived for this, which can decrease with increasing exposure duration. According to an empirical study, if there are no studies in humans for sensory irritation, the long-term NOAEC for histopathological effects of the upper respiratory tract of rodents can be used to estimate a NAEC for sensory

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irritation (eyes, nose) in humans. If the target tissue is the olfactory epithelium in rodents, no sensory irritation is to be expected at half the value of the long-term NOAEC; for other target tissues of the upper respiratory tract the same is true at a third of the value of the corresponding NOAEC. If there is only a short or medium-term study available, its NOAEC is divided by 6 or 2, respectively, to extrapolate a long-term NAEC \(^{16}\), unless the data for the substance or a better-investigated analogous substance suggest that the increasing exposure duration does not lead to an increase in the effects or leads to an increase of different magnitude. If no NOAEC was obtained, with a suitable database the lower confidence interval of a benchmark dose (BMDL\(_{05}\) or BMDL\(_{SD}\)) can be calculated or the NAEC can be estimated by dividing the LOAEC by 2 or 3 depending on the severity of the effects and the gradient of the concentration–effect relationship.

**Considerable odour annoyance**

The receptors of the sense of smell (nervus olfactorius) are activated even at low concentrations of a chemical and induce action potentials in the olfactory nerve. Initially, this leads to the perception of an odour (perception threshold). The basis for this perception is the characteristic activation pattern of the around 350 different odour receptors in humans, which, however, can change very rapidly depending on the duration and concentration of the exposure. These dynamic processes ultimately lead to the recognition of an odour. For the brain to recognize a particular odour (identification threshold), in some cases the concentrations need to be 10 times as high as those necessary for the perception threshold. The primary criterion by which humans judge unknown odours is their hedonic quality; whether they are pleasant or unpleasant. These judgements are very subjective and individual as they are learnt during the course of life and are connected with the person’s experiences with certain odours.

Chemicals at the workplace often have an unpleasant smell. Persistent intensive or nauseous odours may lead to excessive annoyance. As a rule, this not only involves the perception of the odour, but also trigeminal sensations (biting, burning) and the otherwise very pronounced adaptation/habituation to chemosensory irritation does not take place. From an objective physiological point of view, it is almost impossible to say when excessive annoyance has been reached. Indirect indicators are reduced cognitive performance resulting from the diversion caused by the substance when the annoying chemosensory perception can no longer be ignored and hinders the actual task being performed. In controlled studies in humans, such behavioural effects can be determined using standardized neuropsychological test procedures.

**“Odour-associated” symptoms**

Certain chemical substances can induce immediate “odour-associated” symptoms such as nausea or headaches in some people. As a rule, nothing is known in the scientific literature about the physiological mechanisms behind these symptoms, but it is above all very odour-intensive substances that cause such reactions in certain individuals. Substances which can cause “odour-associated” symptoms even at concentrations below the MAK value are given the footnote “Even if the MAK value is observed, “odour-associated” symptoms cannot be ruled out in individual cases.”. A substance is designated with this footnote according to the following criteria: (a) a low, psycho-physically determined odour threshold, (b) a very unpleasant odour even in the range of the perception threshold or (c) case reports or observations which describe the increased occurrence of “odour-associated” symptoms.
**Habituation**

When only the odour is perceived, constant exposure to certain substances (for example, hydrogen sulfide, 2-methyl-2-propanethiol) can lead to habituation and thus also to impairment or the complete loss of the olfactory perception of this substance. Also for this reason, odour perception is not a suitable “warning” against hazardous exposure to such chemicals. At present there is not enough substance-specific knowledge about the underlying mechanisms of very pronounced habituation processes (for example, changes to the odour receptors) and the concentration–effect relationships involved. In the case of such substances, attention must be drawn to the phenomenon of olfactory perception.

**Documentation**

A detailed scientific documentation of each decision is published in the series Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten, also available in English translation\(^{17}\). Annual supplements are planned. These documents present, clearly and in detail, the scientific data and the reasons for the establishment of a MAK value. Because of this system, it is sufficient to establish only general principles for the derivation of MAK values. The assessment of individual substances on the basis of all the available toxicological and occupational medical data yields a more differentiated and specific evaluation than would the observance of stringently formulated rules.

The published data for the toxicity and effects of a substance in man and animals and all other relevant information are organized according to the kind of effect and presented in the form of a review. This review of the toxicological and epidemiological data for a substance serves initially as a basis for the discussion within the Commission for the derivation of a MAK value and for detailed evaluation of the physicochemical properties, percutaneous absorption, sensitizing effects, carcinogenic effects, prenatal toxicity and germ cell mutagenicity of the substance. When new data become available, the MAK value, classification and designation of the substance are reassessed and, when necessary, altered.

**Publication**

Prospective changes and new entries are announced one year in advance in the List of MAK and BAT Values, usually on 1st July. In addition, the new entries are published on the homepage of the Commission at the DFG (https://www.dfg.de/download/pdf/dfg_im_profil/gremien/senat/arbeitsstoffe/ankuendigungsliste.pdf). If necessary, in addition to the regular updates each year in July, further announcements of prospective changes and new entries can be made there at any time. Following ratification of the annual List, the organizations listed below are officially informed of the planned changes: “Länderausschuss für Arbeitsschutz und Sicherheitstechnik (LASI)” (Federal Committee for Occupational Safety and Technical Security), the “Bundesverband der deutschen Industrie” (Federation of German Industries), the “Deutsche Gesetzliche Unfallversicherung” (German Statutory Accident Insurance) and the “Deutsche Gewerkschafts bund” (the German Trade Union Federation). The purpose of this measure is to give these organizations enough time to

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send to the Commission any available scientific documentation relevant to the planned changes and additions to the List of MAK and BAT Values.

Mixtures of substances

In general, the MAK value is only valid for exposure to a single, pure substance. It cannot be applied unconditionally to one component of a mixture in the workplace air or to a technical product which might contain more toxic impurities. Simultaneous or successive exposure to several substances may be much more or, in isolated cases, even less dangerous than the exposure to one of the substances on its own. A MAK value for a mixture of substances cannot be satisfactorily determined by simple calculation because the components of the mixture generally have very different kinds of effect; MAK values can presently be established for such mixtures only after specific toxicological examination or studies of the particular mixture of substances. Given the inadequacy of the currently available data, the Commission decidedly refrains from calculating MAK values for mixtures, particularly for liquid solvent mixtures. However, it is willing, on the basis of its own investigations, to provide values for defined vapour mixtures of practical relevance.

Analytical controls

The compliance with MAK and BAT values (that is, keeping the exposure levels below these values) is intended to protect the health of persons exposed to hazardous substances at work. This objective can be ensured only by regular analytical determination of the concentration of the hazardous substances in the workplace air or of the concentration of the substances, their metabolites or other parameters of intermediary metabolism in the body fluids of exposed persons. For this purpose, it is necessary to use analytical methods which have been tested regarding the analytical reliability and practicability.

The Commission's analytical working groups for air analyses and for analyses in biological material have developed such methods and published them in the series Luftanalysen and Analysen in biologischem Material\(^{18}\). These collections of methods are supplemented regularly and are published in both German and English. The methods are conceived as so-called standard operating procedures (SOP) which are intended to ensure comparability of the analytical results from laboratory to laboratory and with the corresponding limit values. Thus they contribute to the quality control of the results. In addition,


The Commission welcomes suggestions for inclusion of new chemical compounds as well as analytical methods.

they provide a good basis for the health protection which is the objective of the limit values.

In the development of these analytical methods, the accuracy and reliability of the results is the most important factor. The methods are updated regularly if new scientific and instrumental findings indicate changes. In this respect the methods always reflect the current state of technology and are well-suited for monitoring limit values.

The methods for analyses in biological material are, whenever possible, designed so that their measurement range includes the background concentration range. In this way it is possible to differentiate between occupational and environmental exposure and to correctly evaluate the analytical results.

**Substances that can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol**

Substances in the air at the workplace usually occur either as a gas/vapour mixture or in the condensed phase in the form of droplets or particles (dust). There are, however, also substances that do not follow this pattern. These are substances with a low vapour pressure at room temperature, which can therefore occur in relevant amounts as both vapour and aerosol. They can be both liquids and sublimating solids.

When determining the inhalation exposure to substances it must always be considered whether vapour and aerosol mixtures can be formed as a result of the work process. This must be taken into account during the determination and evaluation. In particular, such mixtures occur above all when aerosols are formed during the work process, for example as a result of mechanical processes such as the processing of metals or ceramics, during dipping processes in electroplating or during spraying processes. In addition, there are manufacturing processes in which non-volatile substances evaporate at higher temperatures and then condense again, for example, during the hot processing of bitumen or laser welding, and thus occur in the workplace air simultaneously as a vapour and an aerosol. According to DIN EN 13936\(^{19}\)), for substances with a vapour pressure at room temperature of less than 100 Pa and more than 0.001 Pa sampling procedures should always be selected which determine vapour and aerosols simultaneously in one sampling system. Liquids with boiling points between around 180 °C and 350 °C usually fall into this category. The mass transfer between the vapour and condensed phase is a dynamic process which is continually changing as a result of influences such as temperature or air currents. The exact distribution of a substance in the workplace air between the vapour phase and condensed phase is very difficult to determine, and therefore not possible in practice. Systems with which aerosols and vapour can be determined together (the aerosol is determined as the inhalable fraction) are suitable for sampling such substances.

For substances with the physical properties described and for which there is a MAK value for the respirable fraction of the particle phase, at workplaces it is not possible, for analytical reasons, to determine only the respirable aerosol fraction. Also for these substances it is recommended that the inhalable fraction is determined to cover the “worst-case” scenario\(^{20})

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of the vapour and particle fractions can be determined reliably as long as the particle fraction is determined in its entirety as the inhalable fraction.

Substances in the list in Section II which can occur simultaneously as a vapour and an aerosol are marked with the following note: “The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol”.

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## II List of Substances

In the following list, maximum concentrations in the workplace air (MAK values) of gases, vapours and aerosols are expressed in ml/m³ (millilitre (ml) of the substance per cubic metre (m³) of air, ppm), a unit which is unaffected by temperature and barometric pressure, as well as in mg/m³ (milligram (mg) of the substance per cubic metre (m³) of air), a unit which is temperature and pressure dependent and has therefore been adjusted to a temperature of 20 °C and barometric pressure of 1013 hPa; the MAK values for non-volatile aerosols (dust, smoke, mist) are given in mg/m³. Non-volatile aerosols are substances which have such a low vapour pressure that at normal temperatures a dangerously high concentration cannot occur in the gaseous phase.

Since the health hazards associated with handling a substance can be affected by its volatility, the vapour pressure of a series of highly volatile compounds has been listed for 20 °C, unless otherwise stated. Knowledge of the vapour pressure makes it possible to estimate whether hazardous concentrations of the substance can accumulate by evaporation under the conditions prevailing at the particular workplace. The listed vapour pressure values are taken from the literature, mainly from the US National Library of Medicine, the ECHA, the SRC-Physprop or the GESTIS database, and have been rounded for practical purposes.

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* indicates a change from the 2020 List of MAK and BAT Values.

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21) “mg/m³” is a measure which means milligram (mg) of the substance per cubic metre (m³) of air.

22) Under the specified atmospheric conditions (20 °C, 1013 hPa) the concentration values can be converted according to the following formula:

\[
C(\text{mg/m}^3) = \frac{\text{molar mass in g}}{\text{molar volume in l}} \times C(\text{ml/m}^3)
\]

The molar volume corresponds to 24.1 l at 20 °C and 1013 hPa (mbar). The MAK value is generally established with the units ml/m³; the value in mg/m³ is then calculated with the formula given above. Following a suggestion from users, the calculated values are given correct to two significant figures.
a. Substances with MAK values
and substances listed in Sections IIb and III to XII

MAK values which were established on the condition that the working week exceeds 40 hours have been retained with no change in the toxicological evaluation.

Abietic acid
[514-10-3]

also includes disproportionation and transposition products.

see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh
An immunological genesis of the asthma often seen in persons working with materials containing abietic acid has not been proved.

Acacia melanoxylon → Woods

Acetaldehyde
[75-07-0]  \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CHO} \)

MAK[ml/m³]: 50
see definition of Carcinogen Category 5 and supporting documentation

MAK[mg/m³]: 91
Peak lim: I(1)
A momentary value of 100 ml/m³ (180 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: C
Carc cat: 5
Muta cat: 5

Acetamide
[60-35-5]  \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CO-NH}_2 \)

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Acetic acid
[64-19-7]  \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{COOH} \)

MAK[ml/m³]: 10
MAK[mg/m³]: 25
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C

Acetic anhydride
[108-24-7]  \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CO-O-CO-CH}_3 \)

VP[hPa]: 4

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.1
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.42
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C

Acetoacetic acid ethyl ester
[141-97-9]  \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CO-CH}_2\text{COO-CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Acetone
[67-64-1]  \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CO-CH}_3 \)

VP[hPa]: 240
see section XII

MAK[ml/m³]: 500
MAK[mg/m³]: 1200
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: B
prerequisite for Group C see documentation

Acetonitrile
[75-05-8]  \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CN} \)

VP[hPa]: 96.6

MAK[ml/m³]: 10
MAK[mg/m³]: 17
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Acetylacetone → 2,4-Pentanedione

Acetylene black → Carbon black

Acetylene tetrabromide
→ 1,1,2,2-Tetrabromoethane

Acetylene tetrachloride
→ 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Acetylpropionyl → 2,3-Pentanedione

Acrolein
[107-02-8]  \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CH-CHO} \)

VP[hPa]: 290
see section XII

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3
Acrylacetaldehyde → Acrolein

**Acrylamide**  
[79-06-1]  
H₂C=CH-CO-NH₂  
see section XII  
MAK[m³/m³]: –  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Sens: Sh  
Carc cat: 2  
Muta cat: 2

**Acrylates and methacrylates**  
see section IVe

**Acrylic acid**  
[79-10-7]  
H₂C=CH-COOH

Acrylic acid n-butyl ester → n-Butyl acrylate

Acrylic acid tert-butyl ester → tert-Butyl acrylate

Acrylic acid diester with ethylene glycol → Triethylene glycol diacrylate

Acrylic acid 2-ethoxyethanol diester → Diethylene glycol diacrylate

Acrylic acid ethyl ester → Ethyl acrylate

**Acrylic acid 2-ethylhexyl ester**  
[103-11-7]  
H₂C=CH₂-C(O-CH₂-C₆H₅)-CH₂-C₆H₅

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.132  
MAK[m³/m³]: 5  
MAK[ml/m³]: 38  
Peak lim: I(1)  
Preg gr: C  
Sens: Sh

**Acrylic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester**  
[818-61-1]  
H₂C=CH-COOH-C₆H₂OH  
see section IV  
Sens: Sh

**Acrylic acid hydroxypropyl ester (all isomers)**  
[25584-83-2]  
H₂C=CH-COO-C₃H₇OH

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.16 at 25°C (calculated value)  
see section IIb  
MAK[m³/m³]: –  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Sens: Sh

Acrylic acid isobornyl ester → Isobornyl acrylate

Acrylic acid methyl ester → Methyl acrylate

Acrylic acid pentaerythritol triester → Pentaerythritol triacrylate

**Acrylic acid polymer (neutralized, cross-linked)**  
(–CH₂-C₆H₄(COOC₆H₄)₅)ₙ  
MAK[m³/m³]: 0.05 R  
Peak lim: I(1)  
Preg gr: C  
Carc cat: 4

Acrylic acid resin → Acrylic acid polymer (neutralized, cross-linked)

Acrylic acid tetramethylene ester → 1,4-Butanediol diacylate

Acrylic acid 1,1,1-(trihydroxymethyl)propane triester → Trimethylolpropane triacrylate

**Acrylonitrile**  
[107-13-1]  
H₂C=CH-CN

VP[hPa]: 116  
see section XII  
MAK[m³/m³]: –  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Sens: Sh  
Carc cat: 2

Actinolite (fibrous dust) → Asbestos

**Adipic acid**  
[124-04-9]  
H₂O₂-C-(CH₂)₄-CO₂H  
see section Xc  
MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I  
Peak lim: I(2)  
Preg gr: C

**Aerosols**  
see section V

Afara (Terminalia superba) → Woods
Aflatoxins
[1402-68-2]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 1
Muta cat: 3A

African blackwood (Dalbergia melanoxylon) → Woods

African “cherry” (Tieghemella heckelii) → Woods

African ebony (Diospyros crassiflora) → Woods

African whitewood (Triplochiton scleroxylon) → Woods

Aldrin
[309-00-2]

MAK[mg/m³]: 0.25 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Perc abs: H

Alkali chromates → Chromium(VI) compounds

Alkali citrates → Citric acid

Alkali persulfates

see section IV
Sens: Sah

Alkali salts of benzoic acid → Benzoic acid alkali salts

Alkyl amines, C11-14-branched, monohexyl and dihexyl phosphates
[80939-62-4]

see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Alkyl benzenesulfonates C10-C14, linear
[69669-44-9; 85117-50-6]

see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

N-Alkyl-N,N-dimethyl-N-benzylammonium-chloride → Benzalkonium chloride

Alkyl ether carboxylic acids

see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Allyl alcohol
[107-18-6]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Allyl chloride
[107-05-1]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Allyl 2,3-epoxypropyl ether → Allyl glycidyl ether

Allyl glycidyl ether
[106-92-3]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 2

4-Allyl-2-methoxyphenol → Eugenol
1-(2-Allyloxy)-2-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)ethyl)-1H-imidazole

Aluminium silicate fibres (RCF)
Cristobalite can develop from aluminium silicate fibres used in building materials under thermal load, see documentation.

see section Xc

Allyl propyl disulphide

Aluminium-, Aluminium oxide- and Aluminium hydroxide-containing dusts

Aluminium oxide

α-Aluminium oxide

1-Aminobutane \(\rightarrow\) n-Butylamine
2-Aminobutane \(\rightarrow\) sec-Butylamine
2-Aminobutanol

1-Amino-4-chlorobenzene \(\rightarrow\) p-Chloroaniline
2-Amino-5-chlorotoluene → 4-Chloro-o-toluidine
Aminocyclohexane → Cyclohexylamine
1-Amino-3,4-dichlorobenzene → 3,4-Dichloroaniline

4-Aminodiphenylamine
[101-54-2]

\[
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \\
\text{Peak lim}: - \\
\text{Preg gr}: - \\
\text{Perc abs}: \text{H} \\
\text{Sens}: \text{Sh} \\
\text{Carc cat}: 3
\]

2-Aminoethanol
[141-43-5] \(\text{H}_2\text{NCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: 0.3 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 0.2 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 0.51 \\
\text{Peak lim}: \text{I}(1) \\
\text{Preg gr}: \text{C} \\
\text{Sens}: \text{Sh}
\]

2-(2-Aminoethoxy)ethanol
[929-06-6] \((\text{HO})_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_2)\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: 0.002 \text{ at } 25^\circ\text{C} \\
\text{see section Xc} \\
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 0.2 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 0.87 \\
\text{Peak lim}: \text{I}(1) \\
\text{Preg gr}: \text{C} \\
\text{Perc abs}: \text{H} \\
\text{Sens}: \text{Sh}
\]

6-Amino-2-ethoxynaphthalene
[293733-21-8]

\[
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \\
\text{Peak lim}: - \\
\text{Preg gr}: - \\
\text{Carc cat}: 2
\]

3-Amino-9-ethylcarbazole
[132-32-1]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{H}_3\text{C} & \\
\text{N} & \\
\text{NH}_2
\end{align*}
\]

\[
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \\
\text{Peak lim}: - \\
\text{Preg gr}: - \\
\text{Carc cat}: 3
\]

2-Amino-2-ethyl-1,3-propanediol
[115-70-8] \((\text{HOCH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_2)\text{NH}_2\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: 1.6\times10^{-3} \\
\text{see section IIb and Xc} \\
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \\
\text{Peak lim}: - \\
\text{Preg gr}: - \\
\]

4-Amino-1-hydroxybenzene → p-Aminophenol
2-Aminoisobutanol → 2-Amino-2-methyl-1-propanol
1-Amino-2-methoxy-5-methylbenzene → 5-Methyl-o-anisidine
3-Amino-4-methoxy-toluene → 5-Methyl-o-anisidine
4-Amino-1-methylbenzene → p-Toluidine
1-Amino-2-methylpropane → Isobutylamine
2-Amino-2-methylpropane → tert-Butylamine
2-Amino-2-methyl-1-propanol
[124-68-5] \(\text{CH}_3\text{C}(\text{CH}_2)\text{NH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: 1.3 \\
\text{see section Xc} \\
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 1 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 3.7 \\
\text{Peak lim}: \text{II}(2) \\
\text{Preg gr}: \text{C} \\
\text{Perc abs}: \text{H}
\]
3-Aminomethyl-3,5,5-trimethyl-cyclohexylamine (Isophorone diamine) [2855-13-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[hPa]}: 0.02 \]

see section IIb

\[ \text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]}: – \]

\[ \text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]}: – \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: –} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: –} \]

\[ \text{Sens: Sh} \]

Aminonitrofen → 4-(2,4-Dichlorophenoxy)benzenamine

4-Amino-2-nitrophenol → 2-Nitro-4-aminophenol

2-Amino-4-nitrotoluene → 5-Nitro-o-toluidine

3-Aminophenol [591-27-5]

see section IV

\[ \text{Sens: Sh} \]

4-Aminophenol → p-Aminophenol

\[ \text{p-Aminophenol} \ [123-30-8] \]

see section IV

\[ \text{Sens: Sh} \]

p-Aminophenol triglycidylether → Triglycidyl-p-aminophenol

2-{[4-Aminophenyl]-amino}-5-nitrobenzenesulfonic acid → 4-Nitro-4'-aminodiphenylamine-2-sulfonic acid

2-Aminopropane → Isopropylamine

\[ \text{1-Amino-2-propanol} \ [78-96-6] \]

\[ \text{NH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-CHOH-CH}_3 \]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[hPa]}: 0.6 \]

see section IIb and Xc

\[ \text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]}: – \]

\[ \text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]}: – \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: –} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: –} \]

N-(3-Aminopropyl)-N-dodecylpropane-1,3-diamine

\[ \text{[2372-82-9]} \]

\[ \text{CH}_3\text{(CH}_2\text{)}_{11}\text{N((CH}_2\text{)}_3\text{)}\text{NH}_2 \]

see section Xc

\[ \text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]}: 0.05 \text{ I} \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: II(8)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]

2-Aminopyridine [504-29-0]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[hPa]}: 0.13 \text{ at } 25^\circ\text{C (calculated value)} \]

see section IIb

\[ \text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]}: – \]

\[ \text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]}: – \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: –} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: –} \]

4-Aminotoluene → p-Toluidine

3-Amino-p-toluidine → 2,4-Toluenediamine (2,4-TDA)

5-Amino-o-toluidine → 2,4-Toluenediamine (2,4-TDA)

3-Amino-1,2,4-triazole → Amitrole

Aminotris(methylene phosphonic acid) [6191-19-8] \[ \text{N(CH}_2\text{PO}_3\text{)}_3 \]

and its sodium salts \[ \text{R = H, Na} \]

see section IIb and Xc

\[ \text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]}: – \]

\[ \text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]}: – \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: –} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: –} \]

Amitrole [61-82-5]

\[ \text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]}: 0.2 \text{ I} \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: II(8)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]

\[ \text{Perc abs: H} \]

\[ \text{Carc cat: 4} \]

Ammonia [7664-41-7] \[ \text{NH}_3 \]

\[ \text{VP[hPa]}: 8570 \]

\[ \text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]}: 20 \]

\[ \text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]}: 14 \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: I(2)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]

Ammonium molybdate → Molybdenum

Ammonium perfluorooctanoate → Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)
Ammonium peroxydisulfate → Ammonium persulfate

Ammonium persulfate
[7727-54-0]
\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{NH}_4^+ \ \text{O} \\
\text{O} \ \	ext{O} \\
\text{O} \ \	ext{O} \\
\text{O} \\
\end{array}
\]
see section IV
Sens: Sah

Ammonium sulfamate
[7773-06-0]
\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{O} \\
\text{O} \\
\text{N} \\
\end{array}
\]
see section IIIb
MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Amorphous carbon → Carbon black

Amyl acetate (all isomers)
\[
\text{H}_3\text{C-COO-CH}_3
\]
VP[hPa]: <10
MAK[m/l/m³]: 50
MAK[mg/m³]: 270
Peak lim: I(1)

– 3-Methylbutyl acetate
[123-92-2]
\[
\text{CH}_3\text{COO-CH}_3\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2
\]
VP[hPa]: 5.3
Preg gr: D

– 3-Pentyl acetate
[620-11-1]
\[
\text{CH}_3\text{COO-CH(CH}_3\text{)}_2
\]
Preg gr: D

– 2-Methylbutyl acetate
[624-41-9]
\[
\text{CH}_3\text{COO-CH}_3\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CH}_3
\]
Preg gr: C

– 1,1-Dimethylpropyl acetate
[625-16-1]
\[
\text{CH}_3\text{COO-CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CH}_3
\]
Preg gr: D

– 1-Methylbutyl acetate
[626-38-0]
\[
\text{CH}_3\text{COO-CH(CH}_3\text{)}_2\text{CH}_3
\]
VP[hPa]: 9.3
Preg gr: D

– 1-Pentyl acetate
[628-63-7]
\[
\text{CH}_3\text{COO-CH}_3\text{CH}_3
\]
VP[hPa]: 5.3
Preg gr: C

Amyl alcohol → Pentanol (isomers)

\(\alpha\)-Amylase
see section IV
Sens: Sa

\(\alpha\)-Amylcinnamaldehyde
[122-40-7]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
see section IV
Sens: Sh

Aniline
[62-53-3]
\[
\text{NH}_2
\]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.68
see section XII
MAK[m/l/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 7.7
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 4

Aniline yellow → p-Aminoazobenzene

Animal hair, epithelia and other materials derived from animals
see section IV
Sens: Sah

\(o\)-Anisidine
[90-04-0]
\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{OH} \\
\text{NH}_2 \\
\text{O} \\
\end{array}
\]

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: H
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

\(p\)-Anisidine
[104-94-9]
\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{H}_3\text{C} \\
\text{O} \\
\text{NH}_2 \\
\end{array}
\]

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: H
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Anthanthrene
[191-26-4]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”
MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: H
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

Anthophyllite (fibrous dust) → Asbestos
Anthracite dust → Coal mine dust

**Antibiotics**
see section IVe

**Antimony**
[7440-36-0] Sb
and its inorganic compounds
except for stibine
see section XII

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Carc cat: 2
- Muta cat: 3A

ANTU → 1-Naphthylthiourea

**p-Aramid**
[26125-61-1] (fibrous dust)
see section III

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Carc cat: 3

**Arborvitaee (Thuja spp.) → Woods**

Arprocarb → Propoxur

Arsenic → Phenyl arsenic compounds

**Arsenic**
[7440-38-2] and inorganic arsenic compounds
see section XII

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
  with the exception of metallic arsenic and gallium arsenide
  Carc cat: 1
  Muta cat: 3A

  - **Metallic arsenic**
    [7440-38-2] As
  
  - **Arsenic trioxide**
    [1327-53-3] As₂O₃
  
  - **Arsenic pentoxide**
    [1303-28-2] As₂O₅
  
  - **Arsenic acid**
    [7778-39-4] H₃AsO₄
    and its salts, e.g.
  
  - **Lead arsenate**
    [3687-31-8] Pb₃(AsO₄)₂
  
  - **Calcium arsenate**
    [7778-44-1] Ca₃(AsO₄)₂
  
  - **Gallium arsenide**
    [1303-00-0] GaAs

**Arsenic(III) oxide → Arsenic**

**Arsenic(V) oxide → Arsenic**

**Arsine**
[7784-42-1] AsH₃
see section IIb

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Artificial almond oil → Benzaldehyde

**Asbestos**
[1332-21-4] (fibrous dust)
Actinolite, Amosite, Anthophyllite, Chrysotile, Crocidolite and Tremolite
see section III

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Carc cat: 1
  cigarette smokers bear an increased risk of bronchial cancer.
Asphalt → Bitumen (high-temperature processing, vapours and aerosols)

**Atrazine**

[1912-24-9]

\[
\text{CH}_3 \quad \text{Cl}
\]

MAK[mg/m³]: 1 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

**Attapulgite**

[12174-11-7] \( \text{Mg}_8\text{Si}_4\text{O}_{10}(\text{OH})_2(\text{H}_2\text{O})_2 \cdot 4 \text{H}_2\text{O} \)

(fibrous dust)
see section III

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 2

**Auramine**

[492-80-8]

\[
\text{H}_2\text{N} \quad \text{C}_{\text{H}_3} \quad \text{N}\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B

**Auramine hydrochloride**

[2465-27-2]

\[
\text{H}_2\text{N} \quad \text{C}_{\text{H}_3} \quad \text{N}\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B

**Australian blackwood (Acacia melanoxylon)** → Woods

**Australian silky oak (Grevillea robusta)** → Woods

**Ayan (Distemonanthus benthamianus)** → Woods

**Azelaic acid**

[123-99-9] \( \text{HO}_2\text{C-(CH}_2)_3\text{-CO}_2\text{H} \)

see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

**Azinphos-methyl**

[86-50-0]

MAK[mg/m³]: 1 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: B

prerequisite for Group C see documentation
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh

Aziridine → Ethylenimine

Azobiscarbamide → Azodicarbonamide

**Azo colourants**
see also Pigment Yellow
see section III

**Azodicarbonamide**

[123-77-3] \( \text{H}_2\text{N-CO-N} \equiv \text{N-CO-NH}_2 \)

MAK[mg/m³]: 0.02 I
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: D

1,1'‐Azodiformamide → Azodicarbonamide

Azoinimide → Hydrazoic acid

**Barium compounds (soluble)**

(as Ba [7440-39-3])
see section XII

MAK[mg/m³]: 0.5 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: D

**Barium sulfate**

[7727-43-7] \( \text{BaSO}_4 \)

(inhalable fraction)
see section VI and g

MAK[mg/m³]: 4 I
Preg gr: C

**Barium sulfate**

[7727-43-7] \( \text{BaSO}_4 \)

(respirable fraction)
except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh
see section Vf

MAK[mg/m³]: 0.3 R
multiplied with the material density
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: C
Carc cat: 4
Beech wood dust
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 1
Dusts have been shown epidemiologically to be unequivocally carcinogenic. The active carcinogenic principle has not been identified to date.

Behenic acid
[112-85-6] CH₃(CH₂)₂₂COOH
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Benomyl
[17804-35-2]
Sens: Sh
Muta cat: 3A

Bentonite → Montmorillonite

Benzo[a]anthracene
[56-55-3]
see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perch abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3A

1,2-Benzenedicarboxylic acid, diisodecylester → Diisodecyl phthalate
Benzenedicarboxylic acid dibutyl ester → Di-n-butyl phthalate
1,2-Benzenedicarboxylic acid di-2-propenyl ester → Diallyl phthalate
1,3-Benzenediol → Resorcinol

Benzidine
[92-87-5]
and its salts
see section XII
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh
Muta cat: 3A

1H-Benzimidazole-2-carbamic acid methyl ester → Carbendazim

1,2-Benzisothiazol-3(2H)-one
[2634-33-5]
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

Benzo[a]anthracene
[56-55-3]
see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perch abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3A

1,2-Benzenedicarboxylic acid, diisodecylester → Diisodecyl phthalate
Benzenedicarboxylic acid dibutyl ester → Di-n-butyl phthalate
1,2-Benzenedicarboxylic acid di-2-propenyl ester → Diallyl phthalate
1,3-Benzenediol → Resorcinol

Benzo[a]anthracene
[56-55-3]
see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perch abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3A

Benzo[b]fluoranthene
[205-99-2]
see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perch abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B
Benzo[j]fluoranthene
[205-82-3]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B

Benzo[k]fluoranthene
[207-08-9]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B

Benzoic acid
[65-85-0]

see also Benzoic acid alkali salts

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol. Causes pseudoallergic reactions, see Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten (21st issue 1995).

VP[hPa]: \(9 \times 10^{-4}\) at 25°C

see section Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.1
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Benzoic acid alkali salts
(as benzoate) see also Benzoic acid

Causes pseudoallergic reactions, see Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten (21st issue 1995).

MAK[mg/m³]: 10 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Benzoic aldehyde → Benzaldehyde

Benzo[b]naphtho[2,1-d]thiophene
[239-35-0]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B

Benzophenone-3
[131-57-7]

Benzophenone-4
[4065-45-6]

Benzo[a]pyrene
[50-32-8]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 2

p-Benzoquinone → Quinone

3H-1,3-Benzothiazol-2-thione → 2-Mercaptobenzothiazole

1H-Benzotriazole
[95-14-7]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: \(6.89 \times 10^{-2}\) at 25°C

see section Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Benzotrichloride → Benzyl trichloride

Benzaldehyde
Benzoyl chloride
[98-88-4]
see also α-Chlorinated toluenes
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.5
  MAK[ml/m³]: –
  MAK[mg/m³]: –
  Peak lim: –
  Preg gr: –
  Perc abs: H
  Carc cat: 3

Benzoyl peroxide → Dibenzoyl peroxide

Benzyl alcohol
[100-51-6]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.13 at 25°C (calculated value)
see section Xc
  MAK[ml/m³]: 5
  MAK[mg/m³]: 22
  Peak lim: I(2)
  Preg gr: C
  Perc abs: H

Benzyl alcohol mono(poly)hemiformal
[14548-60-8]
releases formaldehyde
see section IIb and Xc
  MAK[ml/m³]: –
  MAK[mg/m³]: –
  Peak lim: –
  Preg gr: –
  Sens: Sh

Benzylbutyl phthalate
[85-68-7]

  MAK[mg/m³]: 20 I
  Peak lim: II(2)
  Preg gr: C

Benzyl chloride
[100-44-7]
see also α-Chlorinated toluenes
  MAK[ml/m³]: –
  MAK[mg/m³]: –
  Peak lim: –
  Preg gr: –
  Perc abs: H
  Carc cat: 2

Benzyl dichloride
[98-87-3]
see also α-Chlorinated toluenes
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.5
  MAK[ml/m³]: –
  MAK[mg/m³]: –
  Peak lim: –
  Preg gr: –
  Perc abs: H
  Carc cat: 2

Benzyl trichloride
[98-07-7]
see also α-Chlorinated toluenes
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.2
  MAK[ml/m³]: –
  MAK[mg/m³]: –
  Peak lim: –
  Preg gr: –
  Perc abs: H
  Carc cat: 2

Beryllium
[7440-41-7]
and its inorganic compounds
see section XII
  MAK[ml/m³]: –
  MAK[mg/m³]: –
  Peak lim: –
  Preg gr: –
  Sens: Sah
  Carc cat: 1

Bété (Mansonia altissima) → Woods
Bethabara (Tabebuia serratifolia) → Woods
BHT → 2,6-Di-tert-butyl-p-cresol
(3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxytoluene) (BHT)
Biacetyl → Diacetyl
N,N’-Bianiline → Hydrazobenzene
Biformyl → Glyoxal
2,2’-Bioxirane → Diepoxybutane

Biphenyl
[92-52-4]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.012 at 25°C
  MAK[ml/m³]: –
  MAK[mg/m³]: –
  Peak lim: –
  Preg gr: –
  Perc abs: H
  Carc cat: 3
3,3',4,4'-Biphenyltetramine → 3,3'-Diaminobenzidine and its tetrahydrochloride
Bis(2-aminooethyl)amine → Diethylenetriamine
N,N'-Bis(2-aminooethyl)-1,2-ethanediame → Triethylenetetramine
1,3-Bis(aminomethyl)benzene → m-Xylylenediamine

★ Bis[O,O-bis(2-ethylhexyl) dithiophosphorato-S,S'-]dioxodi-μ-thioxodimolybdenum
[68958-92-9; 72030-25-2]

VP[hPa]: <1.5×10⁻⁵
see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Bis[O,O-bis(2-ethylhexyl)phosphorodithioato-S,S'-]zinc → Zinc, O,O'-di-2-ethylhexyl dithiophosphate

Bis(2-chloroethyl)ether → 2,2'-Dichlorodiethyl ether

Bis(2-chloroethyl)sulfide → Bis(β-chloroethyl) sulfide (mustard gas)

Bis(β-chloroethyl)sulfide (mustard gas)
[505-60-0] C(CH₂-CH₂-S-CH₂-CH₂Cl

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 1

Bischloromethyl ether
(dichlorodiethyl ether)
[542-88-1]
not to be confused with the asymmetric (Dichloromethyl) methyl ether

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 1

4,4'-Bis(dimethylamino)benzophenone → Michler’s ketone

3,5-Bis(1,1-dimethyl)-4-hydroxybenzene-propanoic acid thiodi-2,1-ethanediyl ester → 2,2'-Thiodiethylene Bis[3-(3,5-di tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)propionate]

Bis[dimethyltin(isooctylmercaptoacetate)]
sulfide → Methyltin compounds

Bis(dimethyltin(2-mercaptoethylolate)]sulfide → Methyltin compounds

1,3-Bis(2,3-epoxypropoxy)benzene → Diglycidyl resorcinol ether

1,4-Bis(2,3-epoxypropoxy)butane → 1,4-Butanediol diglycidyl ether

2,2-Bis(4-(2,3-epoxypropoxy)phenyl)propane → Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether

Bis(2-ethylhexoxy)-sulfanylidene-sulfido-λ₅--phosphane;molybdenum → Bis[O,O-bis(2-ethylhexyl) dithiophosphorato-S,S']
dioxodi-μ-thioxodimolybdenum

N,N-Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-(1,2,4-triazole-1-yl) methanamine
[91273-04-0]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

2,2-Bis(p-glycidyloxyphenyl)propane → Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether

1,2-Bis(2-hydroxyethoxy)ethane → Triethylene glycol

Bis(2-hydroxyethyl)ether → Diethylene glycol

Bis(hydroxymethyl)acetylene → Butynediol

1,3-Bis(hydroxymethyl)-5,5-dimethyl-2,4-imidazolidinedione → 1,3-Dimethylol-5,5-dimethyl hydantoin

1,3-Bis(hydroxymethyl)urea
[140-95-4] (HOCH₂-NH)₂CC
releases formaldehyde
see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
2,2-Bis(4-hydroxyphenyl)propane → Bisphenol A
Bis(1-hydroxy-2(1H)-pyridin thionato)zinc → Zinc pyrithione
1,2-Bis(2-(methacryloyloxy)ethoxy)ethane → Triethylene glycol dimethacrylate
Bis(2-methoxyethyl)ether → Diethylene glycol dimethyl ether
Bis(2-methoxypropyl)ether → Dipropylene glycol monomethyl ether
Bis[methyltin di(isooctylmercaptoacetate)]sulfide → Methyltin compounds
Bis[methyltin di(2-mercaptoethylolate)]sulfide → Methyltin compounds
Bismorpholino methane → 4,4'-Methylenedimorpholine

**Bisphenol A**

(4,4'-Isopropylidenediphenol)

[80-05-7]

see section XII

MAK[mg/m³]: 5 I
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C
Sens: SP

**Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether**

[1675-54-3]

see section IIb

MAK[mI/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

**Bisphenol A diglycidyl methacrylate**

[1565-94-2]

see section IV

Sens: Sh

**Bisphenol A glycerolate**

[4687-94-9]

see section IV

Sens: Sh

**Bisphenol F diglycidyl ether**

CH₂OCH₂OCH₂OCH₂O

see section IV

Sens: Sh

- o,o'-Bisphenol F diglycidylether
  [54208-63-8]

- o,p'-Bisphenol F diglycidylether
  [57469-07-5]

- p,p'-Bisphenol F diglycidyl ether
  [2095-03-6]

1,4-Bis(phenylamino)benzene → N,N-Diphenyl-p-phenylenediamine

Bis(1-piperidylthiocarboxyl) disulfide → Dipentamethylenethiuram disulfide

**Bithionol**

[97-18-7]

see section IIb and Xc

MAK[mI/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: SP

**Bitumen (high-temperature processing, vapours and aerosols)**

[8052-42-4; 64741-56-6/64742-93-4]

(straight-run bitumen, air-rectified bitumen)
can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol

VP[hPa]: <1

MAK[mI/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: 1.5
Sum of vapour and inhalable fraction based on bitumen condensate standard
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3
Bitumen (high-temperature processing, vapours and aerosols)
(bitumen, oxidized)
can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad - \\
\text{Perc abs}: & \quad H \\
\text{Carc cat}: & \quad 2 \\
\text{Mutia cat}: & \quad 3B
\end{align*}
\]

Black coal dust → Coal mine dust

Bombay blackwood (Dalbergia latifolia) → Woods

Borax → Boric acid

Boric acid
[10043-35-3] and tetraborates

- **Boric acid**
  [10043-35-3] \( \text{B(OH)}_3 \)
  see section Xc
  \[
  \begin{align*}
  \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad 10 \text{ I} \\
  \text{Peak lim}: & \quad I(1) \\
  \text{Preg gr}: & \quad B
  \end{align*}
  \]

- **Sodium tetraborate pentahydrate**
  [12179-04-3]
  \[
  \begin{align*}
  \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad 5 \text{ I} \\
  \text{Peak lim}: & \quad I(1) \\
  \text{Preg gr}: & \quad C
  \end{align*}
  \]

- **Tetraborates**
as Boron [7440-42-8]
  \[
  \begin{align*}
  \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad 0.75 \text{ I} \\
  \text{Peak lim}: & \quad I(1) \\
  \text{Preg gr}: & \quad C
  \end{align*}
  \]

Boron oxide
[1303-86-2] \( \text{B}_2\text{O}_3 \)
see section IIb
\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad -
\end{align*}
\]

Boron trifluoride
[7637-07-2] \( \text{BF}_3 \)
see section IIb
\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad -
\end{align*}
\]

Bowdichia nitida → Woods

Brazilian rosewood (Dalbergia nigra) → Woods

Bromelain
[9001-00-7]
see section IV
  Sens: \( \text{Sa} \)

Bromine
[7726-95-6] \( \text{Br}_2 \)
see section IIb
\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad - \\
\text{Perc abs}: & \quad H \\
\text{Carc cat}: & \quad 2 \\
\text{Mutia cat}: & \quad 3B
\end{align*}
\]

2-Bromo-2-(bromomethyl)glutaronitrile → 1,2-Dibromo-2,4-dicyanobutane

2-Bromo-2-(bromomethyl)pentanedinitrile → 1,2-Dibromo-2,4-dicyanobutane

Bromochloromethane
[74-97-5] \( \text{CH}_2\text{BrCl} \)
\[
\begin{align*}
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: & \quad 147 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad - \\
\text{Perc abs}: & \quad H \\
\text{Carc cat}: & \quad 3 \\
\text{Mutia cat}: & \quad 3B
\end{align*}
\]

2-Bromo-2-chloro-1,1,1-trifluoroethane → Halothane

Bromodichloromethane
[75-27-4] \( \text{CHB}_2\text{Cl}_2 \)
\[
\begin{align*}
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: & \quad 507 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad - \\
\text{Perc abs}: & \quad H \\
\text{Carc cat}: & \quad 2 \\
\text{Mutia cat}: & \quad 3B
\end{align*}
\]

Bromoethane
[74-96-4] \( \text{H}_3\text{C-CH}_2\text{Br} \)
\[
\begin{align*}
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: & \quad 507 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad - \\
\text{Perc abs}: & \quad H \\
\text{Carc cat}: & \quad 2 \\
\text{Mutia cat}: & \quad 3B
\end{align*}
\]

Bromoform → Tribromomethane

Bromomethane → Methyl bromide
2-Bromo-2-nitro-1,3-propanediol
[52-51-7] \( \text{HOCH}_2\text{CBr(NO_2)CH}_2\text{OH} \)
use forbidden as component of metal-working fluids and corrosion inhibitors: see “GefStoffV 2010, Anhang I (zu §16 Absatz 2), Nr. 4”
see section IIb and Xc
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh

1-Bromopropane
[106-94-5] \( \text{BrCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)
see section XII
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

Bromotrifluoromethane
[75-63-8] \( \text{BrCF}_3 \)
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): 1000
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): 6200
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: C

Brown coal tars → Pyrolysis products of organic materials
(soft coal tars)
Brucite (fibrous dust) → Nemalite
Brya ebenus → Woods

1,3-Butadiene
[106-99-0] \( \text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2 \)
VP\([\text{hPa}]\): 2477
see section XII
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 1
Muta cat: 2
1,3-Butadiene diepoxide → Diepoxybutane

Butane (both isomers)
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): 1000
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): 2400
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: D

- n-Butane
[106-97-8]
- Isobutane
[75-28-5]

1,4-Butanedicarboxylic acid → Adipic acid
1,4-Butane diglycidyl ether → 1,4-Butanediol diglycidyl ether
Butanedioic acid → Succinic acid

1,4-Butanediol diacrylate
[1070-70-8] \( \text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{O}-(\text{CH}_3)_2-\text{O}=\text{HC}=-\text{CH}_2 \)
see section IV
Sens: Sh

1,4-Butanediol diglycidyl ether
[2425-79-8] \( \overset{\text{O}}{\text{\text{-}}}\text{CH}_2-\text{O}-(\text{CH}_3)_2-\text{O}-\overset{\text{O}}{\text{\text{-}}} \)
see section IV
Sens: Sh

1,4-Butanediol dimethacrylate
[2082-81-7] \( \text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2-\text{O}-\text{OC}-(\text{CH}_3)_2=\text{CH}_2 \)
\( \text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2-\text{O}-\text{OC}-(\text{CH}_3)_2=\text{CH}_2 \)
see section IV
Sens: Sh

2,3-Butanedione → Diacetyl

1,4-Butane sultone
[1633-83-6]
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3
Butane sultone → 1,4-Butane sultone

1-Butanethiol
[109-79-5] \( \text{H}_2\text{C}-(\text{CH}_3)_2-\text{CH}_2\text{SH} \)
VP\([\text{hPa}]\): 40
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): 1
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): 3.7
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh

2,4-Butane sultone
[1121-03-5]
2-Butanethiol

[513-53-1]

\[ \text{VP(hPa): 108 at 25°C} \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 2 \]

Even if the MAK value is observed, “odour-associated” symptoms cannot be ruled out in individual cases, see Section I e.

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 7.5 \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: II(2)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: D} \]

\[ \text{Perc abs: H} \]

Butanol (all isomers) → n-Butyl alcohol

Butan-2-amine → 2-Aminobutanol

2-Butanone

(Methyl ethyl ketone)

[78-93-3]

\[ \text{VP(hPa): 105} \]

see section XII

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 200 \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 600 \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: I(1)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]

\[ \text{Perc abs: H} \]

2-Butanone oxime

[96-29-7]

\[ \text{N-OH} \]

\[ \text{CH}_3\text{C}^\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: – \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: – \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: –} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: –} \]

\[ \text{Perc abs: H} \]

\[ \text{Sens: Sh} \]

\[ \text{Carc cat: 2} \]

2-Butanone peroxide → Methyl ethyl ketone peroxide

δ-Butan sultone → 1,4-Butane sultone

2-Butenal (trans-) → Crotonaldehyde

1,2-Butene oxide → 1,2-Butylene oxide

Butoxydiglycol → Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether

1-n-Butoxy-2,3-epoxypropane → n-Butyl glycidyl ether (BGE)

1-tert-Butoxy-2,3-epoxypropane → tert-Butyl glycidyl ether

2-Butoxyethanol

[111-76-2]

\[ \text{VP(hPa): 0.8} \]

see section XII

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 10 \]

MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of 2-butoxyethanol and 2-butoxyethyl acetate in the air.

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 49 \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: I(2)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]

\[ \text{Perc abs: H} \]

2-(2-Butoxyethoxy)-ethanol → Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether

2-Butoxyethyl acetate

[112-07-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP(hPa): 0.4} \]

see section XII

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 10 \]

MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of 2-butoxyethanol and 2-butoxyethyl acetate in the air.

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 66 \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: I(2)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]

\[ \text{Perc abs: H} \]

n-Butyl acetate

[123-86-4]

\[ \text{VP(hPa): 13.3} \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 100 \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 480 \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: I(2)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]

sec-Butyl acetate

[105-46-4]

\[ \text{sec-Butyl acetate} \]

\[ \text{VP(hPa): } 13.3 \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: – \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: – \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: –} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: –} \]

tert-Butyl acetate

[540-88-5]

\[ \text{tert-Butyl acetate} \]

\[ \text{VP(hPa): } 13.3 \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 20 \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 96 \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: II(2)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]
n-Butyl acrylate

\[ \text{VP[hPa]}: 5 \text{ at } 22.2°C \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 2 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 11 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: I}(2) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: H} \]
\[ \text{Sens: Sh} \]

\[
\text{n-Butyl alcohol} \quad \text{H}_2\text{C}\{-\text{CH}_2\}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{OH}
\]

\[ \text{VP[hPa]}: 6.3 \]
\[ \text{see section XII} \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 100 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 310 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: I}(1) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]

sec-Butyl alcohol

\[ \text{H}_2\text{C}-\text{CH}_2\text{-CHOH-CH}_3 \]

\[ \text{VP[hPa]}: 40.8 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 20 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 62 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: I}(4) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]

tert-Butyl alcohol

\[ \text{H}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{-COH} \]

\[ \text{VP[hPa]}: 122-128 \text{ at } 25°C \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 2 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 6.1 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: I}(2) \]
\[ \text{A momentary value of } 5 \text{ ml/m}^3 (15 \text{ mg/m}^3) \text{ should not be exceeded.} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: C} \]

2-Butylamine → sec-Butylamine

p-tert-Butylamine

\[ \text{H}_2\text{C}-\text{CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{NH_2} \]

\[ \text{VP[hPa]}: 0.00015 \text{ at } 25°C \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: – \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: – \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: –} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: –} \]
\[ \text{Sens: Sh} \]

sec-Butylamine

\[ \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{NH}_2 \]

\[ \text{VP[hPa]}: 56 \text{ at } 25°C \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 2 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 6.1 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: I}(2) \]
\[ \text{A momentary value of } 5 \text{ ml/m}^3 (15 \text{ mg/m}^3) \text{ should not be exceeded.} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: D} \]

n-Butylbenzene

\[ \text{n-Butylbenzene} \quad \text{H}_3\text{C}(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{-CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 10 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 56 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: II}(2) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: D} \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: H} \]

2-Butyl-1,2-benzisothiazolin-3-one

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: – \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: – \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: –} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: –} \]
\[ \text{Sens: Sh} \]

p-tert-Butylbenzoic acid

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 2 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: II}(2) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: D} \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: H} \]

Butylcarbamate acid 3-iodo-2-propynyl ester

\[ \rightarrow 3\text{-Iodo-2-propynyl butylcarbamate} \]

1-(Butylcarbamoyl)-2-benzimidazolecarbamic acid methyl ester

\[ \rightarrow \text{Benomyl} \]

p-tert-Butylcatechol

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 2 \]
\[ \text{Warning: II}(2) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: D} \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: H} \]

n-Butyl chloroformate → Chloroformic acid butyl ester
2-tert-Butyl-p-cresol
[2409-55-4]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP[hPa]}: \ 0.02 \\
\text{see section IIb}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Butyldiglycol \rightarrow\text{Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether}

1,4-Butylene glycol diacrylate
\rightarrow\text{1,4-Butanediol diacrylate}

\textbf{1,2-Butylene oxide}
[106-88-7]

\[
\text{VP[hPa]}: \ 188 \\
\text{MAK[ml/m³]}: – \\
\text{MAK[mg/m³]}: – \\
\text{Peak lim}: – \\
\text{Preg gr}: – \\
\text{Perc abs}: \ H \\
\text{Carc cat}: \ 2
\]

\textbf{n-Butyl glycidyl ether (BGE)}
[2426-08-6]

\[
\text{MAK[ml/m³]}: – \\
\text{MAK[mg/m³]}: – \\
\text{Peak lim}: – \\
\text{Preg gr}: – \\
\text{Perc abs}: \ H \\
\text{Sens}: \ 	ext{Sh} \\
\text{Carc cat}: \ 2 \\
\text{Muta cat}: \ 3
\]

\textbf{tert-Butyl glycidyl ether}
[7665-72-7]

\[
\text{MAK[ml/m³]}: – \\
\text{MAK[mg/m³]}: – \\
\text{Peak lim}: – \\
\text{Preg gr}: – \\
\text{Perc abs}: \ H \\
\text{Sens}: \ 	ext{Sh} \\
\text{Carc cat}: \ 3
\]

Butyl glycolate \rightarrow\text{Hydroxyacetic acid butyl ester}

\textbf{tert-Butyl hydroperoxide}
[75-91-2]

\[\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{C}-\text{OOH}\]

\text{see section Xa}

\textbf{tert-Butyl-4-hydroxyanisole (BHA)}
[25013-16-5]

\[
\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{O}-\text{CH}_3
\]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP[hPa]}: \ 3.3\times10^{-3} \text{ at } 25°C \\
\text{see section Xc}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[mg/m³]}: \ 20 I \\
\text{Peak lim}: \ \text{II(1)} \\
\text{Preg gr}: \ C \\
\text{Carc cat}: \ 3
\]

Butyl mercaptan \rightarrow\text{1-Butanethiol}

\textbf{n-Butyl methacrylate}
[97-88-1]

\[
\text{CH}_3\text{C}=\text{CH}_2\text{OOC}-\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)=\text{CH}_2
\]

\text{see section IV}

\text{Sens}: \ 	ext{Sh}

\textbf{tert-Butyl methyl ether}
[1634-04-4]

\[
(\text{CH}_3)\text{C}=\text{O}-\text{CH}_2
\]

\text{see section XII}

\text{MAK[ml/m³]}: 50
\text{MAK[mg/m³]}: 180
\text{Peak lim}: \ I(1.5)
\text{Preg gr}: \ C
\text{Carc cat}: \ 3

\textbf{tert-Butyl peracetate}
[107-71-1]

\[
\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{COOC}(\text{CH}_3)_3
\]

\text{see section Xa}

\textbf{p-tert-Butylphenol}
[98-54-4]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP[hPa]}: \ 0.051 \text{ at } 25°C \\
\text{see section XII}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[ml/m³]}: \ 0.080 \\
\text{MAK[mg/m³]}: \ 0.5 \\
\text{Peak lim}: \ \text{II(2)} \\
\text{Preg gr}: \ D \\
\text{Perc abs}: \ H \\
\text{Sens}: \ 	ext{Sh}
\]

p-tert-Butylphenol \rightarrow\text{Formaldehyde condensation products with p-tert-butylphenol}

\textbf{p-tert-Butylphenyl glycidyl ether}
[3101-60-8]

\[
(\text{CH}_3)\text{C}=\text{OOC}-\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3
\]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP[hPa]}: \ 2.5\times10^{-4} \\
\text{see section IV}
\]

\text{Sens}: \ 	ext{Sh}

p-tert-Butylphenol-1-(2,3-epoxy)propyl ether
\rightarrow\text{p-tert-Butylphenyl glycidyl ether}
2-tert-Butyl-6-(3-tert-butyl-2-hydroxy-5-methylphenyl)sulfanyl-4-methylphenol → 2,2′-Thiobis(4-methyl-6-tert-butylphenol)

**n-Butyltin compounds**
(as S(7440-31-5))
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
  - MAK[mL/m³]: 0.004
  - MAK[mg/m³]: 0.02
  - Peak lim: I(1)
  - Sens: –
  - For butyltin compounds whose organic ligands were already designated with “Sa” or “Sh”, these designations also apply.
  - Muta cat: 4

  - **Mono-n-butyltin compounds**
    - Preg gr: C
  - **Di-n-butyltin compounds**
    - Preg gr: B
  - **Tri-n-butyltin compounds**
    - Preg gr: B
  - **Tetra-n-butyltin**
    - (1461-25-2)
    - Preg gr: C

*p-*tert-Butyl toluene
[98-51-1]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
  - VP[Pa]: 0.87
  - see section IIb
  - MAK[mL/m³]: –
  - MAK[mg/m³]: –
  - Peak lim: –
  - Preg gr: –

Butynediol
[110-65-6]

HO-CH₂-C-C-CH₃-OH

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
  - VP[Pa]: 1.7×10⁻³
  - MAK[mL/m³]: 0.1
  - MAK[mg/m³]: 0.36
  - Peak lim: I(1)
  - Preg gr: C
  - Perc abs: H
  - Sens: Sh

γ-Butyrolactone
[96-48-0]

see section IIb
  - MAK[mL/m³]: –
  - MAK[mg/m³]: –
  - Peak lim: –
  - Preg gr: –
  - Perc abs: H

**Cadmium**
[7440-43-9]
and its inorganic compounds (inhalable fraction)

see section XII
  - MAK[mL/m³]: –
  - MAK[mg/m³]: –
  - Peak lim: –
  - Preg gr: –
  - Perc abs: H
  - Carc cat: 1
  - Muta cat: 3A

**Calcium bis(dinonylnaphthalenesulphonate)**
[57855-77-3]

see section IIb and Xc
  - MAK[mL/m³]: –
  - MAK[mg/m³]: –
  - Peak lim: –
  - Preg gr: –

**Calcium hydroxide**
[1305-62-0]
Ca(OH)₂

see section Xc
  - MAK[mg/m³]: 1 I
  - Peak lim: I(2)
  - Preg gr: C

Calcium arsenate → Arsenic
Calcium carbimide → Calcium cyanamide
Calcium chromate → Chromium(VI) compounds

**Calcium cyanamide**
[156-62-7]
CaCN₂

  - MAK[mg/m³]: 1 I
  - Peak lim: II(2)
  - Preg gr: C
  - Perc abs: H

Calcium molybdate → Molybdenum

**Calcium oxide**
[1305-78-8]
CaO

  - MAK[mg/m³]: 1 I
  - Peak lim: I(2)
  - Preg gr: C

Calcium petroleum sulfonates → Petroleum sulfonates, calcium salts (technical mixture in mineral oil)
Calcium sodium metaphosphate
[23209-59-8] $x\text{CaO} \cdot x\text{Na}_2\text{O} \cdot x\text{P}_2\text{O}_3$
(fibrous dust)
see section III
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Calcium sulfate
(inhalable fraction)
Anhydrite [7778-18-9]
Hemihydrate [10034-76-1]
Dihydrate [10101-41-4]
Gypsum [13397-24-5]
see section VI and g
MAK[mg/m³]: 4 I
Preg gr: C

Calcium sulfate
(respirable fraction)
Anhydrite [7778-18-9]
Hemihydrate [10034-76-1]
Dihydrate [10101-41-4]
Gypsum [13397-24-5]
see section VI and g
MAK[mg/m³]: 1.5 R
Preg gr: C

Calcium carbonate
[15924-26-6]

Calocedrus decurrens → Woods
CAM → Chloroacetamide-N-methylol (CAM)

Camphor
[76-22-2]
\[
\text{H}_3\text{C} \quad \text{CH}_3 \\
\text{H}_3\text{C} \quad \text{O}
\]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.027
see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

ε-Caprolactam
[105-60-2]
(vapour and dust)
\[
\text{H} \quad \text{C} \\
\text{H}_2\text{C} \quad \text{O} \\
\text{H}_2\text{C} \quad \text{C}
\]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: $1.4 \times 10^{-3}$
MAK[mg/m³]: 5 I
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C

Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.

Carbamic acid ethyl ester
[51-79-6] $\text{H}_2\text{N-CO-O-CH}_2\text{CH}_3$
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 13 at 78°C
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3A

Carbaryl
[63-25-2]
\[
\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3 \\
\text{H}
\]
MAK[mg/m³]: 5 I
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: B
Perc abs: H

Carbendazim
[10605-21-7]
\[
\text{H} \quad \text{N} \\
\text{N} \quad \text{C} \\
\text{H} \quad \text{N-COOCH}_3
\]
MAK[mg/m³]: 10 I
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: B
Muta cat: 5

Carbodicyclohexylimide
→ Dicyclohexylcarbodiimide

Carbon black
(inhalable fraction)

Carbon dioxide
[124-38-9] $\text{CO}_2$
MAK[ml/m³]: 5000
MAK[mg/m³]: 9100
Peak lim: II(2)

Carbon disulfide
[75-15-0] $\text{CS}_2$
VP[hPa]: 400
see section XII
MAK[ml/m³]: 5
MAK[mg/m³]: 16
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: B
Perc abs: H
Carbon monoxide
[630-08-0] see section XII
MAK[m³/m³]: 30
MAK[mg/m³]: 35
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: B
Carbon silicide → Silicon carbide
Carbon tetrachloride → Tetrachloromethane
Carbonyl chloride → Phosgene
Carborundum → Silicon carbide

N-Carboxyanthranilic anhydride
[118-48-9] see section IV
Sens: Sh

5(or 6)-Carboxy-4-hexylcyclohex-2-ene-1-octanoic acid
[53980-88-4] see section IIb and Xc
MAK[m³/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Cedar (Thuja spp., Calocedrus spp.) → Woods

Cellulases see section IV
Sens: Sa
Cement → Portland cement dust
Ceramic fibres → Aluminium silicate fibres

Cereal flour dusts
Rye, Wheat see section IV
Sens: Sa
Ceylon ebony (Diospyros ebenum) → Woods
Cherry mahogany (Tieghemella heckelii) → Woods
1-(3-Chlorallyl)-3,5,7-triaza-1-azoniaadamantane chloride → Methenamine 3-chloroallylchloride
Chloramine → N-Methyl-bis(2-chloroethyl) amine (nitrogen mustard)

Chlordane
[57-74-9]
MAK[m³/m³]: 0.5 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Chlordecone
[143-50-0]
MAK[m³/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

2-Chloro-2-(difluoromethoxy)-1,1,1-trifluoroethane → Isoflurane

Chlorinated biphenyl oxides
several CAS Nos, e.g.
see section IIb
Chlorinated biphenyl oxides form a group of compounds with different degrees and positions of chlorine substitution. Chlorinated biphenyl oxides with low chlorine content can occur as a particle-vapour mixture, whereas chlorinated biphenyl oxides with a large quantity of chlorine occur only as particles.

Chlorinated biphenyls
[53469-21-9]
Chlorinated biphenyls form a group of compounds with different degrees and positions of chlorine substitution; often, more than one of these substances occur simultaneously at the workplace. Chlorinated biphenyls with low chlorine content (up to 5 chlorine atoms) can occur as a particle-vapour mixture, whereas chlorinated biphenyls with a large quantity of chlorine occur only as particles.

Note regarding prerequisites for Pregnancy Risk Group C see BAT addendum; see also Section XII
Chlorinated camphene
[8001-35-2]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{CH}_3 & \quad - \quad \text{C}_x \text{H}_{22-6} \text{Cl}_n \quad \text{C}_3 \text{H}_7 \text{Cl}_n \quad \text{Cl}_2 \\
\text{CH}_3 & \quad - \quad \text{CH}_3
\end{align*}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

Chlorinated naphthalenes

Chlorinated naphthalenes form a group of compounds with different degrees and positions of chlorine substitution. Chlorinated naphthalenes with low chlorine content can occur as a particle-vapour mixture, whereas chlorinated naphthalenes with a large quantity of chlorine occur only as particles.

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Chlorinated paraffins

unbranched

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{C}_{19} \text{H}_{22-6} \text{Cl}_n & \quad \text{C}_{39} \text{H}_{22-6} \text{Cl}_n \\
\text{C}_{19} \text{H}_{22-6} & \quad \text{Cl}_n
\end{align*}
\]

chains, several

\[n = 1-28\]

chased Nos, e.g.

\[63449-39-8\]

Chlorinated paraffins form a group of compounds with different degrees and positions of chlorine substitution. Chlorinated paraffins with low chlorine content and short chain length can occur as a particle-vapour mixture, whereas chlorinated paraffins with a large quantity of chlorine or with long alkyl chains occur only as particles.

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

α-Chlorinated toluenes:
mixture of Benzoyl chloride [98-88-4],
Benzylic chloride [100-44-7],
Benzylic dichloride [98-87-3],
Benzylic trichloride [98-07-7]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 1

Chlorine
[7782-50-5]

\[\text{Cl}_2\]

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5
MAK[mg/m³]: 1.5
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

Chlorine dioxide
[10049-04-4]

\[\text{ClO}_2\]

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.1
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.28
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: D

Chlorine trifluoride
[7790-91-2]

\[\text{ClF}_3\]

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Chlorite → Talc

Chloroacetaldehyde
[107-20-0]

\[\text{CH}_2\text{C} \text{H}-\text{C} \text{H} \text{C} \text{H}\]

VP[hPa]: 133

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Carc cat: 3

2-Chloroacetamide
[79-07-2]

\[\text{Cl}-\text{CH} \text{H}_2-\text{CO}-\text{NH}_2\]

see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh

Chloroacetamide-N-methylol (CAM)
[2832-19-1]

\[\text{H}_2 \text{C} \text{Cl} \text{I}-\text{CO}-\text{NH}_2-\text{CH}_2 \text{OH}\]

releases formaldehyde
see section Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 3

Chlororacetic acid → Monochloroacetic acid

Chloroacetic acid methyl ester
[96-34-4]

\[\text{Cl}-\text{CH}_2-\text{CO}-\text{OCH}_3\]

VP[hPa]: ~7

MAK[ml/m³]: 1
MAK[mg/m³]: 4.5
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
**Chloroacetyl chloride**

[79-04-9] \( \text{CICH}_2\text{COCl} \)

see section IIb

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**2-Chloroacrylonitrile**

[920-37-6] \( \text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CCICN} \)

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**γ-Chloroallyl chloride → 1,3-Dichloropropene**

**4-Chloroaniline → p-Chloroaniline**

**o-Chloroaniline**

[95-51-2]

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**m-Chloroaniline**

[108-42-9]

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**p-Chloroaniline**

[106-47-8]

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**Chlorobenzene**

[108-90-7]

\( \text{Cl} \)

VP [hPa]: 12

see section XII

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<td>C</td>
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**Chlorobenzoic acid (all isomers)**

\( \text{COOH} \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP [hPa]: 0.0031 at 25°C (calculated value)

see section IIb

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**p-Chlorobenzotrichloride**

[5216-25-1]

\( \text{Cl} \rightarrow \text{CCl}_3 \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP [hPa]: 0.2

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Chlorobromomethane → Bromochloromethane

**2-Chloro-1,3-butadiene → Chloroprene**

**p-Chloro-m-cresol**

[59-50-7]

\( \text{Cl} \rightarrow \text{HO} \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP [hPa]: 0.067

see section IIb and Xc

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<th>MAK [ml/m³]</th>
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1-Chloro-1,1-difluoroethane (FC-142b)  
[75-68-3] \(\text{ClF}_2\text{C-CH}_2\)  
MAK[ml/m³]: 1000  
MAK[mg/m³]: 4200  
Peak lim: II(8)  
Preg gr: D

Chlorodifluoromethane (FC-22)  
[75-45-6] \(\text{CHClF}_2\)  
appplies only to the pure substance; for samples contaminated with chlorotrifluoromethane [593-70-4] see  
Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten, 12th issue, 1986 and in English translation in  
MAK[ml/m³]: 500  
MAK[mg/m³]: 1800  
Peak lim: II(8)  
Preg gr: C

2-Chloro-1-(difluoromethoxy)-1,1,2-trifluoroethane → Enflurane  
(R)-N-[(5-Chloro-3,4-dihydro-8-hydroxy-3-methyl-1-oxo-1H-2-benzopyran-7-yl)carbonyl]-L-phenylalanine → Ochratoxin A

2-Chloro-10-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)phenothiazine → Chlorpromazine  
(2-Chloro-10-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)phenothiazine)

Chlorodimethyl ether → Monochlorodimethyl ether

1-Chloro-2,4-dinitrobenzene  
[97-00-7]  
\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{O} \\
\text{Cl} \\
\text{O}
\end{array}
\]

see section IV  
Sens: Sh

1-Chloro-2,3-epoxypropane  
(Epichlorohydrin)  
[106-89-8]  
see section XII  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Sens: Sh  
Carc cat: 2  
Muta cat: 3B

Chloroethane  
[75-00-3] \(\text{H}_2\text{C-CH}_2\text{Cl}\)  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Carc cat: 3

Chloroethanoic acid → Monochloroacetic acid

2-Chloroethanol  
[107-07-3] \(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}\)  
VP[hPa]: 7  
MAK[ml/m³]: 2  
MAK[mg/m³]: 6.7  
Peak lim: II(1)  
Preg gr: C  
Perc abs: H

Chlorofluoromethane (FC-31)  
[593-70-4] \(\text{CH}_2\text{ClF}\)  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Carc cat: 2

Chloroform  
[67-66-3] \(\text{CHCl}_3\)  
VP[hPa]: 211  
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5  
MAK[mg/m³]: 2.5  
Peak lim: II(2)  
Preg gr: C  
Perc abs: H  
Carc cat: 4

Chloroformic acid butyl ester  
[543-27-1; 592-34-7] \(\text{Cl}-\text{C}=\text{O}-\text{CH}_2\text{-CH(CH}_3)_2\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}\)  
VP[hPa]: 7  
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.2  
MAK[mg/m³]: 1.1  
Peak lim: I(2)  
Preg gr: C

Chloroformic acid ethyl ester  
[541-41-3] \(\text{Cl-COO-CH}_2\text{-CH}_3\)  
VP[hPa]: 54  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Carc cat: 3
Chloroformic acid methyl ester
[79-22-1]  
\[\text{O} \quad \text{Cl}-\text{O-CH}_3\]  
VP[hPa]: 137  
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.2  
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.78  
Peak lim: I(2)  
Preg gr: C

N-Chloroformylmorpholine
[15159-40-7]  
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
VP[hPa]: 0.4  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Carc cat: 2

2-Chloro-N-hydroxymethylacetamide  
→ Chloroacetamide-N-methylol (CAM)

N-(((3R)-5-Chloro-8-hydroxy-3-methyl-1-oxo-7-isochromanyl)carbonyl)-3-phenyl-L-alanine  
→ Ochratoxin A

Chloromethane  
→ Methyl chloride

2-Chloro-N-hydroxymethylacetamide  
→ Chloroacetamide-N-methylol (CAM)

1-Chloro-2-nitrobenzene  
→ o-Chloronitrobenzene

1-Chloro-4-nitrobenzene  
→ p-Chloronitrobenzene

o-Chloronitrobenzene
[88-73-3]  
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
VP[hPa]: 0.43  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Carc cat: 3

m-Chloronitrobenzene
[121-73-3]  
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
VP[hPa]: 0.129 at 25°C  
see section IIb  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Perc cat: 3

p-Chloronitrobenzene
[100-00-5]  
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
VP[hPa]: 0.085  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Perc cat: 3
1-Chloro-1-nitropropane 
[600-25-9] \( \text{H}_2\text{C-CH}-\text{CHCINO}_2 \)

see section IIb
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

4-Chlorophenyl isocyanate
[104-12-1]

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Chlorophora excelsa → Woods

Chloropicrin
[76-06-2] \( \text{Cl}_3\text{CNO}_2 \)

VP[hPa]: 25
- MAK[ml/m³]: 0.1
- MAK[mg/m³]: 0.68
- Peak lim: I(1)

Chloroprene
[126-99-8] \( \text{H}_2\text{C-CCl=CH=CH}_2 \)

VP[hPa]: 267
see section XII
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2

3-Chloro-1,2-propanediol (α-Chlorohydrin)
[96-24-2] \( \text{HOCH}_2\text{CHOH-CH}_2\text{Cl} \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.27
- MAK[ml/m³]: 0.005
- MAK[mg/m³]: 0.023
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: D
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 3

3-Chloro-1-propene → Allyl chloride

2-Chloro-2-propene nitrile → 2-Chloroacrylonitrile

4-Chloro-o-toluidine
[95-69-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.055 at 25°C (calculated value)
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 1
- Muta cat: 3A

5-Chloro-o-toluidine
[95-79-4]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.45
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 3

Chlorothalonil
[1897-45-6]

VP[hPa]: <0.013 at 40°C
see section IIb and Xc
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Sens: Sh

4-Chloro-o-toluidine
[95-69-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.055 at 25°C (calculated value)
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 1
- Muta cat: 3A

1-Chloro-4-(trichloromethyl)benzene → p-Chlorobenzotrichloride

1-Chloro-2,2,2-trifluoroethyl difluoromethyl ether → Isoflurane

2-Chloro-1,1,2-trifluoroethyl difluoromethyl ether → Enflurane

Chlorotrifluoromethane (FC-13)
[75-72-9] \( \text{CCIF}_3 \)

- MAK[ml/m³]: 1000
- MAK[mg/m³]: 4300
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: D
Chlorpromazine (2-Chloro-10-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)phenothiazine)

\[ \text{CH}_2\text{(CH}_3\text{)}_2\text{N(CH}_3\text{)}_2\text{Cl} \]

see section IV
Sens: SP

Chrome yellow → Lead chromate

**Chromium carbonyl**

[13007-92-6] \( \text{Cr(} \text{CO})_k \)

see section IIb
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{Peak lim} \): –
- \( \text{Preg gr} \): –

**Chromium(III) compounds**

see section IIb and XII
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{Peak lim} \): –
- \( \text{Preg gr} \): –
- Sens: Sh
does not apply for chromium(III) oxide and similar poorly soluble chromium(III) compounds

**Chromium(VI) compounds** (inhalable fraction)

see section XII
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{Peak lim} \): –
- \( \text{Preg gr} \): –
- Perc abs: H
the chromates of barium, lead, strontium and zinc are not designated with “H”
Sens: Sh
barium chromate and lead chromate are not designated with “Sh”
Carc cat: 1
Muta cat: 2

**Chrysene**

[218-01-9]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{Peak lim} \): –
- \( \text{Preg gr} \): –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2

Chrysotile (fibrous dust) → Asbestos

Chymotrypsin → Trypsin and Chymotrypsin

**Cinnamaldehyde**

[104-55-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
\( \text{VP[Pa]}: 0.029 \)
see section IV
Sens: Sh

Cinnamic alcohol → Cinnamyl alcohol

Cinnamic aldehyde → Cinnamaldehyde

**Cinnamyl alcohol**

[104-54-1]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
\( \text{VP[Pa]}: 0.012 \) at 25°C
see section IV
Sens: Sh

C.I. Pigment Red 104 → Lead chromate

C.I. Pigment Yellow 34 → Lead chromate

Citrate → Citric acid

**Citric acid**

[77-92-9]

\[ \text{CH}_3\text{-COOH} \]

\[ \text{HO}\text{-C-COOH} \]

\[ \text{CH}_2\text{-COOH} \]

see section Xc
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): 2 I
- \( \text{Peak lim} \): I(2)
- \( \text{Preg gr} \): C

**Citric acid alkali metal salts**

see section IIb and Xc
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
The MAK value for citric acid (2 mg/m³) protects from irritation, a higher value for alkali metal salts is not justifiable.
- \( \text{Peak lim} \): –
- \( \text{Preg gr} \): –

**Coal mine dust** (respirable fraction)

- \( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
- \( \text{Peak lim} \): –
- \( \text{Preg gr} \): –
- Carc cat: 3

Coal tars, coal tar pitches, coal tar oils
→ Pyrolysis products of organic materials
Cobalt
[7440-48-4]
and cobalt compounds (inhaleable fraction)
see section XII

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sah
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3A

– Metallic cobalt
[7440-48-4] Co

– Cobalt(II) carbonate
[513-79-1] CoCO₃

– Cobalt(II) oxide
[1307-96-6] CoO

– Cobalt(II,III) oxide
[1308-06-1] Co₂O₄

– Cobalt(II) sulfate·7 H₂O
[10026-24-1] CoSO₄·7H₂O
and similar soluble salts

– Cobalt(II) sulfide
[1317-42-6] CoS

Cobalt alloys
Sens: –
For cobalt alloys containing bio-available cobalt see Cobalt and cobalt compounds.

Cobalt alloys → Hard metal containing tungsten carbide and cobalt

Cocobolo (Dalbergia retusa) → Woods

Coconut oil
[8001-31-8]
see section Xc

MAK [mg/m³]: 5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: C

Cocus wood (Brya ebenus) → Woods

Coke oven emissions → Pyrolysis products of organic materials

Colophony → Rosin (colophony)

Copper
[7440-50-8] Cu
and its inorganic compounds

MAK [mg/m³]: 0.01 R
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

Copra oil → Coconut oil

Coromandel (Diospyros celebica) → Woods

Corundum → α-Aluminium oxide

Cotton dust
applies only to raw cotton
see section V

MAK [mg/m³]: 1.5 I
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

p-Cresidine → 5-Methyl-o-anisidine

Cresol (all isomers)
[1319-77-3]

see section XII

MAK [mg/m³]: 4.5
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C
Per abs: H
– o-Cresol
[95-48-7]
– m-Cresol
– p-Cresol
[106-44-5]

Cresyl glycidyl ethers
mixture of isomers
[26447-14-3]
α-isomer [2210-79-9]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 3
Muta cat: 3A

Cristobalite → Silica, crystalline

Crocidolite (fibrous dust) → Asbestos

Crotonaldehyde
[123-73-9; 4170-30-3]
VP [hPa]: 25

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3
Muta cat: 3A

Cu-HDO
→ N-Cyclohexylhydroxy-diazen-1-oxide, copper salt

Cumene → Isopropylbenzene (cumene)

Cumene hydroperoxide → α,α-Dimethylbenzyl hydroperoxide
Cyanamide

H₂N-CN

[420-04-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.005

- MAK[ml/m³]: 0.2
- MAK[mg/m³]: 0.35
- Peak lim: II(1)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh

Cyanides

(as CN)

- MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I
- Peak lim: II(1)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H

2-Cyanoacrylic acid methyl ester → Methyl 2-cyanoacrylate

2-Cyano-2,2-dibromoacetamide → 2,2-Dibromo-2-cyanacetamide

Cyano(4-fluoro-3-phenoxyphenyl) methyl-3-(2,2-dichloroethyl)-2,2-dimethylcyclopropane carboxylate → Cyfluthrin

Cyanogen

NC-CN

[460-19-5]

- MAK[ml/m³]: 5
- MAK[mg/m³]: 11
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: D
- Perc abs: H

Cyanogen chloride

CNCI

[506-77-4]

see section IIb

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Cyanoguanidine → Dicyanodiamide

Cyanuric chloride

[108-77-0]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

- MAK[ml/m³]: 0.001
- MAK[mg/m³]: 0.0076
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Sens: Sh

Cyclohexane

[110-82-7]

VP[hPa]: 104

- MAK[ml/m³]: 200
- MAK[mg/m³]: 700
- Peak lim: II(4)
- Preg gr: D

Cyclohexanol

[108-93-0]

see section IIb

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H

Cyclohexanone

[108-94-1]

VP[hPa]: 5

see section XII

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 3

Cyclohexanone peroxide

→ 1-Hydroxy-1ʹ-hydroperoxydicyclohexyl peroxide

Cyclohexene

[110-83-8]

see section IIb

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Cyclohexylamine

[108-91-8]

- MAK[ml/m³]: 2
- MAK[mg/m³]: 8.2
- Peak lim: I(2)
- A momentary value of 5 ml/m³ (21 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
- Preg gr: C

N-Cyclohexyl-2-benzothiazolesulfenamide

[95-33-0]

see section IV

- Sens: Sh
Cyclohexylhydroxydiazene-1-oxide, potassium salt
[66603-10-9]
see section Xc
MAK[mg/m³]: 10 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H

N-Cyclohexylhydroxy-diazen-1-oxide, copper salt
[15627-09-5]
see section Xc
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.05 R
corresponding to 0.01 mg Cu/m³
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

N-Cyclohexyl-Nʹ-phenyl-1,4-benzenediamine → N-Cyclohexyl-Nʹ-phenyl-p-phenylenediamine

N-Cyclohexyl-Nʹ-phenyl-p-phenylenediamine
[101-87-1]
see section IV
Sens: Sh

Cyclopentadiene
[542-92-7]
VP[hPa]: 451
see section IIb
MAK/ml/m³: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Cyclopenta[cd]pyrene
[27208-37-3]
see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”
MAK/ml/m³: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B

Cyfluthrin
[68359-37-5]
β-Cyfluthrin → Cyfluthrin
2,4-D → 2,4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic acid
Dalpon → 2,2-Dichloropropionic acid
Dalbergia spp. → Woods

Dawsonite
[12011-76-6]
NaAl(OH)$_2$CO$_3$
see section III
MAK/ml/m³: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

DDT (Dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane)
[50-29-3]
MAK/ml/m³: 1 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: –

DDVP → Dichlorvos

Decaborane
[17702-41-9]
B$_{10}$H$_{14}$
MAK/ml/m³: 0.05
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.25
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Decachlorotetracyclodecanone → Chlordecone

Decahydronaphthalene
[91-17-8]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 3.07
MAK/ml/m³: 5
MAK[mg/m³]: 29
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D

Decalin → Decahydronaphthalene

1,10-Decanedicarboxylic acid → Sebacic acid

Decyl alcohol
[112-30-1]
H$_3$C-(CH$_2$)$_{10}$-OH
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
see section Xc
MAK/ml/m³: 10
MAK[mg/m³]: 66
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

Decyl 9-octadecenoate → n-Decyl oleate
n-Decyl oleate
[3687-46-5] \( \text{CH}_2(\text{CH}_3)_{10}\text{COO}(\text{CH}_2)_y\text{CH}_3 \)
\( \text{HC}^\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CH}_3 \)
see section Xc

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): 5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: D

Demeton
[8065-48-3] \( \text{SP}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2 \)
\( \text{O}+(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{S}^\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)
\( \text{OP}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2 \)
\( \text{S}^\text{CH}_2\text{S}^\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)
see Section XII, List of BAT Values, Acetylcholinesterase inhibitors
see section IIb

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Demeton-methyl
[8022-00-2] \( \text{SP}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2 \)
\( \text{O}+(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{S}^\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)
\( \text{OP}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2 \)
\( \text{S}^\text{CH}_2\text{S}^\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): 0.5
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): 4.8
Peak lim: II(2)
Perc abs: H

Desflurane
[57041-67-5] \( \text{CF}_3\text{CHF-O-CF}_2 \)
see section IIb

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Diacetone alcohol
[123-42-2]

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): 20
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): 96
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H

Diacetyl
[431-03-8] \( \text{H}_2\text{C}-\text{CO-OC-CH}_3 \)

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): 0.02
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): 0.071
Peak lim: II(1)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 3

Diacetyl peroxide
[110-22-5] \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CO-OO-CO-CH}_3 \)
see section Xa

Diallyl phthalate
[131-17-9]

see section IIb

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

2,4-Diaminoanisole
[615-05-4]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP\([\text{hPa}]\): 0.063 (calculated value)

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

1,2-Diaminobenzene → o-Phenylene diamine

1,3-Diaminobenzene → m-Phenylene diamine

1,4-Diaminobenzene → p-Phenylene diamine

3,3ʹ-Diaminobenzidine and its tetrahydrochloride
[91-95-2; 7411-49-6]

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

4,4ʹ-Diamino-3,3ʹ-dichlorodiphenylmethane → 4,4ʹ-Methylenebis(2-chloroaniline) (MOCA)

2,2ʹ-Diaminodiethylamine → Diethylenetriamine

4,4ʹ-Diaminodiphenyl → Benzidine

4,4ʹ-Diaminodiphenylmethane
[101-77-9]
see section XII

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 2
4,4’-Diaminodiphenyl sulfide
→ 4,4’-Thiodianiline

1,2-Diaminoethane → Ethylenediamine

3,8-Diamino-5-ethyl-6-phenylphenanthridinium bromide → Ethidium bromide

1,5-Diaminonaphthalene
[2243-62-1]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{H} & \quad \text{NH}_2 \\
\text{H} & \quad \text{NH}_2
\end{align*}
\]

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh
- Carc cat: 2

Dibenzo[a,e]pyrene
[192-65-4]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

Dibenzo[a,h]pyrene
[189-64-0]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

Dibenzo[a,i]pyrene
[189-55-9]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

Dibenzo[a,l]pyrene
[191-30-0]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

Dibenzo-1,4-thiazine → Phenothiazine
2,2'-Dibenzothiazyl disulfide
[120-78-5]
see section IV
Sens: Sh

Dibenzoyl peroxide
[94-36-0]
see section Xa
MAK[mg/m³]: 5 I
Peak lim: I(1)

Dibenzyl disulfide
[150-60-7]
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Diborane
[19287-45-7]
see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropane
[96-12-8]
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

2,2-Dibromo-2-cyanacetamide
[10222-01-2]
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

1,2-Dibromo-2,4-dicyanobutane
[35691-65-7]
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

Dibromodifluoromethane
[75-61-6]
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

1,2-Dibromoethane
[106-93-4]
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

Dibromohydroxymercurifluorescein disodium salt → Merbromin

Dibutyl phosphate → Di-n-butyl phosphonate

2,6-Di-tert-butyl-p-cresol (3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxytoluene) (BHT)
[128-37-0]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

3-(3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-N’-[3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)propanoyl]propanehydrazide
[32687-78-8]
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl propionic acid octadecyl ester

\[ \text{[2082-79-3]} \]

\[ \text{CH}_3 \begin{array}{c}
\text{O} \\
\text{(CH}_2\text{)}_7\text{C-O-C}_1\text{H}_7
\end{array} \text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3 \]

\( \text{VP[Pa]}: 2.5 \times 10^{-9} \)

see section Xc

\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 20 \text{ I} \)

Peak lim: II(2)

Preg gr: C

3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxytoluene

\[ \rightarrow 2,6\text{-Di-tert-butyl-p-cresol (3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxytoluene) (BHT)} \]

N,N-Di-n-butylnitrosoamine

\[ \rightarrow \text{N-Nitrosodi-n-butylamine} \]

Di-tert-butyl peroxide

\[ \text{[110-05-4]} \]

see section Xa

2,6-Di-tert-butylphenol

\[ \text{[128-39-2]} \]

see section IIb and Xc

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: – \)

\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: – \)

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Di-n-butyl phosphate

\[ \text{[107-66-4]} \]

and its technical mixtures

\( \text{VP[Pa]}: 7.4 \times 10^{-5} \)

see section Xc

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: – \)

\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: – \)

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Carc cat: 3

Di-n-butyl phthalate

\[ \text{[84-74-2]} \]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\( \text{VP[Pa]}: 1.6 \times 10^{-4} \)

see section Xc

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 0.05 \)

\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 0.58 \)

Peak lim: I(2)

Preg gr: C

6,6'-Di-tert-butyl-2,2'-thiodi-p-cresol

\[ \rightarrow 2,2'-\text{Thiobis(4-methyl-6-tert-butylphenol)} \]

Dicarbamoyldiimide \( \rightarrow \) Azodicarbonamide

Dicarboxylic acid anhydrides

see section IVe

Dicarboxylic acid (C4-C6) dimethylester, mixture

\[ \text{[95481-62-2]} \]

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 0.75 \)

\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 5 \)

Peak lim: I(1)

Preg gr: C

Dichloroacetic acid

\[ \text{[79-43-6]} \]

HOOC-CHCl

and its salts

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\( \text{VP[Pa]}: 0.19 \)

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 0.2 \)

\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 1.1 \)

salts: 1.1 mg/m³ as acid

Peak lim: I(1)

Preg gr: D

Perc abs: H

Designation with an H does not apply for the acid

Carc cat: 4

Dichloroacetylene

\[ \text{[7572-29-4]} \]

Cl-C=Cl

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: – \)

\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: – \)

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Carc cat: 2
3,4-Dichloroaniline

[95-76-1]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP [hPa]}: 1.84 \times 10^{-3} \]

see section IIb

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: –
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: –
  \item \text{Peak lim:} –
  \item \text{Preg gr:} –
  \item \text{Perc abs:} H
  \item \text{Sens:} \text{Sh}
\end{itemize}

3,4-Dichlorobenzenamine → 3,4-Dichloroaniline

1,2-Dichlorobenzene

[95-50-1]

\[ \text{VP [hPa]}: 1.33 \]

see section XII

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: 10
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: 61
  \item \text{Peak lim:} \text{II(2)}
  \item \text{Preg gr:} C
  \item \text{Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.}
  \item \text{Perc abs:} H
\end{itemize}

1,3-Dichlorobenzene

[541-73-1]

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: 2
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: 12
  \item \text{Peak lim:} \text{II(2)}
  \item \text{Preg gr:} C
  \item \text{Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.}
\end{itemize}

1,4-Dichlorobenzene

[106-46-7]

\[ \text{VP [hPa]}: 2.3 \text{ at } 25^\circ C \]

see section XII

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: 2
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: 12
  \item \text{Peak lim:} \text{II(2)}
  \item \text{Preg gr:} C
  \item \text{Perc abs:} H
  \item \text{Carc cat:} 4
\end{itemize}

3,3’-Dichlorobenzidine

[91-94-1]

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: –
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: –
  \item \text{Peak lim:} –
  \item \text{Preg gr:} –
  \item \text{Perc abs:} H
  \item \text{Carc cat:} 2
\end{itemize}

1,4-Dichloro-2-butene

[764-41-0]

\[ \text{CICH}_2\text{-CH=CH}_2\text{Cl} \]

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: –
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: –
  \item \text{Peak lim:} –
  \item \text{Preg gr:} –
  \item \text{Perc abs:} H
  \item \text{Carc cat:} 2
  \item \text{Muta cat:} 3A
\end{itemize}

2,2’-Dichlorodiethyl ether

[111-44-4]

\[ \text{CICH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-O-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{Cl} \]

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: 10
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: 59
  \item \text{Peak lim:} \text{II(1)}
  \item \text{Perc abs:} H
\end{itemize}

Dichlorodifluoromethane (FC-12)

[75-71-8]

\[ \text{CCl}_2\text{F}_2 \]

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: 1000
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: 5000
  \item \text{Peak lim:} \text{II(2)}
  \item \text{Preg gr:} C
\end{itemize}

Dichlorodimethyl ether → Bischloromethyl ether

1,1-Dichloroethane

[75-34-3]

\[ \text{H}_2\text{C-CHCl}_2 \]

\[ \text{VP [hPa]}: 240 \]

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: 50
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: 210
  \item \text{Peak lim:} \text{II(2)}
  \item \text{Preg gr:} C
  \item \text{Perc abs:} H
  \item \text{Carc cat:} 3
\end{itemize}

1,1-Dichloroethane

[107-06-2]

\[ \text{ClH}_2\text{-C-Cl} \]

\[ \text{VP [hPa]}: 87 \]

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: –
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: –
  \item \text{Peak lim:} –
  \item \text{Preg gr:} –
  \item \text{Perc abs:} H
  \item \text{Carc cat:} 2
\end{itemize}

1,2-Dichloroethene → 1,2-Dichloroethylene

sym

1,1-Dichloroethylene → Vinylidene chloride

1,2-Dichloroethylene sym

[540-59-0]

\[ \text{cis [156-59-2] and trans [156-60-5]} \]

\[ \text{VP [hPa]}: 220 \]

\begin{itemize}
  \item \text{MAK [ml/m}^3\text{]}: 200
  \item \text{MAK [mg/m}^3\text{]}: 800
  \item \text{Peak lim:} \text{II(2)}
\end{itemize}

1,2-Dichloroethyl methyl ether → 1,2-Dichloromethoxyethane
Di-(2-chloroethyl)sulfide → Bis(β-chloroethyl) sulfide (mustard gas)

2,2’-Dichloroethyl sulfide → Bis(β-chloroethyl) sulfide (mustard gas)

**Dichlorofluoromethane (FC-21)**

[75-43-4] CHClF

- MAK[ml/m³]: 10
- MAK[mg/m³]: 43
- Peak lim: II(2)

Dichloroethane → 1,3-Dichloro-2-propanol

**Dichloromethane**

[75-09-2] CH₂Cl₂

- VP[hPa]: 475
- see section XII

- MAK[ml/m³]: 50
- see definition of Carcinogen Category 5 and supporting documentation
- MAK[mg/m³]: 180
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: B
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 5

1,2-Dichloromethoxyethane

[41683-62-9] H₂CCl-CHCl-OCCH₃

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 3

2,2’-Dichloro-N-methyldiethylamine → N-Methyl-bis(2-chloroethyl)amine (nitrogen mustard)

2,2’-Dichloro-4,4’-methylene dianiline → 4,4’-Methylenebisis(2-chloroaniline) (MOCA)

Dichloronaphthalenes → Chlorinated naphthalenes

3,4-Dichloronitrobenzene

[99-54-7]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

- VP[hPa]: 0.02 at 25°C
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 3

1,1-Dichloro-1-nitroethane

[594-72-9] H₂C-CCl₂NO₂

see section IIb

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

2,4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic acid

[94-75-7]

(including salts and esters)

- MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H

4-(2,4-Dichlorophenoxy)benzenamine

[14861-17-7]

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 3

1,2-Dichloropropane

[78-87-5] H₂C-CHCl-CH₂Cl

- VP[hPa]: 66.2 at 25°C
- see section XII

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 1

1,3-Dichloro-2-propanol

[96-23-1] CH₂C-CH₂OH-CH₂Cl

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2

1,3-Dichloropropene

(cis and trans)

[542-75-6]

- VP[hPa]: 40
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh
- Carc cat: 2
2,2-Dichloropropionic acid  
[75-99-0] \( \text{H}_{2}\text{C}-\text{CCl}_{2}-\text{COOH} \)

see section IIb

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

2,2-Dichloropropionic acid, sodium salt  
[127-20-8] \( \text{H}_{3}\text{C}-\text{CCl}_{2}-\text{COO}^-\text{Na}^+ \)

see section IIb

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

1,2-Dichloro-1,1,2,2-tetrafluoroethane (FC-114)  
[76-14-2] \( \text{CF}_2\text{C}-\text{CCF}_2 \)

\( \text{VP}[\text{hPa}] \): 1000
\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): 7100
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: D

\( \alpha,\alpha^-\text{Dichlorotoluene} \to \text{Benzyl dichloride} \)

2,2-Dichloro-1,1,1-trifluoroethane (FC-123)  
[306-83-2] \( \text{F}_3\text{C}-\text{CHCl}_2 \)

\( \text{VP}[\text{hPa}] \): 13.2
\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Dichlorvos  
[62-73-7] \( \text{Cl}_2\text{C}-\text{CH-O-PO(OCH}_3)_2 \)

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): 0.11
\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): 1
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.
Perc abs: H

Dicyanodiamide  
[461-58-5] \( \text{N}=\text{C-NH-C-NH}_2 \)

\( \text{VP}[\text{hPa}] \): 2.3\times10^{-3}
see section IIb

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

1,3-Dicyanotetrachlorobenzene  
\( \to \text{Chlorothalonil} \)

Dicyclohexylamine  
[101-83-7] \( \text{H}_2\text{N}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11} \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodicyclohexylamine, see Section III "Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation".

\( \text{VP}[\text{hPa}] \): 0.04 at 25°C
see section IIb

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Dicyclohexylamine nitrite  
[3129-91-7] \( \text{H}_2\text{N}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11}^-\text{NO}_2^- \)

see section IIb

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): –
\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Dicyclohexylcarbodiimide  
[538-75-0] \( \text{HN}=\text{C}^-\text{C}=\text{N}^-\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11} \)

see section IV
Sens: Sh

Dicyclohexyl methane 4,4’-diisocyanate  
[5124-30-1] \( \text{O}^-\text{C}=\text{N}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11}^-\text{N}^-\text{C} \)

see section IV
Sens: Sh

Dicyclohexyl peroxide  
[1758-61-8] \( \text{O}^-\text{O}^-\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11} \)

see section Xa

Dicyclopentadiene  
[77-73-6] \( \text{C}_5\text{H}_{10} \)

\( \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3] \): 0.5
\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): 2.7
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: D

Di(tert-dodecyl)pentasulfide and Di(tert-dodecyl)polysulfide  
[31565-23-8; 68583-56-2; 68425-15-0]

\( \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_3 \)
\( \text{H}_2\text{C(CH}_3)_2\text{C-S}_x\text{C(CH}_3)_2\text{CH}_2 \)
\( \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_3 \)

1) \( \text{31565-23-8; } x = 5 \)
2) \( \text{68583-56-2; } x = 2.8 \)

see section Xc

\( \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] \): 5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: C
Diesel engine emissions
Because of the new diesel engine technology the emissions have changed significantly in quality and quantity. Since it must be assumed that these new diesel engines were introduced at the end of the 1990s, all the available epidemiological studies which were evaluated in 2007 are based on exposures to emissions from older diesel engines. The emissions from the new diesel engines can not be evaluated until appropriate studies become available.

see Section II, "pyrolysis products of organic materials"

Diethanolamine
[111-42-2] H₂O(CH₂)₂-NH(CH₂)₂-OH

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodimethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.

\[ \text{VP} [\text{hPa}]: 2 \times 10^{-4} \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}³]: 1 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}³]: 1 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } I(1) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } C \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: } H \]
\[ \text{Sens: } \text{Sh} \]
\[ \text{Carc cat: 3} \]

N,N-Diethanolnitrosoamine → N-Nitrosodiethanolamine

Diethylamine
[109-89-7] (H₂C-CH₂)₂NH

Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodiethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.

\[ \text{VP} [\text{hPa}]: 253 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}³]: 2 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}³]: 6.1 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } I(2) \]
\[ \text{A momentary value of 5 ml/m}³ (15 mg/m²) should not be exceeded.} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } D \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: } H \]

Diethylaminoethanol
[100-37-8] (H₂C-CH₂)₂N-CH₂-CH₂OH

\[ \text{VP} [\text{hPa}]: 2 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}³]: 2 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}³]: 9.7 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } I(1) \]
\[ \text{A momentary value of 5 ml/m³ (24 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } C \]

Diethylbenzene
(all isomers)

– Diethylbenzene, Mixture [25340-17-4]
1,3-Diethylbenzene [141-93-5]
1,4-Diethylbenzene [105-05-5]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}³]: 5 \]
When exposed to the mixture the MAK value for 1,2-diethylbenzene should be observed.

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}³]: 28 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } II(2) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } C \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: } H \]

– 1,2-Diethylbenzene
[135-01-3]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}³]: 1 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}³]: 5.6 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } II(8) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } C \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: } H \]

Diethylcarbamoyl chloride
[88-10-8] (H₂C-CH₂)₂N-CO-Cl

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP} [\text{hPa}]: 0.96 \text{ at } 25°C \text{ (calculated value)} \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}³]: - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}³]: - \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } - \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } - \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: } H \]

Diethyldithiocarbamate sodium → Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate

Diethylene dioxide → 1,4-Dioxane

Diethylene glycol
[111-46-6] HO-(CH₂-O-(CH₂)₂-OH

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP} [\text{hPa}]: 0.027 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}³]: 10 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}³]: 44 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } II(4) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } C \]

Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.
Diethylene glycol diacrylate
[4074-88-8] (CH₂C=CH-COO-(CH₂)₂-O)
see section IV
Sens: Sh
Diethylene glycol dimethacrylate
[2358-84-1] O-(CH₂)₂-O-OC-(CH₃)₃-CH₂
(CH₃)₂-O-OC-(CH₃)₃-CH₂
see section IV
Sens: Sh
Diethylene glycol dimethyl ether
[111-96-6] H₂C-O-[((CH₂)₂-O)₂]-CH₃
VP[hPa]: 0.6
  MAK[ml/m³]: 1
  MAK[mg/m³]: 5.6
  Peak lim: II(8)
  Preg gr: B
  Perc abs: H
Diethylene glycol dinitrate
[693-21-0] O((CH₂)₂-ONO₂);
see section IIb
  MAK[ml/m³]: –
  MAK[mg/m³]: –
  Peak lim: –
  Preg gr: –
  Perc abs: H
Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether
[112-34-5]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.027
  MAK[ml/m³]: 10
  MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of diethylene glycol monobutyl ether and its acetate in the air.
  MAK[mg/m³]: 67
  Peak lim: I(1.5)
  Preg gr: C
  Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.
Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether acetate
[124-17-4] CH₃-C-CH₂-O-[((CH₂)₂-O)₂]-CH₂
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.053
  MAK[ml/m³]: 10
  MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of diethylene glycol monobutyl ether and its acetate in the air.
  MAK[mg/m³]: 85
  Peak lim: I(1.5)
  Preg gr: C

Diethylene glycol monomethyl ether
[111-90-0] CH₂-(C-O-CH₂)₂-CH₂OH
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.13
  MAK[mg/m³]: 50 I
  Peak lim: I(2)
  Preg gr: C
Diethylenetriamine
[111-40-0] (H₂N-CH₂-CH₂)₂NH
see section IV
Sens: Sh
Diethylenetriaminepenta(methylene-phosphonic acid)
[15827-60-8] CH₃-PO₃H₂
and its sodium salts [22042-96-2] N(CH₂)₅-N(CH₂-PO₃H₂)₂;
see section IIb and Xc
  MAK[ml/m³]: –
  MAK[mg/m³]: –
  Peak lim: –
  Preg gr: –
Diethylene oximide – Morpholine
N,N-Diethylethanolamine
– 2-Diethylynaoethanol
Diethyl ether – Ethyl ether
N,N-Diethylnitrosoamine
– N-Nitrosodiethylamine
Di(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP)
[117-81-7]
[CH₃O]-[CH₃(CH₂)₁₀-C]-[O]-[CH₃(CH₂)₁₀-C]-[O]-[CH₃(CH₂)₁₀-C]-[O]
VP[hPa]: 8.6×10⁻⁶
  MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I
  Peak lim: I(2)
  Preg gr: C
  Perc abs: H
  Carc cat: 4
N,N-Diethylnitrosamine
– N-Nitrosodiethylamine
Diethyl sulfate
[64-67-5] (H₂C-CH₂-O)₂SO₂
  MAK[ml/m³]: –
  MAK[mg/m³]: –
  Peak lim: –
  Preg gr: –
  Perc abs: H
  Carc cat: 2
  Muta cat: 2
Difluorodibromomethane
→ Dibromodifluoromethane
1,1-Difluoroethylene  
[75-38-7]  \( \text{H}_2\text{C} = \text{CF}_2 \)  
MAK[\text{ml/m}^3]: –  
MAK[\text{mg/m}^3]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Carc cat: 3

2-Difluoromethyl 1,2,2,2-tetrafluoroethyl ether  
→ Desflurane

Diformyl  → Glyoxal

Diglycidyl ether (DGE)  
[2238-07-5]  
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
VP[\text{hPa}]: 0.12  
MAK[\text{ml/m}^3]: –  
MAK[\text{mg/m}^3]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Carc cat: 3

Diglycidyl hexahydrophthalate  
→ Hexahydrophthalic acid diglycidylester

Diglycidyl hexanediol  
[16096-31-4]  
see section IV  
Sens: Sh

1,3-Diglycidoxybenzene  → Diglycidyl resorcinol ether

Diglycidyl resorcinol ether  
[101-90-6]  
MAK[\text{ml/m}^3]: –  
MAK[\text{mg/m}^3]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Sens: Sh  
Carc cat: 2

Diglycolamine  → 2-(2-Aminoethoxy)ethanol

Dihydro-2(3H)-furanone  → γ-Butyrolactone

1,2-Dihydro-5-nitroacenaphthylene  
→ 5-Nitroacenaphthene

1,2-Dihydro-2,2,4-trimethyl-quinoline polymer  
[26780-96-1]  
see section IIb and Xc  
MAK[\text{ml/m}^3]: –  
MAK[\text{mg/m}^3]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  

1,4-Dihydroxybenzene  → Hydroquinone

4,4’-Dihydroxydiphenylpropane  
→ Bisphenol A

1,2-Dihydroxyethane  → Ethylene glycol

2,2’-Dihydroxyethyl ether  → Diethylene glycol

1,2-Dihydroxypropane  → Propylene glycol

4-(Diiodomethylsulfonyl)-toluene  
[20018-09-1]  
see section IIb and Xc  
MAK[\text{ml/m}^3]: –  
MAK[\text{mg/m}^3]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  

Diisobutyl ketone  
[108-83-8]  
see section IIb

Diisocyanates  
see section IVe

4,4’-Diisocyanato-methylenedicyclohexane  
→ Dicyclohexyl methane 4,4’-diisocyanate

Diisodecyl phthalate  
[26761-40-0]  
VP[\text{hPa}]: 3\times 10^{-7}  
see section Xc  
MAK[\text{ml/m}^3]: –  
MAK[\text{mg/m}^3]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Carc cat: 3

N,N-Diisopropyl nitrosoamine  
→ N-Nitrosodiisopropylamine
Diisotridecyl phthalate
[27253-26-5]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{H-C} & \text{-O-C}_12\text{H}_2 \\
\text{H-C} & \text{-O-C}_12\text{H}_2 \\
\end{align*}
\]

see section Xc.
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Diketene
[674-82-8]

see documentation “Ketene”

see section Ib.
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

2,3-Diketobutane → Diacetyl

Dilauroyl peroxide
[105-74-8]

see section Xa.

3,3ʹ-Dimethoxybenzidine
[119-90-4]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{H}_3\text{C} & \text{-C} & \text{-O} & \text{-N} & \text{-H} \\
\text{H}_3\text{C} & \text{-C} & \text{-O} & \text{-N} & \text{-H} \\
\end{align*}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

2,5-Dimethoxy-4-chloroaniline
[6358-64-1]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{H}_3\text{C} & \text{-C} & \text{-O} & \text{-Cl} & \text{-NH}_2 \\
\text{H}_3\text{C} & \text{-C} & \text{-O} & \text{-Cl} & \text{-NH}_2 \\
\end{align*}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Dimethoxymethane
[109-87-5]

\[
\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{C} & \text{-O} & \text{-CH}_2 \\
\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{C} & \text{-O} & \text{-CH}_2 \\
\end{align*}
\]

VP[hPa]: 440
MAK[ml/m³]: 500
MAK[mg/m³]: 1600
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

N,N-Dimethylacetamide
[127-19-5]

\[
\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CO}-\text{N} & \text{(CH}_3 & \text{)}_2 \\
\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CO}-\text{N} & \text{(CH}_3 & \text{)}_2 \\
\end{align*}
\]

see section XII.
MAK[ml/m³]: 5
MAK[mg/m³]: 18
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Dimethyl adipate
[627-93-0]

\[
\text{C}_3\text{H}_7\text{OOC}-(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{-COO} & \text{-Cl} \\
\text{C}_3\text{H}_7\text{OOC}-(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{-COO} & \text{-Cl} \\
\end{align*}
\]

see also Dicarboxylic acid (C4-C6)
dimethylester
see section Ib.
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Dimethylamine
[124-40-3]

\[
\text{HN} & \text{(CH}_3 & \text{)}_2 \\
\text{HN} & \text{(CH}_3 & \text{)}_2 \\
\end{align*}
\]

Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodimethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 3.7
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D

1,1-Dimethylaminoethane → tert-Butylamine

N,Nʹ-(Dimethylamino)ethyl methacrylate
[2867-47-2]

\[
\text{CH}_2 & \text{C} & \text{-C} & \text{-O} & \text{-2} & \text{CH}_2 & \text{-N} & \text{(CH}_3 & \text{)}_2 \\
\text{H}_3\text{C} & \text{-C} & \text{-O} & \text{-2} & \text{CH}_2 & \text{-N} & \text{(CH}_3 & \text{)}_2 \\
\end{align*}
\]

see section IV.
Sens: Sh

Dimethylaminopropionitrile
[1738-25-6]

\[
\text{(H}_3\text{C}_2\text{N-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2-CN \\
\text{(H}_3\text{C}_2\text{N-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2-CN \\
\end{align*}
\]

see section Ib.
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Dimethylaminosulfochloride

→ Dimethylsulfamoyl chloride

N,N-Dimethylaniline
[121-69-7]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{H}_3\text{C} & \text{-C} & \text{-N} & \text{-H} \\
\text{H}_3\text{C} & \text{-C} & \text{-N} & \text{-H} \\
\end{align*}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: 5
MAK[mg/m³]: 25
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3
3,3’-Dimethylbenzidine
[119-93-7]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

α,α-Dimethylbenzyl hydroperoxide
[80-15-9]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 4.4×10⁻³ at 25°C
see section Xa

2,2-Dimethylbutane → Hexane (all isomers except n-Hexane) and Methylcyclopentane
2,3-Dimethylbutane → Hexane (all isomers except n-Hexane) and Methylcyclopentane

Dimethyl butanedioate → Dimethyl succinate
1,3-Dimethylbutyl acetate → sec-Hexyl acetate

N-(1,3-Dimethylbutyl)-N’-phenyl-1,4-benzenediamine → N-(1,3-Dimethylbutyl)-N’-phenyl-p-phenylenediamine

N-(1,3-Dimethylbutyl)-N’-phenyl-p-phenylenediamine
[793-24-8]

MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Sens: Sh

Dimethylcarbamoyl chloride
[79-44-7]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

3,3’-Dimethyl-4,4’-diaminodiphenylmethane → 4,4’-Methylenebis(2-methylaniline)

Dimethyl diketone → Diacetyl

Dimethyl ether
[115-10-6]

H₂C=O-CH₃
VP[hPa]: 5200
MAK[ml/m³]: 1000
MAK[mg/m³]: 1900
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: D

N,N-Dimethylethylamine
[598-56-1]
H₃C-CH₂-N(CH₃)₂
Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodimethylamine and N-nitrosomethylethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
VP[hPa]: 527-580
MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 6.1
Peak lim: I(2)
A momentary value of 5 ml/m³ (15 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: D

4-(1,1-Dimethylethyl)-1,2-benzenediol → p-tert-Butylcatechol
2-(4-(1,1-Dimethylethyl)phenoxy)methyloxirane → p-tert-Butylphenyl glycidyl ether

N,N-Dimethylformamide
[68-12-2]
HCO-N(CH₃)₂
see section XII

MAK[ml/m³]: 5
MAK[mg/m³]: 15
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: B
prerequisite for Group C see documentation
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 4

Dimethyl glutarate
[1119-40-0]
CH₂-OOC-(CH₂)₂-COO-CH₃
see also Dicarboxylic acid (C₄-C₆) dimethylester
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.13
see section IIb

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Dimethyl glyoxal → Diacetyl
2,6-Dimethyl-4-heptanone → Diisobutyl ketone
Dimethyl hexanedioate → Dimethyl adipate
1,1-Dimethylhydrazine
[57-14-7] \( \text{H}_2\text{N-N(CH}_3\text{)}_2 \)
VP[hPa]: 209.31 at 25°C
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh
- Carc cat: 2
- Muta cat: 3A

1,2-Dimethylhydrazine
[540-73-8] \( \text{H}_2\text{C-NH-NH-CH}_3 \)
VP[hPa]: 93.19 at 25°C
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh
- Carc cat: 2
- Muta cat: 3A

Dimethyl hydrogen phosphite
[868-85-9]
\( \text{H}_3\text{C}_3\text{O-O-CH}_3 \)
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: 3
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2
- Muta cat: 3A

3,7-Dimethyl-7-hydroxyoctanal → Hydroxycitronellal

N,N-Dimethylisopropylamine
[996-35-0] \( (\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CH-N(CH}_3\text{)}_2 \)
VP[hPa]: 170
- MAK[ml/m³]: 1
- MAK[mg/m³]: 3.6
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: D

N,N-Dimethylnitrosoamine → N-Nitrosodimethylamine

Dimethylol dihydroxyethyleneurea
[1854-26-8]
see section IV
- Sens: Sh

1,3-Dimethylo1-5,5-dimethyl hydantoin
[6440-58-0]

\( \text{HO-CH}_2\text{N} - \text{N-CH}_2\text{OH} \)

see section IIb and Xc
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2

Dimethyl succinate
[106-65-0] \( \text{CH}_3\text{OO-C-}((\text{CH}_2)_2\text{-COO-CI}_\text{H}_3 \)
see also Dicarboxylic acid (C4-C6) dimethylester
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Dimethylsulfamoyl chloride
[13360-57-1] \( \text{(H}_3\text{C}_2\text{N-SO}_2\text{-CI} \)
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
- VP[hPa]: 3 at 44°C
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2

★ N,N-Dimethyl-p-toluidine
[99-97-8]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
- VP[hPa]: 0.1
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2
- Muta cat: 3B
**Dimethyl sulfate**

[77-78-1] \((\text{H}_3\text{CO})_2\text{SO}\)

see section XII

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

**Dimethyl sulfide**

[75-18-3] \(\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{S-CH}_3\)

see section IIb

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

**Dimethyl sulfoxide**

[67-68-5] \(\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{SO-CH}_3\)

MAK[m/l/m³]: 50
MAK[mg/m³]: 160
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: B
prerequisite for Group C see documentation
Perc abs: H

Dimethyltin compounds → Methyltin compounds

Dimethyltin bis(2-ethylhexylmercaptoacetate) \([\text{DMT}(2\text{-EHMA})_2]\) → Methyltin compounds

Dimethyltin bis(isooyctylmercaptoacetate) \([\text{DMT}(\text{IOMA})_2]\) → Methyltin compounds

Dimethyltin compounds → Methyltin compounds

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**Dinitrobenzene (all isomers)**

[25154-54-5]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.0013 at 25°C (calculated value)

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

– 1,2-Dinitrobenzene

[528-29-0]

– 1,3-Dinitrobenzene

[99-65-0]

– 1,4-Dinitrobenzene

[100-25-4]

**4,6-Dinitro-o-cresol**

[534-52-1]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 1.6×10⁻⁴ at 25°C

see section IIb

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Dinitrogen monoxide → Nitrous oxide

**Dinitronaphthalene (all isomers)**

[27478-34-8]

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Dinitrotoluene (mixtures of isomers)

[25321-14-6]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 5.3×10⁻⁴ at 25°C

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

Dinonyl-naphthalenesulfonic acid calcium salt → Calcium bis(dinonylnaphthalenesulphonate)

**4,4’-Dioctyldiphenylamine**

[101-67-7]

see section IIb and Xc

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Dioctyl phosphite → Di-n-octyl phosphonate
Di-n-octyl phosphonate
[1809-14-9]
see also Di-n-butyl phosphonate
VP[hPa]: $2.1 \times 10^{-7}$ at 25°C
see section IIb and Xc
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Di-sec-octyl phthalate → Di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP)

Di-n-octyltin compounds → n-Octyltin compounds

Diospyros spp. → Woods

Dioxacyclopentane → 1,3-Dioxolane (Dioxacyclopentane)

1,4-Dioxane
[123-91-1]
VP[hPa]: 41
see section XII
- MAK[ml/m³]: 10
- MAK[mg/m³]: 37
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 4

1,3-Dioxolane (Dioxacyclopentane)
[646-06-0]
VP[hPa]: 105
- MAK[ml/m³]: 50
- MAK[mg/m³]: 150
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: B
- Perc abs: H

3,6-Dioxyoctane-1,8-diyl dimethacrylate → Triethylene glycol dimethacrylate

Dipentamethylenethiuram disulfide
[94-37-1]
see section IIb
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Sens: Sh

Diphenyl → Biphenyl

Diphenylamine
[122-39-4]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.33
see section Xc
- MAK[ml/m³]: 5 I
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 3

Diphenylamine, octylated (Benzenamine, N-phenyl-, reaction products with 2,4,4-trimethylpentene)
[68411-46-1]
see section IIb and Xc
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Diphenylamine, reaction products with styrene and 2,4,4-trimethylpentene
[68921-45-9]
see section IIb and Xc
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Diphenyl cresyl phosphate
[26444-49-5]
VP[hPa]: <0.01
see section IIb
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Diphenyl ether
[101-84-8]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.027 at 25°C
- MAK[ml/m³]: 1
- MAK[mg/m³]: 7.1
- Peak lim: I(1)
- Preg gr: C
Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.

1,2-Diphenylhydrazine → Hydrazobenzene
Diphenylmethane-4,4'-diisocyanate → 4,4'-Methylene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI)

N,N-Diphenylnitrosamine → N-Nitrosodiphenylamine

N,N-Diphenyl-p-phenylenediamine [74-31-7] (nitrosation)

N,N-Di-n-propylnitrosoamine → N-Nitrosodi-n-propylamine

Dipropylene glycol [25265-71-8] (nitrosation)

Dipropylene glycol monomethyl ether [34590-94-8] (nitrosation)

Di(2-propylheptyl) phthalate [53306-54-0] (nitrosation)

Distillates (petroleum) [64742-47-8] (nitrosation)

Disulfiram [97-77-8] (nitrosation)

Distemonanthus benthamianus → Woods

see section IV

Sens: Sh

Disperse Orange 3 [730-40-5] (nitrosation)

Disperse Red 1 [2872-52-8] (nitrosation)

Disperse Red 17 [3179-89-3] (nitrosation)

Disperse Yellow 3 [2832-40-8] (nitrosation)

Disulfur chloride → Sulfur monochloride

see section IV

Sens: Sh

Distemonanthus benthamianus → Woods

see section Xc

MAK [mg/m³]: 100 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

Disulfur chloride → Sulfur monochloride

see section Xc

MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Disulfiram [97-77-8] (nitrosation)

Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodimethylamine, see Section III

“Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”:

MAK [mg/m³]: 2 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: D
Sens: Sh

Disulfiram [97-77-8] (nitrosation)

Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodimethylamine, see Section III

“Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”:

MAK [mg/m³]: 2 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: D
Sens: Sh

Disulfiram [97-77-8] (nitrosation)
Disulfur decalfluoride → Sulfur pentafluoride

2,2'-Dithiobisbenzothiazole → 2,2'-Dibenzothiazyl disulfide

2,2'-Dithiobis(N-methylbenzamide) [2527-58-4]

2,2'-Dithiobisbenzothiazole (N-methylbenzamide)

see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

Dithiocarb → Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate

Dithiocarb sodium → Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate

Ditridecyl phthalate [119-06-2]

Ditridecyl phthalate

see section Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Divinylbenzene (all isomers) [1321-74-0]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP (hPa): 0.9 at 25°C

see section IIb

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Dodecanedioic acid → Behenic acid

Dodecanedioic acid [693-23-2]

Dodecanedioic acid

see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Dodecyl alcohol → 1-Dodecanol

DOP → Di(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP)

Dyuka (Tieghemella africana) → Woods

DPhP → Di(2-propylheptyl) phthalate

Dust, general threshold limit value (inhalable fraction)

see section Vf and g

MAK [mg/m³]: 4 I

Dust, general threshold limit value (respirable fraction)

(biopersistent granular dusts)

except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh

see section Vf

MAK [mg/m³]: 0.3

for dusts with a density of 1 g/cm³

Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: C
Carc cat: 4

Dusts

see section V

Dusts containing enzymes

see section IVe

East Indian rosewood (Dalbergia latifolia) → Woods

Ebony (Diospyros spp.) → Woods

EDTA → Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid (EDTA)

Endothiapepsin → Microbial rennets: endothiapepsin and mucorpepsin

Endrin [72-20-8]

Endrin

MAK [mg/m³]: 0.05 I

Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: C

Perc abs: H
**Enflurane**  
[13838-16-9]  
HF₂C-O-CF₂-CHFCl  
VP[hPa]: 232  
MAK[ml/m³]: 20  
MAK[mg/m³]: 150  
Peak lim: II(8)  
Preg gr: C  

Entandrophragma spp. → Woods

Epichlorohydrin → 1-Chloro-2,3-epoxypropane

**EPN, O-Ethyl-O-(4-nitrophenyl)phenylthiophosphonate**  
[2104-64-5]  
\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{CH}_3 \\
\text{P} \\
\text{S} \\
\text{NO}_2 \\
\end{array}
\]

MAK[mg/m³]: 0.5 I  
Peak lim: II(2)  
Perc abs: H

1,2-Epoxy-3-allyloxypropane → Allyl glycicyld ether

1,2-Epoxybutane → 1,2-Butylene oxide

**3,4-Epoxycyclohexane carboxylic acid (3,4-epoxycyclohexylmethyl) ester**  
[2386-87-0]  
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\end{array}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Sens: Sh  
Carc cat: 3

1,2-Epoxy-4-(epoxyethyl)cyclohexane → 4-Vinyl-1-cyclohexene dioxide

1,2-Epoxy-3-isopropoxypropane → Isopropyl glycicyld ether (IGE)

**1,2-Epoxypropane**  
[75-56-9]  
\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{O} \\
\end{array}
\]

see section XII  
MAK[ml/m³]: 2  
MAK[mg/m³]: 4.8  
Peak lim: I(2)  
Preg gr: C  
Sens: Sh  
Carc cat: 4

2,3-Epoxy-1-propanol → Glycidol (Glycide)

2,3-Epoxypropyl methacrylate → Glycidyl methacrylate

2,3-Epoxypropyl-o-tolylether → Cresyl glycicyld ethers

(2,3-Epoxypropyl)trimethylammonium chloride → Glycidyl trimethylammonium chloride

**Erionite**  
[12510-42-8]  
(Ca,Na,K)[Al₂Si₆O₁₈]·9 H₂O  
(fibrous dust)  
see section III  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Carc cat: 1

Ethanediol → Glyoxal

1,2-Ethanediol → Ethylene glycol

N,N’,1,2-Ethanediylbis[N-(carboxymethyl)glycine] → Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid (EDTA)

**Ethanol**  
[64-17-5]  
H₃C-CH₂OH  
VP[hPa]: 59

MAK[ml/m³]: 200  
see definition of Carcinogen Category 5 and supporting documentation  
MAK[mg/m³]: 380  
Peak lim: II(4)  
Preg gr: C  
Carc cat: 5  
Muta cat: 5

Ethanolamine → 2-Aminoethanol

Ethene → Ethylene

N-Ethenylcarbazole → Vinylcarbazole

4-Ethenylcyclohexene → 4-Vinylcyclohexene

1-(Ethenoxy)-2-methylpropane → Isobutyl vinyl ether
**Ethidium bromide**

[1239-45-8]

\[
\text{H}_3\text{N}^+ \quad \text{Br} \quad \text{NH}_2
\]

- **MAK [ml/m³]**: –
- **MAK [mg/m³]**: –
- **Peak lim.**: –
- **Preg gr.**: –
- **Carc cat.**: 3
- **Muta cat.**: 3B

2-Ethoxy-6-amino-naphthalene → 6-Amino-2-ethoxynaphthalene

**2-Ethoxyethanol**

[110-80-5] \( \text{H}_3\text{C-CH}_2\text{O-CH}_2\text{OH} \)

- **VP [hPa]**: ~5
- **see section XII**

- **MAK [ml/m³]**: 2
- MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of 2-ethoxyethanol and 2-ethoxyethyl acetate in the air.
- **MAK [mg/m³]**: 7.5
- **Peak lim.**: II(8)
- **Preg gr.**: B
- **Perc abs.**: H

2-(2-Ethoxyethoxy)ethanol → Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether

**2-Ethoxyethyl acetate**

[111-15-9]

\[
\text{H}_3\text{C}=\text{O-CH}_2\text{O-CH}_2\text{C}=\text{O-CH}_2\text{C}=\text{O}
\]

- **see section XII**

- **MAK [ml/m³]**: 2
- MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of 2-ethoxyethanol and 2-ethoxyethyl acetate in the air.
- **MAK [mg/m³]**: 11
- **Peak lim.**: II(8)
- **Preg gr.**: B
- **Perc abs.**: H

**1-Ethoxy-2-propanol**

[1569-02-4] \( \text{CH}_3\text{C-CH}_2\text{O-CH}_2\text{CH(OH)-CH}_3 \)

- **VP [hPa]**: 10
- **see section XII**

- **MAK [ml/m³]**: 20
- MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of 1-ethoxy-2-propanol and 1-ethoxy-2-propyl acetate in the air.
- **MAK [mg/m³]**: 86
- **Peak lim.**: II(2)
- **Preg gr.**: C
- **Perc abs.**: H

**1-Ethoxy-2-propyl acetate**

[54839-24-6] \( \text{CH}_3\text{C-O-CH}_2\text{O-CH}_2\text{C}=\text{O-CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)

- **VP [hPa]**: 2
- **see section XII**

- **MAK [ml/m³]**: 20
- MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of 1-ethoxy-2-propanol and 1-ethoxy-2-propyl acetate in the air.
- **MAK [mg/m³]**: 120
- **Peak lim.**: II(8)
- **Preg gr.**: C
- **Perc abs.**: H

**Ethyl acetate**

[141-78-6] \( \text{H}_3\text{C-COOCH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)

- **VP [hPa]**: 97

- **MAK [ml/m³]**: 200
- **MAK [mg/m³]**: 750
- **Peak lim.**: I(2)
- **Preg gr.**: C

**Ethyl acrylate**

[140-88-5] \( \text{H}_3\text{C}=\text{CH-COOCH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)

- **VP [hPa]**: 39

- **MAK [ml/m³]**: 2
- **MAK [mg/m³]**: 8.3
- **Peak lim.**: I(2)
- **Preg gr.**: C
- **Perc abs.**: H

**Ethyl alcohol → Ethanol**

**Ethylamine**

[75-04-7] \( \text{H}_3\text{C-CH}_2\text{NH}_2 \)

- **VP [hPa]**: 990

- **MAK [ml/m³]**: 5
- **MAK [mg/m³]**: 9.4
- **Peak lim.**: I(2)
- A momentary value of 10 ml/m³ (19 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
- **Preg gr.**: D

**Ethylbenzene**

[100-41-4]

- **VP [hPa]**: 9
- **see section XII**

- **MAK [ml/m³]**: 20
- **MAK [mg/m³]**: 88
- **Peak lim.**: II(2)
- **Preg gr.**: C
- **Perc abs.**: H
- **Carc cat.**: 4

Ethyl bromide → Bromoethane

Ethyl carbamate → Carbamic acid ethyl ester

Ethyl chloride → Chloroethane
Ethyl 2-cyanoacrylate
[7085-85-0] \( \text{H}_2\text{C} \equiv \text{CCN-CO-CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)

see section IIb

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

5-Ethyl-3,7-dioxa-1-azabicyclo[3.3.0]octane (EDAO)
[7747-35-5]

releases formaldehyde

see section IIb and Xc

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

Ethylene
[74-85-1] \( \text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2 \)

see section XII

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Ethylenebis(oxyethylene)methacrylate → Triethylene glycol dimethacrylate

Ethylene chlorohydrin → 2-Chloroethanol

Ethylene glycol
[107-21-1] \( \text{HO-CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH} \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP\([\text{hPa}]\): 0.053
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): 10
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): 26
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Ethylene glycol dimethacrylate
[97-90-5] \( \text{CH}_3\text{C}=\text{OOC-CH}_2\text{H}_2\text{OOC-CH}=\text{CH}_2 \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP\([\text{hPa}]\): 0.25 at 25°C (calculated value)
see section IV

Sens: Sh

Ethylene glycol dinitrate
[628-96-6] \( \text{O}_2\text{NHO-CH}_2\text{OH-NO}_2 \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP\([\text{hPa}]\): 0.096 at 25°C
see section XII

MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): 0.01
MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of ethylene glycol dinitrate, nitroglycerin and propylene glycol dinitrate in the air.
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): 0.063
Peak lim: II(1)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Ethylene glycol isopropyl ether → 2-Isopropoxyethanol

Ethylene glycol methacrylate → 2-Hydroxyethyl methacrylate

Ethylene glycol monoacrylate → Acrylic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester

Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether → 2-Butoxyethanol

Ethylene glycol monobutyl ether acetate → 2-Butoxyethyl acetate

Ethylene glycol monoethyl ether → 2-Ethoxyethanol

Ethylene glycol monoethyl ether acetate → 2-Ethoxyethyl acetate

Ethylene glycol monomethyl ether → 2-Methoxyethanol

Ethylene glycol monomethyl ether acetate → 2-Methoxyethyl acetate
Ethylene glycol monophenyl ether → 2-Phenoxyethanol

Ethylene glycol mono-n-propyl ether → 2-Propanoxyethanol

Ethylene glycol monopropyl ether acetate → 2-Propanoxyethyl acetate

**Ethylene oxide**

![diagram]

[75-21-8]  
See section XII  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Carc cat: 2  
Muta cat: 2

**Ethylene thiourea**

[96-45-7]  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Carc cat: 3

**Ethlylenimine**

[151-56-4]  
NH  
VP[hPa]: 214  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Carc cat: 2  
Muta cat: 2

**Ethyl ether**

[60-29-7]  
H₂C-CH₂-O-CH₂-CH₃  
VP[hPa]: 587  
MAK[ml/m³]: 400  
MAK[mg/m³]: 1200  
Peak lim: I(1)  
Preg gr: D

**Ethyl-3-ethoxypropionate**

[763-69-9]  
CH₃-CH₂-O-(CH₂)₂-CO-CH₂-CH₃  
MAK[ml/m³]: 100  
MAK[mg/m³]: 610  
Peak lim: I(1)  
Preg gr: C  
Perc abs: H

Ethyl formate → Formic acid ethyl ester  
Ethyl glycol → 2-Ethoxyethanol

**2-Ethyl-1,3-hexanediol**

[94-96-2]  
CH₂OH-(CH₂)₂-CH₃  
CH(C₃H₇)-CH₂-OH  
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
VP[hPa]: <0.01  
See section IIb and Xc  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –

**2-Ethylhexanoic acid**

[149-57-5]  
CH₃(CH₂)₃CH(C₃H₇)-COOH  
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
VP[hPa]: 0.04  
See section IIb  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –

**2-Ethylhexanol**

[104-76-7]  
CH₃(CH₂)₃CH(C₃H₇)CH₂OH  
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
VP[hPa]: 0.18 at 25°C  
MAK[ml/m³]: 10  
MAK[mg/m³]: 54  
Peak lim: I(1)  
Preg gr: C

**2-Ethylhexyl acetate**

[103-09-3]  
(CH₃)₂CO₂CH₂CH₂CH(C₃H₇)-CH₃  
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
VP[hPa]: 0.31 at 25°C  
MAK[ml/m³]: 10  
MAK[mg/m³]: 71  
Peak lim: I(1)  
Preg gr: C

2-Ethylhexyl acrylate → Acrylic acid  
2-ethylhexyl ester

2-Ethylhexyl alcohol → 2-Ethylhexanol

**2-Ethylhexyl mercaptoacetate**

[7659-86-1]  
HS-CH₂-CO₂CH₂CH₂CH(C₃H₇)-CH₃  
See section IV  
Sens: Sh  
2-Ethylhexyl (Z)-octa dec-9-enoate  
→ 2-Ethylhexyl oleate
2-Ethylhexyl oleate
[26399-02-0]

\[
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: 2.4 \times 10^{-5} \text{ (calculated value)}
\]

see section Xc

MAK[mg/m³]: 5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: D

2-Ethylhexyl thioglycolate \(\rightarrow\) 2-Ethylhexyl mercaptoacetate

2-Ethyl-2-(hydroxymethyl)-1,3-propanediol triacrylate \(\rightarrow\) Trimethylolpropane triacrylate

Ethylidene chloride \(\rightarrow\) 1,1-Dichloroethane

Ethyl mercaptan \(\rightarrow\) Ethanethiol

Ethyl(2-mercaptobenzoato-S)mercury sodium salt \(\rightarrow\) Thimerosal

Ethyl methacrylate \(\rightarrow\) Methacrylic acid ethyl ester

Ethyl methyl ketoxime \(\rightarrow\) Butanone oxime

Ethyl 2-methyl-2-propenoate \(\rightarrow\) Methacrylic acid ethyl ester

N-Ethylmorpholine
[100-74-3]

\[
\text{see section IIb}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

O-Ethyl-O-(4-nitrophenyl)phenylthiophosphonate (EPN) \(\rightarrow\) EPN, O-Ethyl-O-(4-nitrophenyl)phenylthiophosphonate

4,4’-(2-Ethyl-2-nitro-1,3-propanediyl)bismorpholin \(\rightarrow\) 4-(2-Nitrobutyl)morpholine (70% w/w) and 4,4’-(2-Ethyl-2-nitro-1,3-propandiylbismorpholin (20% w/w)

N-Ethyl-N-nitrosoaniline
\(\rightarrow\) N-Nitrosoethylphenylamine

N-Ethyl-2-pyrrolidone
[2687-91-4]

\[
\text{CH}_3-\text{CH}_3
\]

(vapour)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: 0.18
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: 5
MAK[mg/m³]: 23
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Ethyl silicate \(\rightarrow\) Silicic acid tetraethyl ester

Ethyltin compounds

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Perc abs: H

Sens: –

For ethyltin compounds whose organic ligands were already designated with “Sa” or “Sh”, these designations also apply.

Ethyl vinyl ether
[109-92-2]

\[
\text{H}_2\text{C}={\text{CH-O-CH}_2}\text{CH}_3
\]

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Etidronic acid
\(\rightarrow\) 1-Hydroxyethylidene-1,1-diphosphonic acid

Eugenol
[97-53-0]

\[
\text{HO-}
\]

\[
\text{H}_2\text{CO}
\]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: \text{<0.1}
\]

see section IV

Sens: Sh

F 134a \(\rightarrow\) 1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane

Farnesol
[4602-84-0]

\[
\text{CH}_3
\]

\[
\text{HOCH}_2\text{CH}=-\text{C-CH}_2\text{CH}_3\text{CH}=-\text{C(O)CH}_3
\]

see section IV

Sens: Sh
★ Fatty alcohol ethoxylates, C16–18 and C18-unsaturated
[68920-66-1]
VP[hPa]: $5.5 \times 10^{-5}$ (calculated value)
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Fenthion
[55-38-9]

MAK[mg/m³]: 0.2
Peak lim: II(2)
Perc abs: H

Ferbam
[14484-64-1]
Fe[S-CS-N(CH₃)₂]
see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Ferrovanadium
[12604-58-9]
see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Fibrous dust, inorganic
see section III

Fluorides
[16984-48-8]
(as Fluoride)
see section XII
MAK[mg/m³]: 1
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: C
Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.
Perc abs: H

Fluorine
[7782-41-4]
F₂
see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Fluorocarbon 134a → 1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane

Fluorotrichloromethane
→ Trichlorofluoromethane (FC-11)

Formaldehyde
[50-00-0]
HCHO
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.3
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.37
During exposure to mixtures it should be ensured that irritant effects do not occur.
Peak lim: I(2)
A momentary value of 1 ml/m³ (1.2 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: C
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 4
Muta cat: 5

Formaldehyde condensation products with p-tert-butylphenol
(low molecular)
see section IV
Sens: Sh

Formaldehyde condensation products with phenol
(low-molecular)
see section IV
Sens: Sh

Formamidine
[75-12-7]
NH₂-CHO
see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Formic acid
[64-18-6]
HCOOH
VP[hPa]: 42
MAK[ml/m³]: 5
MAK[mg/m³]: 9.5
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C

Formic acid ethyl ester
[109-94-4]
HCOOCH₂-CH₃
VP[hPa]: 256
MAK[ml/m³]: 100
MAK[mg/m³]: 310
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Formic acid methyl ester
[107-31-3]
HCOO-CH₃
VP[hPa]: 640
see section XII
MAK[ml/m³]: 50
MAK[mg/m³]: 120
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Fragrance components
see section IVe

Fraké (Terminalia superba) → Woods

Framiré (Terminalia ivorensis) → Woods

Fumes
see section V

2-Furaldehyde → Furfural

Furan
[110-00-9]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: & \quad 0.02 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad 0.056 \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad \text{II(2)} \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad \text{D} \\
\text{Perc abs}: & \quad \text{H} \\
\text{Carc cat}: & \quad \text{3}
\end{align*}
\]

Furfural
[98-01-1]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad - \\
\text{Perc abs}: & \quad \text{H} \\
\text{Carc cat}: & \quad \text{3}
\end{align*}
\]

Furfuryl alcohol
[98-00-0]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad - \\
\text{Perc abs}: & \quad \text{H} \\
\text{Carc cat}: & \quad \text{3}
\end{align*}
\]

Gallium arsenide → Arsenic

Gasolines
see section Xb

Gedu nohor (Entandrophragma angolense) → Woods

Geraniol
[106-24-1]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{CH}_3 & \quad \text{CH}_3 \\
\text{CH}_3\text{C}^=\text{CH}-(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}
\end{align*}
\]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: & \quad 0.3 \\
\text{See section IV}
\end{align*}
\]

Sens: Sh

Germanium tetrahydride

\[
\text{GeH}_4
\]

[7782-65-2]

see section IIb

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad -
\end{align*}
\]

Glass fibres (fibrous dust)
see section III

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad - \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad - \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad - \\
\text{Carc cat}: & \quad \text{2}
\end{align*}
\]

Glutaraldehyde
[111-30-8]

\[
\text{OCH}-(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{CHO}
\]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: & \quad 0.05 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad 0.21 \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad \text{I(2)} \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad \text{C} \\
\text{Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.}
\end{align*}
\]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{Sens}: & \quad \text{Sh} \\
\text{Carc cat}: & \quad \text{4}
\end{align*}
\]

Glutaric acid
[110-94-1]

\[
\text{HO}--\text{O}
\]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad 2 \text{ I} \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad \text{I(2)} \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad \text{C}
\end{align*}
\]

Glutaric acid, dimethyl ester → Dimethyl glutarate

Glycerol
[56-81-5]

\[
\text{HOCH}_2\text{CH(OH)}\text{CH}_2\text{OH}
\]

see section Xc

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \quad 200 \text{ I} \\
\text{Peak lim}: & \quad \text{I(2)} \\
\text{Preg gr}: & \quad \text{C}
\end{align*}
\]

Glycerol trinitrate → Nitroglycerin

Glyceryl monothioglycolate
[30618-84-9]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{H}_2\text{C}^=\text{O} & \quad \text{H}^=\text{C} & \quad \text{H}_2\text{C}^=\text{O} \text{C}^=\text{SH} \\
\text{H}_2\text{C}^=\text{O} & \quad \text{H}^=\text{C} & \quad \text{H}_2\text{C}^=\text{O} \text{C}^=\text{SH}
\end{align*}
\]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: & \quad 1.2\times10^{-5} \text{ at } 25^\circ\text{C} \\
\text{See section IV}
\end{align*}
\]

Sens: Sh
Glycidol (Glycide)  
\[556-52-5\]  
[See section XII]  
MAK\[ml/m^3\]: –  
MAK\[mg/m^3\]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Carc cat: 2  
Muta cat: 3A  

Glycidyl compounds (epoxides)  
[See section IVe]  
Glycidyl methacrylate  
\[106-91-2\]  
[See section IV]  
Sens: Sh  

Glycidyl trimethylammonium chloride  
\[3033-77-0\]  
MAK\[ml/m^3\]: –  
MAK\[mg/m^3\]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Sens: Sh  
Carc cat: 2  

Glycol → Ethylene glycol  
Glycol dinitrate → Ethylene glycol dinitrate  
Glycolic acid n-butylester → Hydroxyacetic acid butyl ester  

Glyoxal  
\[107-22-2\]  
MAK\[ml/m^3\]: –  
MAK\[mg/m^3\]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Sens: Sh  
Carc cat: 3  

Gold  
\[7440-57-5\]  
[See section IIb]  
MAK\[ml/m^3\]: –  
MAK\[mg/m^3\]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Sens: Sh  
only soluble gold compounds  

Gonystylus bancanus → Woods  
Granular biopersistent dusts → Dust, general threshold limit value (respirable fraction)  

Graphite  
\[7782-42-5\]  
[Inhalable fraction]  
[See section Vf and g]  
MAK\[mg/m^3\]: 4 I  
Preg gr: C  

Graphite  
\[7782-42-5\]  
[Respirable fraction]  
except for ultrafine particles; [See section Vh]  
MAK\[mg/m^3\]: 0.3 R multiplied with the material density  
Peak lim: II(8)  
Preg gr: C  
Carc cat: 4  

Grevillea robusta → Woods  

Hafnium  
\[7440-58-6\]  
[See section IIb]  
MAK\[ml/m^3\]: –  
MAK\[mg/m^3\]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  

Halloysite  
\[12298-43-0\]  
[See section III]  
MAK\[ml/m^3\]: –  
MAK\[mg/m^3\]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Carc cat: 3  

Halothane  
\[151-67-7\]  
[See section XII]  
MAK\[ml/m^3\]: 5  
MAK\[mg/m^3\]: 41  
Peak lim: II(8)  
Preg gr: B  

Hard coal dust → Coal mine dust  

Hard metal containing tungsten carbide and cobalt  
[Inhalable fraction]  
MAK\[ml/m^3\]: –  
MAK\[mg/m^3\]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Perc abs: H  
Sens: Sah  
Carc cat: 1  
Muta cat: 3A  

HDDA → 1,6-Hexanediol diacrylate  
Hemicellulases → Xylanases
Hemimellitene (1,2,3-Trimethylbenzene) → Trimethylbenzene (all isomers)

Hempa → Hexamethylphosphoric acid triamide

**Heptachlor**
[76-44-8]

| MAK[mg/m³]| 0.05 I |
| Peak lim: | II(8) |
| Preg gr: | D |
| Perc abs: | H |
| Carc cat: | 4 |

Heptadecafluoro-1-octanesulfonic acid → Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)

**n-Heptane**
[142-82-5] \( \text{C}_3\text{H}_7\text{CH}_3 \)

VP[hPa]: 48
see section XII

| MAK[ml/m³]| 500 |
| MAK[mg/m³]| 2100 |
| Peak lim: | I(1) |
| Preg gr: | D |

**1,7-Heptanedicarbonic acid → Azelaic acid**

**3-Heptanone**
[106-35-4] \( \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CO}-(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \)

VP[hPa]: 1.5

| MAK[ml/m³]| 10 |
| MAK[mg/m³]| 47 |
| Peak lim: | II(2) |
| Preg gr: | D |

**Hexachlorobenzene**
[118-74-1]

| MAK[ml/m³]| – |
| MAK[mg/m³]| – |
| Peak lim: | – |
| Preg gr: | D |
| Perc abs: | H |
| Carc cat: | 4 |

see section XII

**Hexachloro-1,3-butadiene**
[87-68-3] \( \text{Cl}_3\text{C} = \text{CCl} = \text{CCl} = \text{CCl} \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.29 at 25°C

| MAK[ml/m³]| – |
| MAK[mg/m³]| – |
| Peak lim: | – |
| Preg gr: | – |
| Perc abs: | H |
| Carc cat: | 4 |

**α-Hexachlorocyclohexane**
[319-84-6]

| MAK[mg/m³]| 0.5 I |
| Peak lim: | II(8) |
| Preg gr: | D |
| Perc abs: | H |
| Carc cat: | 4 |

**β-Hexachlorocyclohexane**
[319-85-7]

| MAK[mg/m³]| 0.1 I |
| Peak lim: | II(8) |
| Preg gr: | D |
| Perc abs: | H |
| Carc cat: | 4 |

**γ-Hexachlorocyclohexane → Lindane**

**1,2,3,4,5,6-Hexachlorocyclohexane**
[319-84-6] and [319-85-7]

| MAK[mg/m³]| 0.1 I |
| Peak lim: | II(8) |
| Preg gr: | D |
| Perc abs: | H |
| Carc cat: | 4 |

Techn. mixture of α-HCH [319-84-6] and β-HCH [319-85-7]

| MAK[mg/m³]| Conc. α-HCH divided by 5 + Conc. β-HCH = 0.1 |
| Peak lim: | II(8) |
| Preg gr: | D |
| Perc abs: | H |
| Carc cat: | 4 |

**Hexachlorocyclopentadiene**
[77-47-4]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.1 at 25°C

| MAK[ml/m³]| – |
| MAK[mg/m³]| – |
| Peak lim: | – |
| Preg gr: | – |
| Perc abs: | H |

**Hexachloroethane**
[67-72-1] \( \text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Cl}_2 \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.4

| MAK[ml/m³]| 1 |
| MAK[mg/m³]| 9.8 |
| Peak lim: | II(2) |
| Preg gr: | C |
| Perc abs: | H |
| Carc cat: | 3 |

**Hexachloronaphthalenes → Chlorinated naphthalenes**

**Hexadecanoic acid → Palmitic acid**
1-Hexadecanol

[36653-82-4] \(\text{HO-}\left(\text{CH}_2\right)_{16-}\text{CH}_3\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\(\text{VP[hPa]}: <0.01\)

see section IIb and Xc

\(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: -\)

\(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: -\)

\(\text{Peak lim}: -\)

\(\text{Preg gr}: -\)

1,1,1,3,3,3-Hexafluoro-2-(fluoromethoxy)propane → Sevoflurane

Hexahydrophthalic acid diglycidylester

[5493-45-8]

\(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: -\)

\(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: -\)

\(\text{Peak lim}: -\)

\(\text{Preg gr}: -\)

\(\text{Perc abs}: \text{H}\)

\(\text{Sens}: \text{Sh}\)

\(\text{Carc cat}: 3\)

Hexahydrophthalic anhydride

[85-42-7]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

see section IV

\(\text{Sens}: \text{Sa}\)

Hexahydro-1,3,5-triethyl-s-triazine

→ 1,3,5-Triethylhexahydro-1,3,5-triazine

Hexamethylene bis(3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)propionate)

[35074-77-2]

see section Xc

\(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 10 \text{ I}\)

\(\text{Peak lim}: \text{II}(2)\)

\(\text{Preg gr}: \text{C}\)

1,6-Hexamethylene diacrylate

→ 1,6-Hexanediol diacrylate

1,6-Hexamethylene diisocyanate

[822-06-0] \(\text{OCN-}\left(\text{CH}_2\right)_6-\text{NCO}\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\(\text{VP[hPa]}: 0.007\)

\(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 0.005\)

\(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 0.035\)

\(\text{Peak lim}: \text{I}(1)\)

A momentary value of 0.01 ml/m³ (0.070 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.

\(\text{Preg gr}: \text{D}\)

\(\text{Sens}: \text{Sah}\)

Hexamethylenetetramine

[100-97-0]

releases formaldehyde

see section IIb and Xc

\(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: -\)

\(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: -\)

\(\text{Peak lim}: -\)

\(\text{Preg gr}: -\)

\(\text{Sens}: \text{Sh}\)

Hexamethylphosphoric acid triamide

[680-31-9] \(\text{OP[N(CH}_2\text{)}_2]\)

\(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: -\)

\(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: -\)

\(\text{Peak lim}: -\)

\(\text{Preg gr}: -\)

\(\text{Perc abs}: \text{H}\)

\(\text{Carc cat}: 2\)

\(\text{Muta cat}: 2\)

n-Hexane

[110-54-3] \(\text{H}_3\text{C-}\left(\text{CH}_2\right)_{15}-\text{CH}_3\)

\(\text{VP[hPa]}: 160\)

see section XII

\(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 50\)

\(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 180\)

\(\text{Peak lim}: \text{II}(8)\)

\(\text{Preg gr}: \text{C}\)
Hexane (all isomers except n-Hexane) and Methylcyclopentane

- 2-Methylpentane
- 3-Methylpentane
- 2,2-Dimethylbutane
- 2,3-Dimethylbutane
- Methylcyclopentane

1,6-Hexanediol acid → Adipic acid

1,6-Hexanediol diacylate

1,6-Hexanediol diglycidylether → Diglycidyl hexanediol

1-Hexanol

2-Hexanone

sec-Hexyl acetate

2-Hexyl-1-decanol

Hexylene glycol

HFC 134a → 1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane

Hydrazine
Hydrazine hydrate
[7803-57-8] $\text{H}_2\text{N-NH}_2 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$
and hydrazine salts
see section IV
Sens: Sh

Hydrazobenzene
[122-66-7]

$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: –
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: –
$\text{Peak lim}$: –
$\text{Preg gr}$: –
$\text{Carc cat}$: 2

Hydrazoic acid
[7782-79-8] $\text{HN}_3$
$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: 0.1
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: 0.18
$\text{Peak lim}$: I(2)

Hydrocarbon solvent C$_6$–C$_{13}$ dearomatized
→ Naphtha (petroleum)

Hydrochloric acid → Hydrogen chloride

Hydrocyanic acid → Hydrogen cyanide

Hydrogen bromide
[10035-10-6] $\text{HBr}$
$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: 2
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: 6.7
$\text{Peak lim}$: I(1)
$\text{Preg gr}$: D

Hydrogen chloride
[7647-01-8] $\text{HCl}$
$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: 2
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: 3.0
$\text{Peak lim}$: I(2)
$\text{Preg gr}$: C

Hydrogen cyanide
[74-90-8] $\text{HCN}$
$\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]$: 800
$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: 1.9
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: 2.1
$\text{Peak lim}$: II(2)
$\text{Preg gr}$: C
$\text{Perc abs}$: H

Hydrogen fluoride
[7664-39-3] $\text{HF}$
$\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]$: 1033
see section XII
$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: 1
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: 0.83
$\text{Peak lim}$: I(2)
$\text{Preg gr}$: C

Hydrogen peroxide
[7722-84-1] $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$
$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: 0.5
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: 0.71
$\text{Peak lim}$: I(1)
$\text{Preg gr}$: C
$\text{Carc cat}$: 2

Hydrogen selenide
[7783-07-5] $\text{H}_2\text{Se}$
$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: 0.006
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: 0.02
$\text{Peak lim}$: II(8)
$\text{Preg gr}$: C
$\text{Carc cat}$: 3

Hydrogen sulfide
[7783-06-4] $\text{H}_2\text{S}$
$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: 5
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: 7.1
$\text{Peak lim}$: I(2)
$\text{Preg gr}$: C

$\alpha$-Hydro-ω-hydroxy-poly[oxy(methyl-1,2-ethandiyl)] → Polypropylene glycol (PPG)

Hydroquinone
[123-31-9]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
$\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]$: 0.015
$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: –
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: –
$\text{Peak lim}$: –
$\text{Preg gr}$: –
$\text{Perc abs}$: H
$\text{Sens}$: Sh
$\text{Carc cat}$: 2
$\text{Muta cat}$: 3A

Hydroxyacetic acid butyl ester
[7397-62-8] $\text{HO-CH}_2\text{-CO-O-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-CH}_3$
see section IIb
$\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]$: –
$\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]$: –
$\text{Peak lim}$: –
$\text{Preg gr}$: –

3-Hydroxyaniline → 3-Aminophenol
p-Hydroxyaniline → p-Aminophenol

Hydroxycitronellal
[107-75-5] $\text{OH}$
$\text{RC-CH}_2\text{-CH(CH}_3\text{)(CH}_3\text{)(CH}_3\text{)}$
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
$\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]$: <1
see section IV
$\text{Sens}$: Sh

2-(2-Hydroxyethoxy)-ethylamine
→ 2-(2-Aminoethoxy)ethanol
2-Hydroxyethyl acrylate → Acrylic acid
2-hydroxyethyl ester

1-Hydroxyethyl-2-heptadecenyl-imidazoline
[21652-27-7]

see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

1-Hydroxyethyldiene-1,1-diphosphonic acid
[2809-21-4]

and its sodium and potassium salts

see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

2-Hydroxyethyl methacrylate
[868-77-9]

see section IIb

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)-3-methyl-2-quinoxaline-carboxamide 1,4-dioxide → Olaquindox
(N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)-3-methyl-2-quinoxaline-carboxamide 1,4-dioxide)

β-Hydroxyethyl phenylether
→ 2-Phenoxyethanol

1-(2-Hydroxyethyl)piperidine
→ N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)piperidine

★ N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)piperidine
[3040-44-6]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP [hPa]: 0.271

see section Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: 2
MAK [mg/m³]: 11
Peak lim: K(1)

A momentary value of 5 ml/m³ (27 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: D
Sens: Sh

1-Hydroxy-1′-hydroperoxycyclohexylperoxide
[78-18-2]

see section Xa

Hydroxylamine
[7803-49-8]

and its salts

see section IV

Sens: Sh

1-Hydroxy-2-methoxy-4-(1-propenyl)benzene → Isoeugenol

2-Hydroxymethyl-2-nitro-1,3-propanediol
[126-11-4]

use forbidden as component of metal-working fluids and corrosion inhibitors: see "GefStoffV 2010, Anhang I (zu §16 Absatz 2), Nr. 4"

see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

4-Hydroxy-4-methylpentan-2-one → Diacetone alcohol

4-(4-Hydroxy-4-methyl pentyl)-3-cyclohexene-1-carboxaldehyde (Lyral)
[31906-04-4]

see section IV

Sens: Sh

N-(4-((2-Hydroxy-5-methylphenyl)azo)phenyl)acetamide → Disperse Yellow 3

1-(Hydroxymethyl)propylamine
→ 2-Aminobutanol

3-Hydroxy-2-naphthalene carboxylic acid
[92-70-6]

see section IIb

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak gr: –

3-Hydroxy-2-naphthoic acid
→ 3-Hydroxy-2-naphthalene carboxylic acid

4-Hydroxy-3-nitroaniline
→ 2-Nitro-4-aminophenol

12-Hydroxyoctadecanoic acid
→ 12-Hydrostearic acid
3-Hydroxyphenol $\rightarrow$ Resorcinol

1-Hydroxy-2-phenoxymethane $\rightarrow$ 2-Phenoxymethanol

2-Hydroxy-1,2,3-propanetricarboxylic acid $\rightarrow$ Citric acid

Hydroxypropyl acrylate $\rightarrow$ Acrylic acid hydroxypropyl ester (all isomers)

2-Hydroxypropylamine $\rightarrow$ 1-Amino-2-propanol

2-Hydroxypropyl methacrylate $\rightarrow$ Methacrylic acid 2-hydroxypropyl ester

2-Hydroxypropyl 2-methyl-2-propenoate $\rightarrow$ Methacrylic acid 2-hydroxypropyl ester

1-Hydroxy-2(1H)-pyridinethione sodium salt $\rightarrow$ Sodium pyrithione

12-Hydroxystearic acid

$\text{[106-14-9]}$ \hspace{1cm} \(\text{H}_2\text{C(CH}_2\text{)}_3\text{CH(OH)}(\text{CH}_2\text{)}_7\text{CO}_2\text{H}\)

see section Ib and Xc

- MAK[ml/m$^3$]: –
- MAK[mg/m$^3$]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Hydroxytoluene $\rightarrow$ Benzyl alcohol

1-Hydroxy-2,4,5-trichlorobenzene $\rightarrow$ 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol

IBOA $\rightarrow$ Isobornyl acrylate

Imazalil (Terminalia ivorensis) $\rightarrow$ Woods

Imazalil $\rightarrow$ 1-(2-Allyloxy)-2-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)ethyl)-1H-imidazole

Imidazole

$\text{[288-32-4]}$ \hspace{1cm} \(\text{HN} \quad \text{N}\)

VP[hPa] 3.3×10$^{-3}$

see section Ib

- MAK[ml/m$^3$]: –
- MAK[mg/m$^3$]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

2-Iodo-2-propynyl butylcarbamate

$\text{[55406-53-6]}$ \hspace{1cm} \(\text{O}\)

$1\text{-C}=\text{C}-\text{CH}_3\text{-O-}\text{C}-\text{NH-C}_6\text{H}_4$

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

see section Xc

- MAK[ml/m$^3$]: 0.005
- MAK[mg/m$^3$]: 0.058
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Sens: Sh

Indian ebony (Diospyros ebenum) $\rightarrow$ Woods

Indium phosphide

$\text{[22398-80-7]}$ \hspace{1cm} \(\text{InP}\)

Iodine

$\text{[7553-56-2]}$ \hspace{1cm} \(\text{I}_2\)

and inorganic iodides

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa] 0.31 at 25°C

see section Ib

- MAK[ml/m$^3$]: –
- MAK[mg/m$^3$]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2

Indian ebony (Diospyros ebenum) $\rightarrow$ Woods

Ipe (Tabebuia spp.) $\rightarrow$ Woods

Ipe peroba (Paratecoma peroba) $\rightarrow$ Woods

IPPD $\rightarrow$ N-Isopropyl-N’-phenyl-p-phenylenediamine

Iroko (Chlorophora excelsa) $\rightarrow$ Woods
Iron oxides
(inhalable fraction).
[1345-25-1; 1309-37-1; 1309-38-2; 1317-61-9]
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3
with the exception of iron oxides which are not biologically available

Iron pentacarbonyl
[13463-40-6] Fe(CO)₅
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.1
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.81
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H

Isatoic anhydride → N-Carboxyanthranilic anhydride

Isamyl alcohol (3-Methyl-1-butanol) → Pentanol (isomers)

Isobornyl acrylate
[5888-33-5]

see section IV
Sens: Sh

Isobutane → Butane (both isomers)

Isobutyl chloride → 3-Chloro-2-methylpropene

Isobutyl acetate
[110-19-0]

H₃C-COOCH₂-CH(CH₃)₂
VP[hPa]: 18
MAK[ml/m³]: 100
MAK[mg/m³]: 480
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C

Isobutyl alcohol
[78-83-1]

(H₃C₂)CH-CH₂OH
VP[hPa]: 11.7
MAK[ml/m³]: 100
MAK[mg/m³]: 310
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

Isobutylamine
[78-81-9]

(H₃C₂)CH₂CH₂NH₂
MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 6.1
Peak lim: I(2)
A momentary value of 5 ml/m³ (15 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: D

Isobutyl chloroformate → Chloroformic acid butyl ester

Isobutyl phosphate → Triisobutyl phosphate

Isobutyl vinyl ether
[109-53-5]
H₂C=CH-O-CH₂CH(CH₃)₂CH₂
MAK[ml/m³]: 20
MAK[mg/m³]: 83
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: D

Isocyanatobenzene → Phenyl isocyanate

Isocyanic acid p-chlorophenyl ester → 4-Chlorophenyl isocyanate

Isodecyl olate
[59231-34-4]
CH₂(CH₃)₃COO-C₆H₄CH₃
H₂C=CH(CH₃)₂-CH₂
see section Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: 5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: D

Isoeugenol
[97-54-1]

HO

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
see section IV
Sens: Sh
– trans-Isoeugenol
[5932-68-3]
– cis-Isoeugenol
[591-86-7]

Isoflurane
[26675-46-7]
F₃C-CH₂O-CF₂
VP[hPa]: 320
MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 15
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: D

Isononanoic acid
[3302-10-1]
H₃C-C₆H₄COO-C₆H₄CH₃
H₂C=CH₂CH₂CO₂H
CH₃
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.04
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Isooctadecanol
[27458-93-1]  \( \text{z.B. } \text{HO}-(\text{CH}_2)_{15}-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_{2} \)
see section IIb and Xc
MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Isopentane → Pentane (all isomers)

Isophorone
[78-59-1]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP [hPa]: 0.33
MAK [ml/m³]: 2
MAK [mg/m³]: 11
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Carc cat: 3

Isophorone diamine → 3-Aminomethyl-3,5,5-trimethyl-cyclohexylamine (Isophorone diamine)

Isophorone diisocyanate
[4098-71-9]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP [hPa]: 4×10⁻⁴
MAK [ml/m³]: 0.005
MAK [mg/m³]: 0.046
Peak lim: I(1)
A momentary value of 0.01 ml/m³ (0.092 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: D
Sens: Sah

Isoprene (2-Methyl-1,3-butadiene)
[78-79-5]  \( \text{CH}_{3} \)

VP [hPa]: 733
MAK [ml/m³]: 3
see definition of Carcinogen Category 5 and supporting documentation
MAK [mg/m³]: 8.5
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: C
Carc cat: 5
Muta cat: 5

Isopropanolamine → 1-Amino-2-propanol

Isopropanol
[67-63-0]  \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CH}–\text{CH}_3 \)
see section XII
MAK [ml/m³]: 200
MAK [mg/m³]: 500
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

Isopropenyl acetate
[108-22-5]  \( \text{H}_2\text{C}-\text{COO}–\text{CH}_2–\text{CH}_3 \)

MAK [ml/m³]: 10
MAK [mg/m³]: 46
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D

Isopropenylbenzene → α-Methyl styrene

2-Isopropoxyethanol
[109-59-1]  \((\text{CH}_3)_{2}\text{CH-O-CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}\)

MAK [ml/m³]: 10
MAK [mg/m³]: 43
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Isopropyl acetate → Propylacetate

Isopropyl alcohol
[67-63-0]  \( \text{(H}_3\text{C})_2\text{CH}=\text{OH}\)

VP [hPa]: 44
see section XII
MAK [ml/m³]: 200
MAK [mg/m³]: 500
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

Isopropylamine
[75-31-0]  \( \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CH}–\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2 \)

VP [hPa]: 637
MAK [ml/m³]: 5
MAK [mg/m³]: 12
Peak lim: I(2)
A momentary value of 10 ml/m³ (25 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: C

Isopropylated triphenyl phosphate → Triphenyl phosphate, isopropylated

Isopropylbenzene (cumene)
[98-82-8]  \( \text{CH}_2–\text{CH}–\text{CH}_3 \)

VP [hPa]: 4
see section XII
MAK [ml/m³]: 10
MAK [mg/m³]: 50
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Isopropyl ether
[108-20-3]  \((\text{H}_3\text{C})_2\text{CH-O-CH}_3\text{CH}_2\)

VP [hPa]: 180
MAK [ml/m³]: 200
MAK [mg/m³]: 850
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Isopropyl glycidyl ether (IGE)  
[4016-14-2]  
\[
\begin{array}{c}
O \\
\text{CH}_3 \\
\text{O} \\
\text{CH}_3 \\
\end{array}
\]
- \(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]\): –  
- \(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]\): –  
- Peak lim: –  
- Preg gr: –  
- Carc cat: 3

4,4’-Isopropylidenediphenol → Bisphenol A
4,4’-Isopropylidenediphenol diglycidyl ether → Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether
4-Isopropynitrobenzene → p-Nitrocumene

Isopropyl oil  
residue of isopropyl alcohol production  
- \(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]\): –  
- \(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]\): –  
- Peak lim: –  
- Preg gr: –  
- Carc cat: 3

4-Isopropylphenyl isocyanate  
[31027-31-3]  
\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{H}_2\text{C} \\
\text{NCO} \\
\text{H}_2\text{C} \\
\end{array}
\]
- The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
- \(\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]\): 0.1  
- see section IIb  
  - \(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]\): –  
  - \(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]\): –  
  - Peak lim: –  
  - Preg gr: –  
  - Sens: Sh

N-Isopropyl-N’-phenyl-p-phenylenediamine  
[101-72-4]  
\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{NH} \\
\text{NH} \\
\text{CH(CH}_3)_2 \\
\end{array}
\]
- \(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]\): 2 I  
- Peak lim: II(2)  
- Preg gr: C  
- Sens: Sh

Isostearyl alcohol → Isooctadecanol

Isotridecanol  
[27458-92-0]  
see section IIb and Xc  
- \(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]\): –  
- \(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]\): –  
- Peak lim: –  
- Preg gr: –  

Isotridecyl alcohol → Isotridecanol

Kambala (Chlorophora excelsa) → Woods

Kaolinite  
[1332-58-7] \(\text{Al}_2(\text{OH})_2\text{Si}_2\text{O}_5\cdot\text{H}_2\text{O}\)  
- quartz content must be considered separately  
- \(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]\): –  
- \(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]\): –  
- Peak lim: –  
- Preg gr: –  
- Carc cat: 3

Kepone → Chlordecone

Kerosine (petroleum)  
(aerosol)  
[8008-20-6]  
- see section Xc  
  - \(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]\): 5 R  
  - Peak lim: II(4)  
  - Preg gr: C  
  - Carc cat: 3  
  - applies to skin contact

Kerosine (petroleum)  
(vapour)  
[8008-20-6]  
- see section Xc  
  - \(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]\): 50  
  - \(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]\): 350  
  - Peak lim: II(2)  
  - Preg gr: C  
  - Carc cat: 3  
  - applies to skin contact

Ketene  
[463-51-4] \(\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CO}\)  
- see section IIb  
  - \(\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]\): –  
  - \(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]\): –  
  - Peak lim: –  
  - Preg gr: –

Khaya spp. → Woods

Lapacho (Tabebuia avellanedae) → Woods

Laughing gas → Nitrous oxide

Lauric acid  
[143-07-7] \(\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{COOH}\)  
- The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.  
- \(\text{VP}[\text{hPa}]\): \(2.3\times10^{-5}\) at 25°C  
- see section Xc  
  - \(\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]\): 2 I  
  - Peak lim: I(2)  
  - Preg gr: D

Lauryl alcohol → 1-Dodecanol

Laurylamine dipropylenediamine → N-(3-Aminopropyl)-N-dodecylpropane-1,3-diamine
**Lead**

[7439-92-1] Pb

and its inorganic compounds (inhalable fraction)

except lead arsenate and lead chromate

see section XII

MAK [mg/m³]: 0.004 I

Peak lim: II(8)

Preg gr: A

Carc cat: 4

Muta cat: 3A

Lead arsenate → Arsenic

Lead chromate → Chromium(VI) compounds

Limba (Terminalia superba) → Woods

**D-Limonene**

[5989-27-5]

MAK [ml/m³]: 5

MAK [mg/m³]: 28

Peak lim: II(4)

Preg gr: C

Perc abs: H

Sens: Sh

**D,L-Limonene**

[138-86-3]

and similar mixtures

see section IIb

MAK [ml/m³]: –

MAK [mg/m³]: –

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Sens: Sh

**L-Limonene**

[5989-54-8]

see section IIb

MAK [ml/m³]: –

MAK [mg/m³]: –

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Sens: Sh

**Lindane**

[58-89-9]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP [hPa]: 5.6 × 10⁻⁵

see section XII

MAK [mg/m³]: 0.1 I

Peak lim: II(8)

Preg gr: C

Perc abs: H

Carc cat: 4

**Lithium**

[7439-93-2] Li

and highly irritating lithium compounds (as lithium amide, hydride, hydroxide, nitride, oxide, tetrahydroaluminate, tetrahydroborate)

see section IIb

MAK [ml/m³]: –

MAK [mg/m³]: –

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

**Lithium compounds, inorganic**

(as Li [7439-93-2]) except for lithium and highly irritating lithium compounds (as lithium amide, hydride, hydroxide, nitride, oxide, tetrahydroaluminate, tetrahydroborate)

MAK [mg/m³]: 0.2 I

Peak lim: I(1)

Preg gr: C

**Lithium-12-hydroxystearate**

[7620-77-1]

see section IIb and Xc

**Lithium stearate**

[4485-12-5]

see section IIb and Xc

**Lubricants**

Lubricants contain mixtures of hydrocarbons which can occur as particle-vapour mixtures because of their composition.

see section Xc

Lyral → 4-(4-Hydroxy-4-methyl pentyl)-3-cyclohexene-1-carboxaldehyde (Lyral)

Macassar ebony (Diospyros celebica) → Woods

Machaerium scleroxylon → Woods

**Magnesium oxide**

[1309-48-4] MgO

(inhalable fraction)

see section Vf and g

MAK [mg/m³]: 4 I

Preg gr: C
Magnesium oxide
[1309-48-4] \(\text{MgO}\)
( respirable fraction)
except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh
see section Vf

\[
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3] : 0.3 \\
\text{Peak lim: II(8)} \\
\text{Preg gr: C} \\
\text{Carc cat: 4}
\]

Magnesium oxide sulfate
[12286-12-3] \(\text{MgSO}_4 \cdot 5 \text{MgO} \cdot 8 \text{H}_2\text{O}\)
(fibrous dust)
see section III

\[
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: – \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: – \\
\text{Peak lim: } – \\
\text{Preg gr: } – \\
\text{Carc cat: 3}
\]

Magnesium oxide fume
[1309-48-4] \(\text{MgO}\)
see section IIb and Vh

\[
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: – \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: – \\
\text{Peak lim: } – \\
\text{Preg gr: } – \\
\]

Mahogany, African (Khaya spp.) → Woods

Mahogany, American (Swietenia spp.) → Woods

Makoré (Tieghemella heckelii) → Woods

Malathion
[121-75-5]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: & \ 15 \ I \\
\text{Peak lim: } & \ \text{II}(4) \\
\text{Preg gr: } & \ D \\
\end{align*}
\]

Maleic anhydride
[108-31-6]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP[Pa]: } 0.151 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \ 0.02 \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \ 0.081 \\
\text{Peak lim: } \ \text{II}(1) \\
\text{A momentary value of } 0.05 \text{ ml/m}^3 (0.20 \text{ mg/m}^3) \text{ should not be exceeded.} \\
\text{Preg gr: C} \\
\text{Sens: Sah}
\]

Manganese
[7439-96-5] \(\text{Mn}\)
and its inorganic compounds
( respirable fraction)
see section XII

\[
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 0.2 \ I \\
\text{Peak lim: II(8)} \\
\text{Permanganates: Peak limitation category II(1)} \\
\text{Preg gr: C}
\]

Manganese(II,III) oxide → Manganese

Manganese
[7439-96-5] \(\text{Mn}\)
and its inorganic compounds
( inhhalable fraction)
see section XII

\[
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 0.02 \ R \\
\text{Peak lim: II(8)} \\
\text{Permanganates: Peak limitation category II(1)} \\
\text{Preg gr: C}
\]

Manganous ethylenebis(dithiocarbamate)
(Maneb)
[12427-38-2] \(\text{Mn}^{2+}\)

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{Sens: Sh}
\end{align*}
\]

Manganous-manganic oxide → Manganese

Man-made mineral fibres (fibrous dust)
see section III

\[
\text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: – \\
\text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: – \\
\text{Peak lim: } – \\
\text{Preg gr: } – \\
\]

Pruno (Mansonia altissima) → Woods

Mansonia altissima → Woods

Mastic asphalt → Bitumen (high-temperature processing, vapours and aerosols)

MBT → 2-Mercaptobenzothiazole

MDI → 4,4’-Methylene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI)

MDI oligomers → “polymeric MDI”

Mechlorethamine → N-Methyl-bis (2-chloroethyl)amine (nitrogen mustard)

Medicines, carcinogenic
see section III
Merbromin
[129-16-8]

see section IV
Sens: Sh

2-Mercaptocacetates → Thioglycolates
Mercaptocetic acid → Thioglycolic acid

★ 2-Mercaptobenzothiazole
[149-30-4]

VP[hPa]: <2.53×10⁻⁶ at 25°C
see section Xc
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 3

2-Mercaptobenzothiazole disulfide → 2,2ʹ-Dibenzothiazyl disulfide
2-Mercaptoimidazoline → Ethylene thiourea

Mercury
[7439-97-6] Hg

and its inorganic compounds (as Hg)
see section XII
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.02 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 3

Mercury, organic compounds
see section XII
MAK[mg/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 3

Mesitylene (1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene)
→ Trimethylbenzene (all isomers)

Mesityl oxide → 4-Methyl-3-penten-2-one

Metal-working fluids
Metal-working fluids contain mixtures of hydrocarbons which can occur as particle-vapour mixtures as a result of their composition.
see section Xc

Metal-working fluids which contain nitrite or nitrite-forming compounds and substances which react with nitrite to yield nitrosamines

Methacrylic acid
[79-41-4] H₂C-C(CH₃)-COOH
VP[hPa]: 0.9
MAK[mg/m³]: 50
MAK[mg/m³]: 180
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C

Methacrylic acid ethyl ester
[97-63-2] H₂C-C(CH₃)-COOCH₂CH₃

see section IV
Sens: Sh

Methacrylic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester
→ 2-Hydroxyethyl methacrylate

Methacrylic acid 2-hydroxypropyl ester
[923-26-2] H₂C-C(CH₃)-COO-CH₂-CH₂-CH-CH₂-OH

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.096 at 25°C (calculated value)
see section IV
Sens: Sh

Methacrylic acid methyl ester
[80-62-6] H₂C-C(CH₃)-COOCH₃

VP[hPa]: 47
MAK[mg/m³]: 50
MAK[mg/m³]: 210
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Sens: Sh

N,Nʹ-Methanetetraylbiscyclohexanamine
→ Dicyclohexylcarbodiimide

Methanethiol → Methyl mercaptan

Methanol
[67-56-1] H₃COH
VP[hPa]: 128
see section XII
MAK[mg/m³]: 100
MAK[mg/m³]: 130
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Methenamine 3-chloroallylchloride
[4080-31-3]
releases formaldehyde
see section Xc
MAK\[mg/m³\]: 2 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: B
Sens: Sh

Methoxyacetic acid
[625-45-6] H₃C-O-CH₂-COOH
VP[hPa]: 1.8
MAK\[ml/m³\]: 1
MAK\[mg/m³\]: 3.7
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: B
Perc abs: H

2-Methoxyaniline → o-Anisidine
4-Methoxyaniline → p-Anisidine

3-Methoxy-n-butyl acetate
[4435-53-4] \(\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
CH₂⁻\(\text{CH}_2\)⁻\(\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
see section IIb
MAK\[ml/m³\]: –
MAK\[mg/m³\]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Methoxychlor (DMDT)
[72-43-5]
\(\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
\(\text{Cl} \quad \text{Cl} \quad \text{Cl} \quad \text{Cl}\)
\(\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
MAK\[mg/m³\]: 1 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: B
Perc abs: H

2-Methoxyethanol
[109-86-4] H₂O-CH₂-CH₂-OH
VP[hPa]: ~1
see section XII
MAK\[ml/m³\]: 1
MAK\[mg/m³\]: 3.2
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: B
Perc abs: H

2-[2-(2-Methoxyethoxy)ethoxy]ethanol
→ Triethylene glycol monomethyl ether

2-Methoxyethyl acetate
[110-49-6] H₂O-CH₂-CH₂OOC-CH₃
VP[hPa]: 9
see section XII
MAK\[ml/m³\]: 1
MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of 2-methoxyethanol and 2-methoxyethyl acetate in the air.
MAK\[mg/m³\]: 4.9
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: B
Perc abs: H

2-Methoxy-5-methylaniline
→ 5-Methyl-o-anisidine
2-Methoxy-2-methylpropane → tert-Butyl methyl ether
1-Methoxy-2-nitrobenzene → 2-Nitroanisole

1-Methoxy-2-propanol
[107-98-2] H₃C-CHOH-CH₂OCH₃
VP[hPa]: 12
see section XII
MAK\[ml/m³\]: 100
MAK\[mg/m³\]: 370
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C

2-Methoxy-1-propanol
→ 2-Methoxypropanol-1

2-Methoxypropanol-1
[1589-47-5]
\(\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{O} \quad \text{OH}\)
\(\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{O} \quad \text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
VP[hPa]: 6
MAK\[ml/m³\]: 5
MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of 2-methoxypropanol-1 and 2-methoxypropylacetate-1 in the air.
MAK\[mg/m³\]: 19
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: B
Perc abs: H

2-Methoxy-4-(2-propenyl)phenol → Eugenol
2-Methoxy-4-(1-propenyl)phenol → Isoeugenol

1-Methoxypropyl-2-acetate
[108-65-6]
\(\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
\(\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
\(\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
\(\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
\(\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
\(\text{O} \quad \text{CH}_3\)
MAK\[ml/m³\]: 50
MAK\[mg/m³\]: 270
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C
**2-Methoxypropylacetate-1**

[70657-70-4]

![Chemical Structure](image1)

**VP[hPa]:** 4.17 at 25°C  
**MAK[ml/m³]:** 5  
**MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of 2-methoxypropanol-1 and 2-methoxypropylacetate-1 in the air.**

**MAK[mg/m³]:** 27  
**Peak lim:** I(2)  
**Preg gr:** B  
**Perc abs:** H

2-Methoxypropyl-1-acetate → 2-Methoxypropylacetate-1

2-Methyl-2,4-pentanediol → Hexylene glycol

**Methyl acetate**

[79-20-9]  
H₃C-COOC₂H₅

**VP[hPa]:** 220  
**MAK[ml/m³]:** 100  
**MAK[mg/m³]:** 310  
**Peak lim:** I(4)  
**Preg gr:** C

**Methyl acetylene**

[74-99-7]  
H₃C-C≡CH

see section IIb  
**MAK[ml/m³]:** –  
**MAK[mg/m³]:** –  
**Peak lim:** –  
**Preg gr:** –

**Methyl acrylate**

[96-33-3]  
H₂C=CH-COOC₂H₅

**VP[hPa]:** 89  
**MAK[ml/m³]:** 2  
**MAK[mg/m³]:** 7.1  
**Peak lim:** I(2)  
**Preg gr:** C  
**Perc abs:** H  
**Sens:** Sh

Methylal → Dimethoxymethane

Methyl alcohol → Methanol

2-Methylallyl chloride → 3-Chloro-2-methylpropene

**Methylamine**

[74-89-5]  
H₃C-NH₂

**MAK[ml/m³]:** 5  
**MAK[mg/m³]:** 6.4  
**Peak lim:** I(2)  
An momentary value of 10 ml/m³ (13 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.  
**Preg gr:** C

1-Methyl-2-amino-5-chlorobenzene → 4-Chloro-o-toluidine

**4-Methylaniline → p-Toluidine**

**N-Methylaniline**

[100-61-8]

![Chemical Structure](image2)

Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosomethylaniline, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.

**MAK[ml/m³]:** 0.5  
**MAK[mg/m³]:** 2.2  
**Peak lim:** II(2)  
**Preg gr:** D  
**Perc abs:** H  
**Carc cat:** 3

5-Methyl-o-anisidine

[120-71-8]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

**VP[hPa]:** 0.033 at 25°C (calculated value)  
**MAK[ml/m³]:** –  
**MAK[mg/m³]:** –  
**Peak lim:** –  
**Preg gr:** –  
**Carc cat:** 2

**Methylarsonic compounds**

**Methyl benzimidazol-2-ylcarbamate → Carbendazim**

**Methyl-1H-benzotriazole**

[29385-43-1]

see section IIb and Xc  
**MAK[ml/m³]:** –  
**MAK[mg/m³]:** –  
**Peak lim:** –  
**Preg gr:** –  
**Carc cat:** 1  
**Muta cat:** 3A

N-Methyl-bis(2-chloroethyl)amine (nitrogen mustard)

[51-75-2]  
(CH₂C-CH₂)₂N-CH₂

**MAK[ml/m³]:** –  
**MAK[mg/m³]:** –  
**Peak lim:** –  
**Preg gr:** –  
**Perc abs:** H  
**Sens:** Sh  
**Carc cat:** 1  
**Muta cat:** 2
Methyl bromide
[74-83-9] CH₂Br

see section XII

MAK[ml/m³]: 1
MAK[mg/m³]: 3.9
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Carc cat: 3

2-Methyl-1,3-butadiene → Isoprene
(2-Methyl-1,3-butadiene)

1-Methylbutyl acetate → Amyl acetate (all isomers)

2-Methylbutyl acetate → Amyl acetate (all isomers)

3-Methylbutyl acetate → Amyl acetate (all isomers)

Methyl-tert-butyl ether → tert-Butyl methyl ether

Methyl butyl ketone → 2-Hexanone

Methyldiethanolamine
[105-59-9] H₄C-N(CH₂-CH₂-OH)₂

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 2.7×10⁻⁴ at 25°C

see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

4-Methyl-1,3-dioxolan-2-one
[108-32-7] 

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.04

see section Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 8.5
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

Methylene bis(dibutyl dithiocarbamate)
[10254-57-6] (inhalable fraction)

see section Xc

MAK[mg/m³]: 20 I
Peak lim: II(9)
Preg gr: D
Methylene bis(dibutylidithiocarbamate)

[10254-57-6]
(respirable fraction)

see section Xc

MAK [mg/m³]: 5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: D

4,4′-Methylenebis(2-chloroaniline) (MOCA)

[101-14-4]

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

Methylene bis(4-cyclohexylisocyanate)
→ 4,4′-Diisocyanato-methylenedicyclohexane

4,4′-Methylenebis(2,6-di-tert-butylphenol)

[118-82-1]

see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

4,4′-Methylenebis(N,N-diglycidylaniline) → Tetraglycidyl-4,4′-methylenedianiline

4,4′-Methylenebis(N,N-dimethylaniline)

[101-61-1]

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 2

4,4′-Methylenebis(N,N-dimethyl)benzenamine → 4,4′-Methylenebis(N,N-dimethylaniline)

4,4′-Methylenebis(2-methylaniline)

[838-88-0]

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

N,N′-Methylenebis(5-methyloxazolidine)

[66204-44-2]

see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

2,2′-(Methylenebis(p-phenyleneoxymethylene))
bisoxirane → Bisphenol F diglycidyl ether

Methylene chloride → Dichloromethane

4,4′-Methylene dianiline → 4,4′-Diaminodiphenylmethane

4,4′-Methylenebisdimorpholine

[5625-90-1]

releases formaldehyde
see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

4,4′-Methylene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI)

[101-68-8]
(inhalable fraction) see also "polymeric MDI"
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP [hPa]: 7×10⁻⁶
see section XII

MAK [mg/m³]: 0.05 I
Peak lim: I(1)
A momentary value of 0.1 mg/m³ should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sah
Carc cat: 4

Methyl ether → Dimethyl ether

2-(1-Methylethoxy)ethanol → 2-Isopropoxyethanol

4,4′-(1-Methylethylidene)bisphenol → Bisphenol A

Methyl ethyl ketone → 2-Butanone
Methyl ethyl ketone peroxide

[1338-23-4]

see section Xa

Methyl ethyl ketoxime → Butanone oxime

1-(1-Methyl-ethyl)-4-nitrobenzene → p-Nitrocumene

N,N-Methyl-ethylethynitrosoamine → N-Nitrosomethylamine

N-(1-Methyl-ethyl)-N’-phenyl-1,4-benzene-diamine → N-Isopropyl-N’-phenyl-p-phenylenediamine

Methyl formate → Formic acid methyl ester

Methyl glycol → 2-Methoxyethanol

Methyl glycol acetate → 2-Methoxyethyl acetate

5-Methyl-3-heptanone

[541-85-5] \( \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CO-CH}_2\text{CH(}\text{CH}_3\text{)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)

VP(hPa): 2.4

MAK[ml/m³]: 10

MAK[mg/m³]: 53

Peak lim: l(2)

Preg gr: D

Methyl-2-hexanone

[110-12-3] \( \text{CH}_3\text{CO-CH}_2\text{CH(}\text{CH}_3\text{)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \)

VP(hPa): 6

MAK[ml/m³]: 10

MAK[mg/m³]: 47

Peak lim: l(2)

Preg gr: D

Methyl iodide

[74-88-4] \( \text{H}_3\text{C-I} \)

VP(hPa): 438

MAK[ml/m³]: –

MAK[mg/m³]: –

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Perc abs: H

Carc cat: 2

Methyl isobutyl carbinol → 4-Methyl-2-pentanol

Methyl isobutyl ketone → Hexone

Methyl isocyanate

[624-83-9] \( \text{H}_3\text{C-NCO} \)

VP(hPa): 513

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.01

MAK[mg/m³]: 0.024

Peak lim: l(1)

Preg gr: D

2-Methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one

[2682-20-4] \( \text{S}^\text{N}^\text{CH}_3 \)

see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –

MAK[mg/m³]: –

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Sens: Sh

2-Methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one → 5-Chloro-2-methyl-2,3-dihydroisothiazol-3-one and 2-Methyl-2,3-dihydroisothiazol-3-one

2-Methylisothiazolone → 2-Methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one

Methyl mercaptan

[74-93-1] \( \text{H}_3\text{C-SH} \)

VP(hPa): 1710

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5

MAK[mg/m³]: 1.0

Peak lim: l(1)

Preg gr: D

Methyl mercaptan: Mercury, organic compounds

Methyl methacrylate → Methacrylic acid methyl ester

2-Methyl-4-[(2-methylphenyl)azo]benzenamine → o-Aminoaotoluen

1-Methyl-3-nitrobenzene → 3-Nitrotoluene

1-Methyl-4-nitrobenzene → 4-Nitrotoluene

2,2’-[[3-Methyl-4-[(4-nitrophenyl)azo]phenyl]-imino]bisethanol → Disperse Red 17

N-Methyl-N-nitrosoaniline → N-Nitrosomethylphenylamine

(Z)-N-Methyl-N-(1-oxo-9-octadecenyl)glycine → Oleyl sarcosine

2-Methylpentane → Hexane (all isomers except n-Hexane) and Methylcyclopentane

3-Methylpentane → Hexane (all isomers except n-Hexane) and Methylcyclopentane
2-Methyl-2,4-pentanediol → Hexylene glycol

4-Methyl-2-pentanol

\[ \text{H}_2\text{C} \text{CH}_2 \text{CH}_2 \text{CHOH-CH}_3 \]

VP[hPa]: 7

MAK[ml/m³]: 20
MAK[mg/m³]: 85
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: D

4-Methyl-2-pentanone → Hexone

2-Methyl-2-penten-4-one → 4-Methyl-3-penten-2-one

4-Methyl-3-penten-2-one

\[ \text{H}_2\text{C}_2 \text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{CH}_3 \]

VP[hPa]: 19.31 at 25°C

MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 8.1
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H

2-[(2-Methylphenoxy)-methyl]oxirane → Cresyl glycidyl ethers

4-Methylphenyl diiodomethyl sulfone → 4-(Diiodomethylsulfonyl)-toluene

Methylphenyl diphenyl phosphate → Diphenyl cresyl phosphate

2-Methyl-1-propanamine → Isobutylamine

★ 2-Methyl-2-propanethiol

\[ \text{SH} \text{H}_2\text{C}-\text{CH}_3 \]

VP[hPa]: 241

MAK[ml/m³]: 1
Even if the MAK value is observed, “odour-associated” symptoms cannot be ruled out in individual cases, see Section I e.

MAK[mg/m³]: 3.7
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh

2-Methyl-2-propenoic acid 1,2-ethanediyl ester → Ethylene glycol dimethacrylate

2-Methyl-2-propenoic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester → 2-Hydroxyethyl methacrylate

2-Methyl-2-propenoic acid 2-hydroxypropyl ester → Methacrylic acid 2-hydroxypropyl ester

Methyl propyl ketone → 2-Pentanone

1-Methylpyrene

\[ \text{[2381-21-7]} \]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

N-Methyl-2-pyrrolidone

\[ \text{[872-50-4]} \]

(vapour)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.32

see section XII

MAK[ml/m³]: 20
MAK[mg/m³]: 82
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

α-Methyl styrene

\[ \text{[98-83-9]} \]

VP[hPa]: 3

MAK[ml/m³]: 50
MAK[mg/m³]: 250
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D

Methyl styrene (all isomers)

\[ \text{[25013-15-4]} \]

2-Methylstyrene [611-15-4]
3-Methylstyrene [100-80-1]
4-Methylstyrene [622-97-9]

VP[hPa]: 1.5-2

MAK[ml/m³]: 20
MAK[mg/m³]: 98
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D

Methyltetrahydrophthalic anhydride

\[ \text{[11070-44-3]} \]

see section IV

Sens: Sa
N-Methyl-N,2,4,6-tetranitroaniline
[479-45-8]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{O}_2\text{N} & \quad \text{N} & \quad \text{N} & \quad \text{N} & \quad \text{NO}_2 \\
\text{CH}_3 & & & & \\
\end{align*}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
carc cat: 3

Methyltin compounds
(as Sn [7440-31-5])

– Monomethyltin compounds
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.004
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.02
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C
Sens: –
For methyltin compounds whose organic ligands were already designated with “Sa” or “Sh”, these designations also apply.

– except
– Methyltin tris(isooctylmercaptoacetate) (MMT (IOMA))
[54849-38-6]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.02 at 25°C
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.2
MAK[mg/m³]: 1
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: B
Sens: –
For methyltin compounds whose organic ligands were already designated with “Sa” or “Sh”, these designations also apply.

– a n d
– Bis[methyltin di(isooctylmercaptoacetate)]sulfide
– a n d
– Bis[methyltin di(2-mercaptoethyloleate)]sulfide

– Dimethyltin compounds
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.004
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.02
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C
Sens: –
For methyltin compounds whose organic ligands were already designated with “Sa” or “Sh”, these designations also apply.

– except
– Dimethyltin bis(isooctylmercaptoacetate) (DMT (IOMA))
[26636-01-1]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 4.4×10⁻³ at 25°C
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.01
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.05
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Sens: –
For methyltin compounds whose organic ligands were already designated with “Sa” or “Sh”, these designations also apply.

– a n d
– Dimethyltin bis(2-ethylhexylmercaptoacetate) (DMT (2-EHMA))
[57583-35-4]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 4.4×10⁻³ at 25°C

– a n d
– Bis[dimethyltin(isooctylmercaptoacetate)]sulfide
– a n d
– Bis[dimethyltin(2-mercaptopoethyloleate)]sulfide

– Trimethyltin compounds
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.001
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.005
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H
Sens: –
For methyltin compounds whose organic ligands were already designated with “Sa” or “Sh”, these designations also apply.

– Tetramethyltin
[594-27-4]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 147 at 25°C
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.001
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.005
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H

Methyltribromide → Tribromomethane
Methyltriglycol → Triethylene glycol
Monomethyl ether

Methyl vinyl ether
[107-25-5]

H₂C=CH-O-CH₃

VP[hPa]: 1756
MAK[ml/m³]: 200
MAK[mg/m³]: 480
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Methyl vinyl ketone
[78-94-4]

see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh

Mevinphos
[7786-34-7]

see documentation “Phosdrin”. The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 1.7×10⁻⁴
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.01
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.093
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: H

Michler’s ketone
[90-94-8]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 2

Microbial rennets: endothiapepsin and mucorpepsin
see section IV
Sens: Sa

Mineral oils (petroleum), severely refined
[92062-35-6; 72623-83-7; 92045-44-8; 92045-45-9]

MAK[mg/m³]: 5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: C

Mist
see section V

Molybdenum trioxide
[1313-27-5] \(\text{MoO}_3\)

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Molybdic anhydride → Molybdenum trioxide

Molybdic trioxide → Molybdenum trioxide

Monochloroacetic acid
[79-11-8] \(\text{CH}_2\text{COOH}\)

see also Sodium monochloroacetate

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol. See also Sodium monochloroacetate.

VP[hPa]: 0.021
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5
MAK[mg/m³]: 2.0
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

Monochlorodifluoromethane → Chlorodifluoromethane (FC-22)

Monochlorodimethyl ether
[107-30-2] \(\text{H}_3\text{C-O-CH}_2\text{Cl}\)

The classification in Category 1 applies to technical monochlorodimethyl ether which can be contaminated with up to 7% bischloromethyl ether.

VP[hPa]: 213
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 1

Monochloronaphthalenes → Chlorinated naphthalenes

Monocyclic aromatic amino and nitro compounds
see section III

Monoisopropanolamine → 1-Amino-2-propanol

Monomethylhydrazine
[60-34-4] \(\text{H}_3\text{C-NH-NH}_2\)

VP[hPa]: 66.66 at 25°C
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B

Monomethyltin compounds → Methyltin compounds
Mono-n-octyltin compounds → n-Octyltin compounds

**Montmorillonite**

\[ \text{Na}_{4.74}[(\text{Al}_{1.25}\text{Mg}_{0.75})(\text{OH})_{2}]_{0.77}\text{Si}_{1.23}\text{O}_{2.07} + \text{H} \]

and Bentonite \[1302-78-9]\n
quartz content must be considered separately

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m\(^3\)]: –

MAK[mg/m\(^3\)]: –

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

★ **Morpholine**

\[110-91-8\]

Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted: see TRGS 611.

Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosomorpholine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.

\[ \text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: 9.8 \]

MAK[ml/m\(^3\)]: 5

MAK[mg/m\(^3\)]: 18

Peak lim: I(1)

A momentary value of 10 ml/m\(^3\) (36 mg/m\(^3\)) should not be exceeded.

Preg gr: C

2-(Morpholiniothio)benzothiazole

→ 2-(4-Morpholinylmercapto)benzothiazole

Morpholinyl carbonyl chloride

→ N-Chloroformylmorpholine

**2-(4-Morpholinylmercapto)benzothiazole**

\[102-77-2\]

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m\(^3\)]: –

MAK[mg/m\(^3\)]: –

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Sens: Sh

Mucorpepsin → Microbial rennets: endothiapepsin and mucorpepsin

**Myristic acid**

\[544-63-8\]

CH\(_2\)(CH\(_2\))\(_{17}\)COOH

see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m\(^3\)]: –

MAK[mg/m\(^3\)]: –

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

**Naled**

\[300-76-5\]

\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{Br} \\
\text{Cl} \\
\text{O} \\
\text{O}
\end{array}
\]

MAK[mg/m\(^3\)]: 0.5 I

Peak lim: II(2)

Preg gr: C

Perc abs: H

Sens: Sh

**Naphtha (petroleum)**

Hydrotreated, heavy

\[64742-48-9\]

see section Xc

MAK[ml/m\(^3\)]: 50

MAK[mg/m\(^3\)]: 300

Peak lim: II(2)

Preg gr: D

Naphthalane → Decahydronaphthalene

**Naphthalene**

\[91-20-3\]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP}[\text{hPa}]: 0.072 \]

see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

MAK[ml/m\(^3\)]: –

MAK[mg/m\(^3\)]: –

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Perc abs: H

Carc cat: 2

Muta cat: 3B

**1,8-Naphthalic anhydride**

\[81-84-5\]

see section IV

Sens: Sh

**Naphthenic acids and sodium, calcium, potassium napthenates**

[1338-24-5; 61790-13-4; 61799-36-4; 66072-98-9]

(technical mixtures)

see section Xc

MAK[ml/m\(^3\)]: –

MAK[mg/m\(^3\)]: –

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Carc cat: 3
2-Naphthylamine
[91-59-8]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: $3.4 \times 10^{-4}$ at 25°C
see section XII
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 1
Muta cat: 3A

1,5-Naphthylene diisocyanate
[3173-72-6]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
see section XII
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

1-Naphthylthiourea
[86-88-4]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Natural latex → Natural rubber latex

Natural rubber → Natural rubber latex

Natural rubber latex
[9006-04-6]
see section IV
Sens: Sah

Nickel and nickel compounds
(inhalable fraction)

Regarding compounds which have been found to be unequivocally carcinogenic in man, see Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten, available from the publisher: Wiley-VCH, D-69451 Weinheim.

see section XII
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sah
Carc cat: 1

– Metallic nickel
[7440-02-0] Ni
– Nickel acetate
[373-02-4] Ni(OOC-CH₃)₂
– Nickel carbonate
[3333-67-3] NiCO₃
– Nickel chloride
[7718-54-9] NiCl₂
– Nickel monoxide
[1313-99-1] NiO
– Nickel dioxide
[12035-36-8] NiO₂
– Nickel sesquioxide
[1314-06-3] Ni₂O₃
– Nickel hydroxide
[12054-48-7] Ni(OH)₂
– Nickel sulfide
[16812-54-7] NiS
– Nickel subsulfide
[12035-72-2] Ni₂S₂
– Nickel sulfate
[7786-81-4] NiSO₄

Nickel alloys
Sens: –
For nickel alloys containing bio-available nickel see Nickel and nickel compounds.

Nickel titanic yellow pigment
[8007-18-9] (Ti₂Sb₂Ni)O₂
see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Nicotine
[54-11-5]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[hPa]: } 0.056 \]

**see section IIb**

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } - \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } - \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: } \text{H} \]

Nitric acid
[7697-37-2] \( \text{HNO}_3 \)

**see section IIb**

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } - \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } - \]

Nitritotriacetic acid
[139-13-9] \( \text{N(CH}_2\text{OH})_3 \)

**and its sodium salts**

Avoid simultaneous exposure to iron compounds (formation of FeNTA)

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 2 \]
\[ \text{as acid} \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } \text{II}(4) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } \text{C} \]
\[ \text{Carc cat: 4} \]

– **Monosodium nitritotriacetate**
[18994-66-6]

– **Disodium nitritotriacetate**
[15467-20-6]

– **Disodium nitritotriacetate monohydrate**
[23255-03-0]

– **Trisodium nitritotriacetate**
[5064-31-3]

– **Trisodium nitritotriacetate monohydrate**
[18682-53-8]

5-Nitroacenaphthene
[602-87-9]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[hPa]: } 3.6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ at } 25^\circ \text{C (calculated value)} \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } - \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } - \]
\[ \text{Carc cat: 2} \]

4-Nitro-4′-aminodiphenylamine-2-sulfonic acid
[91-29-2]

**see section IV**

\[ \text{Sens: } \text{Sh} \]

2-Nitro-4-aminophenol
[119-34-6]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } - \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } - \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: } \text{H} \]
\[ \text{Carc cat: 3} \]

4-Nitro-2-aminotoluene – 5-Nitro-o-toluidine

4-Nitroaniline
[100-01-6]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } - \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } - \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: } \text{H} \]
\[ \text{Carc cat: 3} \]

2-Nitroanisole
[91-23-6]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[hPa]: } 4.8 \times 10^{-5} \text{ at } 25^\circ \text{C} \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } - \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } - \]
\[ \text{Carc cat: 2} \]

Nitrobenzene
[98-95-3]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[hPa]: } 0.3 \]

**see section XII**

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 0.1 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 0.51 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim: } \text{II}(4) \]
\[ \text{Preg gr: } \text{C} \]
\[ \text{Perc abs: } \text{H} \]
\[ \text{Carc cat: 4} \]

2-Nitro-1,4-benzenediamine

\[ \rightarrow \text{2-Nitro-p-phenylenediamine} \]
3-Nitrobenzoic acid
[121-92-6]

\[
\text{O}_2\text{N} - \text{CO}_2\text{H}
\]

VP[hPa]: \(5 \times 10^{-5}\) at 25°C (calculated value)
see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

4-Nitrobenzoic acid
[62-23-7]

\[
\text{NO}_2 - \text{CO}_2\text{H}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: 1 I
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D
Carc cat: 3

4-Nitrobiphenyl
[92-93-3]

\[
\text{NO}_2
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

4-(2-Nitrobutyl)morpholine (70% w/w) and 4,4ʹ-(2-Ethyl-2-nitro-1,3-propandiyl)bis-morpholin (20% w/w)
[2224-44-4; 1854-23-5]

(mixture)
In this mixture formaldehyde can be released and nitrosamines formed. Use forbidden as component of metal-working fluids and corrosion inhibitors: see “GefStoffV 2010, Anhang II (zu §16 Absatz 2), Nr. 4”.
see section Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5
MAK[mg/m³]: 4.2
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D
Sens: Sh

o-Nitrochlorobenzene → o-Chloronitrobenzene

m-Nitrochlorobenzene
→ m-Chloronitrobenzene

p-Nitrochlorobenzene → p-Chloronitrobenzene

p-Nitrocumene
[1817-47-6]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.02 at 25°C (calculated value)
see section IV
Sens: Sh

4-Nitrodiphenyl → 4-Nitrobiphenyl

Nitroethane
[79-24-3]

\[
\text{H}_2\text{C-CH}_2\text{NO}_2
\]

VP[hPa]: 20.8
MAK[ml/m³]: 10
MAK[mg/m³]: 31
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H

4-Nitro-4ʹ-[N-ethyl-N-(2-hydroxyethyl)-amino]azobenzene → Disperse Red 1

Nitrogen dioxide
[10102-44-0]

\[
\text{NO}_2
\]

VP[hPa]: 960
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.95
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: D
Carc cat: 3

Nitrogen monoxide
[10102-43-9]

\[
\text{NO}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.63
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D
Carc cat: 3

Nitrogen oxide → Nitrous oxide

Nitroglycerin
[55-63-0]

see section XII
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.01
MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of ethylene glycol dinitrate, nitroglycerin and propylene glycol dinitrate in the air.
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.094
Peak lim: II(1)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Nitroglycol → Ethylene glycol dinitrate

Nitromethane
[75-52-5]

\[
\text{H}_3\text{C-NO}_2
\]

VP[hPa]: 37
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3
1-Nitronaphthalene
[86-57-7]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.002 at 25°C (calculated value)

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

2-Nitronaphthalene
[581-89-5]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 3.5×10⁻⁴ at 25°C (calculated value)

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 2

4-(4-Nitrophenylazo)aniline → Disperse Orange 3

2-Nitro-p-phenylenediamine
[5307-14-2]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 3

1-Nitropropane
[108-03-2]

H₂C-(CH₂)₂-NO₂

Technical products measurably contaminated with 2-nitropropane, see 2-Nitropropane.

MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 7.4
Peak lim: I(8)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

2-Nitropropane
[79-46-9]

(H₃C)₂CH-NO₂

VP[hPa]: 17

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

Nitropyrenes (Mono-, Di-, Tri-, Tetra-) (isomers)

N₁₀H₁₀₄(NO₂)ₙ ; n = 1 - 4

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Nitrosamines (formed from amines)
see section III

N-Nitroso-bis(2-hydroxyethyl)amine → N-Nitrosodiethanolamine
N-Nitroso-cyclohexylhydroxylamine, potassium salt → Cyclohexylhydroxydiazene-1-oxide, potassium salt

N-Nitrosodi-n-butylamine
[924-16-3]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.06 at 25°C

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

N-Nitrosodiethanolamine
[1116-54-7]

HO-NO-N-CH₂OH

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

N-Nitrosodiethylamine
[55-18-5]

H₃C-N-O CH₃

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
N-Nitrosodiisopropylamine
[601-77-4]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.35 at 25°C (calculated value)
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

N-Nitrosodimethylamine
[62-75-9]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

N-Nitrosodiphenylamine
[86-30-6]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

N-Nitrosodi-n-propylamine
[621-64-7]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.12 at 25°C (calculated value)
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

Nitrosoethylaniline
→ N-Nitrosomethylaniline

N-Nitrosomethylethylamine
[10595-95-6]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

N-Nitrosomethylphenylamine
[614-00-6]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

N-Nitrosomorpholine
[59-89-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.05 at 25°C (calculated value)
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

4-Nitrosophenol
[104-91-6]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.20 at 25°C (calculated value)
see section IV

N-Nitroso-N-phenylaniline
→ N-Nitrosodiphenylamine

N-Nitrosopiperidine
[100-75-4]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.12 at 25°C (calculated value)
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
N-Nitrosopyrrolidine
[930-55-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.08
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

2-Nitrotoluene
[88-72-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.20
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

3-Nitrotoluene
[99-08-1]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.20
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

4-Nitrotoluene
[99-99-0]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.22 at 25°C
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

5-Nitro-o-toluidine
[99-55-8]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 2

Nitrous oxide
[10024-97-2]

MAK[ml/m³]: 100
MAK[mg/m³]: 180
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

3,3,4,4,5,5,6,6,6-Nonafluoro-1-hexene → 1H,1H,2H-Perfluorohexene

Nonanedionio acid → Azelaic acid

(4-Nonylphenoxy)acetic acid
[3115-49-9]

see section IIb and Xc

Oakmoss extracts
see section IV
Sens: Sh

Oak wood dust
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 1
Dusts have been shown epidemiologically to be unequivocally carcinogenic. The active carcinogenic principle has not been identified to date.

Obeche (Triplochiton scleroxylon) → Woods

Ocratoxin A
[303-47-9]

VP[hPa]: 4.4×10⁻¹⁶
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B
Octadecanoic acid → Stearic acid
1-Octadecanol
[112-92-5] \( \text{HO-}(\text{CH}_2)_{17}-\text{CH}_3 \)
see section IIb and Xc
- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

9-Octadecenoic acid → Oleic acid
9-Octadecenoic acid decyl ester → n-Decyl olate
Octadecyl 3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxy-phenyl)propionate → 3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl propionic acid octadecyl ester

Octane (all isomers except trimethylpentane isomers)
\( \text{H}_5\text{C-CH}_12\text{-CH}_3 \)
- VP [hPa]: 15
  - MAK [ml/m³]: 500
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 2400
  - Peak lim: II(2)
  - Preg gr: D

1,8-Octanedicarboxylic acid → Sebacic acid

1-Octanol
[111-87-5] \( \text{CH}_3-(\text{CH}_2)_9\text{-CH}_2\text{OH} \)
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
- VP [hPa]: 0.1 at 25°C
  - MAK [ml/m³]: 10
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 54
  - Peak lim: I(1)
  - Preg gr: C

n-Octanol → 1-Octanol
Octyl acetate → 2-Ethylhexyl acetate
Octyl alcohol → 1-Octanol

2-Octyl-1-dodecanol
[5333-42-6] \( \text{CH}_3-(\text{CH}_2)_9\text{-CH}(\text{C}_6\text{H}_17\text{-CH}_2\text{OH) \)
see section IIb and Xc
- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

2-Octylldodecyl alcohol → 2-Octyl-1-dodecanol

2-Octyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one
[26530-20-1]
\( \text{see section Xc} \)
- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.05 I
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh

2-Octyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one → 2-Octyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one
2-Octyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone → 2-Octyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one
4-Octyl-N-(4-octylphenyl)benzenamine → 4,4′-Diocetylphenylamine

4-tert-Octylphenol
[140-66-9]
\( \text{HO-}-\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_7\text{-CH}_2\text{-C}(\text{CH}_3)_3 \)
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
- VP [hPa]: 0.01
  - MAK [ml/m³]: 0.5
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 4.3
  - Peak lim: I(1)
  - Preg gr: D

n-Octyltin compounds
(as Sn [7440-31-5])
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
- MAK [ml/m³]: 0.002
- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.0098
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: –
  - Mono-n-octyltin compounds
    - Preg gr: C
  - Di-n-octyltin compounds
    - Preg gr: B
  - Tri-n-octyltin compounds
    - Preg gr: B
  - Tetra-n-octyltin
    - Preg gr: D
Olaquindox (N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)-3-methyl-2-quinoxalinecarboxamide 1,4-dioxide) [23696-28-8]

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: SP
Carc cat: 3
Muta cat: 2

Oleic acid [112-80-1]

see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Oleic acid decyl ester → n-Decyl oleate

Oleyl alcohol [143-28-2]

see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Oleyl sarcosine [110-25-8]

VP [hPa]: 4×10⁻⁷

see section Xc

MAK [mg/m³]: 0.05
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: D

Organomercury compounds → Mercury, organic compounds

Organotin compounds → Tin compounds, organic (n-Butyl-)

Orthoarsenic acid → Arsenic

Orthophosphoric acid → Phosphoric acid

Osmium tetroxide [20816-12-0]

see section IIb

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

1-Oxa-4-azacyclohexane → Morpholine

Oxacyclopentadiene → Furan

3-Oxapentane-1,5-diol → Diethylene glycol

Oxirane → Ethylene oxide

Oxybisopropanol → Dipropylene glycol

4,4’-Oxydianiline [101-80-4]

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 2

2,2’-Oxydiethanol → Diethylene glycol

N-Oxydiethylenebenzothiazole-2-sulfenamide → 2-(4-Morpholinylmercapto)benzothiazole

Ozone [10028-15-6]

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

PAH → Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH)

Palladium [7440-05-3]

and palladium compounds

see section IIb

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

– Metallic palladium [7440-05-3]

Sens: –

– Palladium chloride [7647-10-1]

Sens: Sh

– Bioavailable palladium(II) compounds

Sens: Sh

Palmitic acid [57-10-3]

see section IIb and Xc

MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Palygorskite (fibrous dust) → Attapulgite

Pao ferro (Machaerium scleroxylon) → Woods
Papain
[9001-73-4]
see section IV
Sens: Sa
Paraffin oil → White mineral oil
(pharmaceutical)

Parquat
[1910-42-5]
\[
\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{N}^+\text{N}^+\text{CH}_3 \quad \text{Cl}^-
\]
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.1 I
Peak lim: I(1)
Perc abs: H

Paratecoma peroba → Woods

Parathion
[56-38-2]
see section XII
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.1 I
Peak lim: II(1)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H

Passive smoking → Sidestream smoke (passive smoking at the workplace)

PCBs → Chlorinated biphenyls

PCP → Pentachlorophenol

PEG → Polyethylene glycol (average molecular weight 200-600)

Pencil cedar (Calocedrus decurrens) → Woods

Pentaborane
[19624-22-7]
\[\text{B}_3\text{H}_6\]
VP[hPa]: 213
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.005
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.013
Peak lim: II(2)

Pentachloroethene
[76-01-7]
\[\text{Cl}_2\text{HC}_2\text{Cl}_2\]
MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 17
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Pentachloronaphthalenes → Chlorinated naphthalenes

Pentachlorophenol
[87-86-5]
\[
\text{Cl}_3\text{C}-\text{OH}
\]
see section XIII
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

Pentadecafluorooctanoic acid
→ Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)

Pentaerythritol triacrylate
[3524-68-3]
\[\text{HO-CH}_2\text{C(OC-CH=CH}_2\text{)}_3\]
see section IV
Sens: Sh

Pentane (all isomers)
VP[hPa]: 573
MAK[ml/m³]: 1000
MAK[mg/m³]: 3000
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
– n-Pentane
[109-66-0]
\[\text{H}_3\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{-CH}_3\]
– Isopentane
[78-78-4]
\[(\text{H}_3\text{C})_2\text{CH-CH}_2\text{-CH}_3\]
– tert-Pentane
[463-82-1]
\[\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_4\]

1,5-Pentanedial → Glutaraldehyde

2,3-Pentanedione
[600-14-6]
\[\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-CO-CO-CH}_3\]
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.02
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.083
Peak lim: II(1)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh

2,4-Pentanedione
[123-54-6]
\[\text{CH}_3\text{-CO-CH}_2\text{-CO-CH}_3\]
MAK[ml/m³]: 20
MAK[mg/m³]: 83
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Pentanol (isomers)  \( \text{C}_5\text{H}_{11}\text{OH} \)

- **1-Pentanol**
  - MAK [ml/m³]: 20
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 73
  - Peak lim: I(2)
  - Preg gr: C
  - VP [hPa]: 2.93 at 25°C

- **2-Pentanol**
  - MAK [ml/m³]: [6032-29-7]
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 73
  - Peak lim: I(2)
  - Preg gr: C
  - VP [hPa]: 8.13 at 25°C

- **3-Pentanol**
  - MAK [ml/m³]: [584-02-1]
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 11.7 at 25°C
  - Peak lim: I(2)
  - Preg gr: C
  - VP [hPa]: 3.15 at 25°C

- **2-Methyl-1-butanol**
  - MAK [ml/m³]: [137-32-6]
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 4.15 at 25°C
  - Peak lim: I(2)
  - Preg gr: C
  - VP [hPa]: 19 at 25°C

- **3-Methyl-1-butanol**
  - MAK [ml/m³]: [123-51-3]
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 12.17 at 25°C
  - Peak lim: I(2)
  - Preg gr: C
  - VP [hPa]: 16.2 at 25°C

- **3-Methyl-2-butanol**
  - MAK [ml/m³]: [75-84-3]
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 3.62 at 25°C
  - Peak lim: I(2)
  - Preg gr: C
  - VP [hPa]: 12.17 at 25°C

- **2,2-Dimethyl-1-propanol**
  - MAK [ml/m³]: [75-84-3]
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 12.17 at 25°C
  - Peak lim: I(2)
  - Preg gr: C
  - VP [hPa]: 4.15 at 25°C

- **Mixture of isomers, Pentanol**
  - MAK [ml/m³]: [30899-19-5; 94624-12-1]
  - MAK [mg/m³]: 3.15 at 25°C
  - Peak lim: I(2)
  - Preg gr: C

Peracetic acid  \( \text{H}_2\text{C-CO-OOH} \)

- MAK [ml/m³]: 73
- MAK [mg/m³]: 20
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C
- VP [hPa]: 2.93 at 25°C
- see section Xa

Perchloroethylene → Tetrachloroethylene

Perchloromethyl mercaptan

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 4.15 at 25°C

1H,1H,2H-Perfluorohexene  \( \text{H}_2\text{C-CH}(\text{CF}_2)_2\text{CF}_3 \)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 21.28

Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perhydronaphthalene → Decahydronaphthalene

Peroxydisulfuric acid diammonium salt → Ammonium persulfate

Petroleum, distillates → Distillates (petroleum)

Petroleum sulfonates, calcium salts (technical mixture in mineral oil)

- MAK [ml/m³]: 5 R
- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.005 I
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: B
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 4
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perhydronaphthalene → Decahydronaphthalene

Peroxydisulfuric acid diammonium salt → Ammonium persulfate

Petroleum, distillates → Distillates (petroleum)

Petroleum sulfonates, calcium salts (technical mixture in mineral oil)

- MAK [ml/m³]: 5 R
- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.005 I
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: B
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 4
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perhydronaphthalene → Decahydronaphthalene

Peroxydisulfuric acid diammonium salt → Ammonium persulfate

Petroleum, distillates → Distillates (petroleum)

Petroleum sulfonates, calcium salts (technical mixture in mineral oil)

- MAK [ml/m³]: 5 R
- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.005 I
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: B
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 4
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perhydronaphthalene → Decahydronaphthalene

Peroxydisulfuric acid diammonium salt → Ammonium persulfate

Petroleum, distillates → Distillates (petroleum)

Petroleum sulfonates, calcium salts (technical mixture in mineral oil)

- MAK [ml/m³]: 5 R
- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.005 I
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: B
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 4
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- VP [hPa]: 0.69

Perhydronaphthalene → Decahydronaphthalene

Peroxydisulfuric acid diammonium salt → Ammonium persulfate

Petroleum, distillates → Distillates (petroleum)

Petroleum sulfonates, calcium salts (technical mixture in mineral oil)

- MAK [ml/m³]: 5 R
- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.005 I
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: B
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 4
- VP [hPa]: 0.69
Petroleum sulfonates, sodium salts
[68608-26-4]
see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

PHC → Propoxur

Phenanthrene
[85-01-8]

see documentation “Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAH)”
see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”

Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Phenethyl alcohol → 2-Phenyl-1-ethanol

Phenol
[108-95-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

see section XII

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3
Muta cat: 3B

Phenol → Formaldehyde condensation products with phenol

Phenol, 2(or 4)-C9-10-branched alkyl derivs., phosphorothioates → Tris[(2- or 4-)
C9-C10-isoalkylphenyl]phosphorothioate

Phenol, isopropylated, phosphate → Triphenyl phosphate, isopropylated

Phenothiazine
[92-84-2]

phototoxic effect
see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

2-Phenoxyethanol
[122-99-6]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.01 at 25°C

see section Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: 1
MAK[mg/m³]: 5.7
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

1-Phenoxy-2-propanol
[770-35-4]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.03 at 25°C

see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Phenylacrolein → Cinnamaldehyde

γ-Phenylallyl alcohol → Cinnamyl alcohol

N-Phenyl aniline → Diphenylamine

Phenyl arsenic compounds
[637-03-6]

p-Phenylazoaniline → p-Aminoazobenzene

Phenylbenzenes → Biphenyl

N-Phenylbenzene amin → Diphenylamine

N-Phenyl-1,4-benzenediamine → 4-Aminodiphenylamine

Phenyl Cellosolve → 2-Phenoxyethanol

o-Phenylenediamine
[95-54-5]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 1.1×10⁻³

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 3
**m-Phenylenediamine**

[108-45-2]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[Pa]}: \ 3.8 \times 10^{-4} \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: } \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: } \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{Perc abs: } \text{ H} \]

\[ \text{Sens: } \text{ Sh} \]

\[ \text{Carc cat: } 3 \]

**Phenyl glycidyl ether (PGE)**

[122-60-1]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[Pa]}: \ 0.013 \text{ at } 25^\circ \text{C} \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: } \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: } \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{Perc abs: } \text{ H} \]

\[ \text{Sens: } \text{ Sh} \]

\[ \text{Carc cat: } 2 \]

**p-Phenylenediamine**

[106-50-3]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[Pa]}: \ 0.01 \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \ 0.1 \text{ I} \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: } \text{ II(2)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: } \text{ C} \]

\[ \text{Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.} \]

\[ \text{Perc abs: } \text{ H} \]

\[ \text{Sens: } \text{ Sh} \]

\[ \text{Carc cat: } 3 \]

**Phenylhydrazine**

[100-63-0]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[ \text{VP[Pa]}: \ 0.035 \text{ at } 25^\circ \text{C} \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: } \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: } \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{Perc abs: } \text{ H} \]

\[ \text{Sens: } \text{ Sh} \]

\[ \text{Carc cat: } 3 \]

**Phenyl isocyanate**

[103-71-9]

see section IV

\[ \text{Sens: } \text{ Sah} \]

**Phenyl mercury → Mercury, organic compounds**

**Phenylmethanal → Benzaldehyde**

2-(Phenylmethylene)-heptanal → α-Amylcrenaldehdehyde

**N-Phenyl-1-naphthylamine**

[90-30-2]

VP[Pa]: 0.000011

see section Xc

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \text{ – } \]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \ 2 \text{ I} \]

\[ \text{Peak lim: } \text{ II(2)} \]

\[ \text{Preg gr: } \text{ C} \]

\[ \text{Sens: } \text{ Sh} \]
N-Phenyl-2-naphthylamine
[135-88-6]

VP[hPa] < 0.000011 (calculated value)

see section XII

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 1
Muta cat: 3A

4-Phenyl-2-naphthylamine → 4-Nitrobiphenyl

4-Nitrobiphenyl

o-Phenylphenol
[90-43-7]

see also Sodium o-phenylphenol

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

see section Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: 5 I
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C
Carc cat: 4

N-Phenyl-p-phenylenediamine
→ 4-Aminodiphenylamine

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→ 4-Aminodiphenylamine

3-Phenyl-2-propenal → Cinnamaldehyde

2-Phenylpropene → α-Methyl styrene

3-Phenyl-2-propen-1-ol → Cinnamyl alcohol

Phenylin compounds
(as Sn [7440-31-5])

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.0004
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.002
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 4

Phosgene
[75-44-5]

COCl₂

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.1
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.41
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C

Phosphine
[7803-51-2]

PH₃

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.1
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.14
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

Phosphomolybdic acid → Molybdenum

Phosphoric acid
[7664-38-2]

H₃PO₄

MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C

Phosphoric acid methylphenyl diphenyl ester → Diphenyl cresyl phosphate

Phosphoric acid tributyl ester → Tributyl phosphate

Phosphorus, red
[7723-14-0]

P₄

see section Iib

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Phosphorus, white/yellow
[7723-14-0; 12185-10-3]

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.01 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

Phosphorus oxychloride
[10025-87-3]

POCl₃

VP[hPa]: 36

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.02
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.13
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

Phosphorus pentachloride
[10026-13-8]

PCl₅

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.016

MAK[ml/m³]: 1 I
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

Phosphorus pentasulfide
[1314-80-3]

P₂S₅

see section Iib

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Phosphorus pentoxide
[1314-56-3] \(\text{P}_2\text{O}_5\)

- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: 2 l
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C

Phosphorus trichloride
[7719-12-2] \(\text{PCl}_3\)

- VP[hPa]: 129.7
- MAK[\(\text{ml/m}^3\)]: 0.1
- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: 0.57
- Peak lim: I(1)
- Preg gr: C

Phosphoryl chloride \(\rightarrow\) Phosphorus oxychloride

Phosphoryl chloride
[1308-82-2]

- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: –
- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

o-Phthalic acid
[88-99-3]

- MAK[\(\text{ml/m}^3\)]: –
- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

m-Phthalic acid
[121-91-5]

- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: 5 l
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C

p-Phthalic acid
[100-21-0]

- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: 5 l
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C

Phthalic acid diallyl ester \(\rightarrow\) Diallyl phthalate

Phthalic acid diisodecyl ester \(\rightarrow\) Diisodecyl phthalate

Phthalic anhydride
[85-44-9]

- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: –
- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Sens: Sa

Picric acid
[88-89-1]

- MAK[\(\text{ml/m}^3\)]: –
- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh
- Carc cat: 3

Picryl chloride
[88-88-0]

- MAK[\(\text{ml/m}^3\)]: –
- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Pigment Yellow 12, Pigment Yellow 13,
Pigment Yellow 83
[6358-85-6; 5102-83-0; 5567-15-7]

- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: 0.3 R
  multiplied with the material density x 0.5;
  corresponds to an assumed agglomerate density at a
  packing factor of 50%, see documentation
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: C
- Carc cat: 4

Piperazine
[110-85-0]

- MAK[\(\text{ml/m}^3\)]: –
- MAK[\(\text{mg/m}^3\)]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Sens: Sah

Phytases
see section IV
- Sens: Sa

Plants containing sesquiterpene lactones
\(\rightarrow\) Sesquiterpene lactones
Platinum compounds (Chloroplatinates)
A peak concentration of 2 μg/m³ should not be exceeded. see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sah

Polyalalfaolefins, several CAS Nos, e.g.
[68649-11-6] H₂C-(CH₂)ₓ-CH₂(CH₃)₂-CH₂
CH₃
VP[Pa]: 0.019
see section Xc
MAK[mg/m³]: 5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: C

Polybutenes and Polyisobutenes
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Poly(butenes
[9003-29-6] CH₃ C₄H₁₀
-[CH₂-C₄]-[CH₃-C₄]-
CH₃
x,y=10-100

Poly(isobutenes
[9003-27-4] CH₃ CH₃
(CH₃)ₓ-[-CH₂-C₄]-[-CH₂-C₄]-
CH₃
n=10-100

Polybutenes and Polyisobutenes
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Polychlorinated biphenyls → Chlorinated biphenyls
Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH)
see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials” and section XII
Perc abs: H
Poly(1,2-dihydro-2,2,4-trimethyl-quinoline) → 1,2-Dihydro-2,2,4-trimethyl-quinoline polymer

Polydimethyl siloxanes, linear
[63148-62-9; 9006-65-9; 9016-00-6] see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Polyethylen glycol (average molecular weight 200-600)
[25322-68-3] HO(CH₂-CH₂-O)₃H; x>4
Because formation of a mist is possible, exposure should be minimized for reasons of occupational safety and hygiene.
VP[Pa]: <0.1
see section Xc
MAK[mg/m³]: 250 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

Polyethylene glycol (average molecular weight > 600)
[25322-68-3] see section IIb and Xc
MAK[mg/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Polyethylene polypropylene glycol
[9003-11-6] see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

“polymeric MDI”
[9016-87-9]
(inhalable fraction) see also
4,4'-Methyl-ene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI)
“polymeric MDI” (pMDI) is a technical grade MDI, containing 30-80% w/w 4,4'-methylene diphenyl isocyanate (MDI); the remainder consists of MDI oligomers and MDI homologues.
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.05 I
Peak lim: I(1)
A momentary value of 0.1 mg/m³ should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sah
Carc cat: 4

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl)-ω-alkoxy-α-acetic acid → Alkyl ether carboxylic acids

Polyoxyethylene oleyl ether
[9004-98-2] see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Poly(oxy-1,2-propanediyl)-ω-alkoxy-α-acetic acid → Alkyl ether carboxylic acids
**Polypropylene glycol (PPG)**

\[
\text{HO}-\text{(CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-O)}_n\text{-H} \quad n = 3 - 70
\]

see section IIb and Xc

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

**Poly(propylene glycol) n-butyl ether**

\[
\text{HO}\cdot\text{(CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-O)}_n\text{-O}\cdot\text{(CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{o)}_m\text{-CH}_3
\]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

- VP (hPa): \(1.7 \times 10^{-3}\) at 30°C
see section IIb and Xc
- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

**Polytetrafluoroethene**

\[
\text{[CF}_2\text{-CF}_2\text{]}_n
\]

See section IIIb and Xc

- MAK [ml/m³]: 4 l
- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.3 R
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: C
- Carc cat: 2

**Polyvinyl chloride**

\[
\text{[CH}_2\text{-CHCl}_2\text{]}_n \quad n = 500-2000
\]

see section VI

- MAK [ml/m³]: 0.3 R
- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.3 R
- multiplied with the material density
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: C
- Carc cat: 4

**Potassium benzoate → Benzoic acid alkali salts**

**Potassium cyanide**

\[
\text{[151-50-8]} \quad \text{KCN}
\]

- MAK [mg/m³]: 5.0 I
- Peak lim: II(1)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H

**Potassium dichloroacetate → Dichloroacetic acid**

**Potassium metabisulfite → Sulfites**

**Potassium perfluorooctanoate → Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)**

**Potassium persulfate → Alkali persulfates**

**Potassium titanates (fibrous dust)**

See section III

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Carc cat: –
- Potassium titanate
  - [12030-97-6] \(\text{K}_2\text{TiO}_3\)
  - [12056-46-1] \(\text{K}_2\text{Ti}_2\text{O}_5\)
  - [12056-49-4] \(\text{K}_2\text{Ti}_4\text{O}_9\)
  - [12056-51-8] \(\text{K}_2\text{Ti}_6\text{O}_{17}\)
  - [59766-31-3] \(\text{K}_2\text{Ti}_6\text{O}_{17}\)

**Propane**

\[
\text{[74-98-6]} \quad \text{H}_3\text{C}\text{-CH}_2\text{-CH}_3
\]

- MAK [ml/m³]: 1000
- MAK [mg/m³]: 1800
- Peak lim: II(4)
- Preg gr: D

1,3-Propanedicarboxilic acid → Glutaric acid

1,2-Propanediol → Propylene glycol
### 1,3-Propane sultone

[1120-71-4]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.48

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 1
- Muta cat: 3A

1,2,3-Propanetriol → Glycerol

2-Propanol → Isopropyl alcohol

### Propargyl alcohol

[107-19-7] 

HCC₂CH₂OH

VP[hPa]: 11.6

- MAK[ml/m³]: 2
- MAK[mg/m³]: 4.7
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: D
- Perc abs: H

2-Propanal → Acrolein

2-Propenoic acid 1,4-butanediyl ester → 1,4-Butanediol diacrylate

2-Propenoic acid 1,2-ethanediylbis (oxy-2,1-ethanediyl)ester → Triethylene glycol diacrylate

2-Propenoic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester → Acrylic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester

2-Propenoic acid 2-(hydroxymethyl)-2-((1-oxo-2-propenyl)oxy)-methyl)-1,3-propanediyl ester → Pentaerythritol triacrylate

2-Propenoic acid hydroxypropyl ester → Acrylic acid hydroxypropyl ester (all isomers)

2-Propenoic acid oxydi-2,1-ethanediyl ester → Diethylene glycol diacrylate

2-Propan-1-ol → Allyl alcohol

4-Propenyl-2-methoxyphenol → Isoeugenol

### β-Propiolactone

[57-57-8]

MAK[ml/m³]: –

- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2

### Propionic acid

[79-09-4] 

H₃C-CH₂-COOH

VP[hPa]: 4

- MAK[ml/m³]: 10
- MAK[mg/m³]: 31
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C

### Propoxur

[114-26-1]

2-Propanol → Isopropyl alcohol

#### 2-Propanol

#### 2-Propanoic acid

2-Propenoic acid → 2-Propenyl-2-methoxyphenol → Isoeugenol

#### 2-Propanal

2-Propanal → Acrolein

#### 2-Propanol

2-Propanol → Isopropyl alcohol

#### 2-Propanoic acid

2-Propenoic acid 1,4-butanediyl ester → 1,4-Butanediol diacrylate

2-Propenoic acid 1,2-ethanediylbis (oxy-2,1-ethanediyl)ester → Triethylene glycol diacrylate

2-Propenoic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester → Acrylic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester

2-Propenoic acid 2-(hydroxymethyl)-2-((1-oxo-2-propenyl)oxy)-methyl)-1,3-propanediyl ester → Pentaerythritol triacrylate

2-Propenoic acid hydroxypropyl ester → Acrylic acid hydroxypropyl ester (all isomers)

2-Propenoic acid oxydi-2,1-ethanediyl ester → Diethylene glycol diacrylate

2-Propan-1-ol → Allyl alcohol

4-Propenyl-2-methoxyphenol → Isoeugenol

### β-Propiolactone

[57-57-8]

MAK[ml/m³]: –

- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2

### Propionic acid

[79-09-4] 

H₃C-CH₂-COOH

VP[hPa]: 4

- MAK[ml/m³]: 10
- MAK[mg/m³]: 31
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C

### Propoxur

[114-26-1]

2-Propanol → Isopropyl alcohol

#### 2-Propanol

#### 2-Propanoic acid

2-Propenoic acid → 2-Propenyl-2-methoxyphenol → Isoeugenol

#### 2-Propanal

2-Propanal → Acrolein

#### 2-Propanol

2-Propanol → Isopropyl alcohol

#### 2-Propanoic acid

2-Propenoic acid 1,4-butanediyl ester → 1,4-Butanediol diacrylate

2-Propenoic acid 1,2-ethanediylbis (oxy-2,1-ethanediyl)ester → Triethylene glycol diacrylate

2-Propenoic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester → Acrylic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester

2-Propenoic acid 2-(hydroxymethyl)-2-((1-oxo-2-propenyl)oxy)-methyl)-1,3-propanediyl ester → Pentaerythritol triacrylate

2-Propenoic acid hydroxypropyl ester → Acrylic acid hydroxypropyl ester (all isomers)

2-Propenoic acid oxydi-2,1-ethanediyl ester → Diethylene glycol diacrylate

2-Propan-1-ol → Allyl alcohol

4-Propenyl-2-methoxyphenol → Isoeugenol

### β-Propiolactone

[57-57-8]

MAK[ml/m³]: –

- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2

### Propionic acid

[79-09-4] 

H₃C-CH₂-COOH

VP[hPa]: 4

- MAK[ml/m³]: 10
- MAK[mg/m³]: 31
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C

### Propoxur

[114-26-1]

2-Propanol → Isopropyl alcohol

#### 2-Propanol

#### 2-Propanoic acid

2-Propenoic acid → 2-Propenyl-2-methoxyphenol → Isoeugenol

#### 2-Propanal

2-Propanal → Acrolein

#### 2-Propanol

2-Propanol → Isopropyl alcohol

#### 2-Propanoic acid

2-Propenoic acid 1,4-butanediyl ester → 1,4-Butanediol diacrylate

2-Propenoic acid 1,2-ethanediylbis (oxy-2,1-ethanediyl)ester → Triethylene glycol diacrylate

2-Propenoic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester → Acrylic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester

2-Propenoic acid 2-(hydroxymethyl)-2-((1-oxo-2-propenyl)oxy)-methyl)-1,3-propanediyl ester → Pentaerythritol triacrylate

2-Propenoic acid hydroxypropyl ester → Acrylic acid hydroxypropyl ester (all isomers)

2-Propenoic acid oxydi-2,1-ethanediyl ester → Diethylene glycol diacrylate

2-Propan-1-ol → Allyl alcohol

4-Propenyl-2-methoxyphenol → Isoeugenol

### β-Propiolactone

[57-57-8]

MAK[ml/m³]: –

- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Carc cat: 2

### Propionic acid

[79-09-4] 

H₃C-CH₂-COOH

VP[hPa]: 4

- MAK[ml/m³]: 10
- MAK[mg/m³]: 31
- Peak lim: I(2)
- Preg gr: C

### Propoxur

[114-26-1]
Propylene dichloride → 1,2-Dichloropropane

Propylene glycol
[57-55-6] \(\text{CH}_2\text{CH(OH)CH}_2\text{OH}\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.11
see section IIb and Xc

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Propylene glycol dinitrate
[6423-43-4]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.084

MAK[ml/m³]: 0.01
MAK value applies for the sum of the concentrations of ethylene glycol dinitrate, nitroglycerin and propylene glycol dinitrate in the air.
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.069
Peak lim: II(1)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Propylene glycol 1-methyl ether
→ 1-Methoxy-2-propanol

Propylene glycol 2-methyl ether
→ 2-Methoxypropanol-1

Propylene glycol 1-methyl ether-2-acetate
→ 1-Methoxypropyl-2-acetate

Propylene glycol 2-methyl ether-1-acetate
→ 2-Methoxypropylacetate-1

Propylene glycol monoacrylate → Acrylic acid hydroxypropyl ester (all isomers)

Propylene glycol monoethyl ether
→ 1-Ethoxy-2-propanol

Propylene imine
[75-55-8]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B

Propylene oxide → 1,2-Epoxypropane

n-Propyl nitrate
[627-13-4] \(\text{H}_3\text{C-(CH}_2\text{}_2\text{-ONO}_2\)

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Propyne → Methyl acetylene

Pseudocumene (1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene)
→ Trimethylbenzene (all isomers)

PTBBA → p-tert-Butylbenzoic acid

PVC → Polyvinyl chloride

Pyrene
[129-00-0]

see documentation “Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAH)”
see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”
Perc abs: H

Pyrethrum
[8003-34-7]

see section IIb and XII

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh
does not apply for the constituents of insecticides (pyrethrins and cinerins) or for synthetic derivatives (pyrethroids) but only for the constituents of the plant drug and its crude extracts, including \(\alpha\)-methylene sesquiterpene lactones (e.g. pyrethrosin)

Pyridine
[110-86-1]

VP[hPa]: 20

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Pyrolysis products of organic materials
see section III

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Pyrrrolidine

[123-75-1]

Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted; see TRGS 611. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosopyrrolidine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation.”

see section IIb and Xc

Quartz → Silica, crystalline

Quartz glass → Silica, amorphous b) quartz glass [60676-86-0], fused silica [60676-86-0], silica fume (calcined) [69012-64-2], diatomaceous earth [68855-54-9]

Quercus spp. → Woods

Quinone

[106-51-4]

VP[hPa]: 0.12

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 3
Muta cat: 3B

Quinone oxime → 4-Nitrosophenol

Ramin (Gonystylus bancanus) → Woods

Refrigerant 134a → 1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane

Rennets, microbial → Microbial rennets: endothiapepsin and mucorpepsin

Resorcinol

[108-46-3]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 3×10⁻⁴ at 25°C

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

Resorcinol bis(2,3-epoxypropyl)ether → Diglycidyl resorcinol ether

Resorcinol diglycidyl ether → Diglycidyl resorcinol ether

Rhodium

[7440-16-6]

Rh and its inorganic compounds

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Ricinus protein

see section IV

Sens: Sa

Rock wool (fibrous dust)

see section III

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 2

Rosewood (Dalbergia spp.) → Woods

Rosin (colophony)

[8050-09-7]

see section IV

Sens: Sh

An immunological genesis of the asthma often seen in persons working with materials containing rosin has not been proved.

Rotenone

[83-79-4]

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Rubber components

see section IV

– Dithiocarbamates

Sens: Sh

– Thiazoles

Sens: Sh

– p-Phenylenediamine compounds

Sens: Sh

– Thiurams

Sens: Sh

Rye → Cereal flour dusts

Santos rosewood (Machaerium scleroxylon) → Woods

Sapele (Entandrophragma spp.) → Woods

Sapupira, (black) sucupira (Bowdichia nitida) → Woods
Sebacic acid
[111-20-6] \( \text{HO}_2\text{C-(CH}_2\text{)}_3\text{CO}_2\text{H} \)
see section IIb and Xc
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Selenium
[7782-49-2] \( \text{Se} \)
and its inorganic compounds (as Se)
see section XII
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): 0.02 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3

Sepiolite (fibrous dust)
several CAS Nos and formulas, e.g.
see section III
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

- Sepiolite
[18307-23-8] \( \text{M}_{3.5}\text{H}_{1.5}\text{(SiO}_3\text{)}_{1.2} \cdot 10 \text{H}_2\text{O} \)

- Sepiolite
[15501-74-3] \( \text{M}_{2.2}\text{H}_3\text{(SiO}_3\text{)}_{1.5} \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O} \)

Sesquiterpene lactones
see section IV
Sens: Sh
- Alantolactone
[546-43-0]
- Anthecotulide
[23971-84-8]
- Arteglasin A
[33204-39-6]
- Carabrone
[1748-81-8]
- Costunolide
[553-21-9]
- Dehydrocostus lactone
[477-43-0]
- (\(\pm\))-Frullanolide and (\(\pm\))-Fruulanolide
[40776-40-7; 27579-97-1]
- Helenalin
[6754-13-8]
- Isoalantolactone
[470-17-7]
- Lactucin
[1891-29-8]
- Laurenobilide
[35001-25-3]
- Parthenin
[308-59-8]
- Parthenolide
[20554-84-1]
- \(\alpha\)-Peroxyachifolide
[134954-21-5]
- Pyrethrosin
[28272-18-6]

Sevoflurane
[28523-86-6] \( (\text{CF}_3)\text{CH-O-CH}_2\text{F} \)
see section IIb
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Sidestream smoke (passive smoking at the workplace)
MAK\([\text{ml/m}^3]\): –
MAK\([\text{mg/m}^3]\): –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 1
### Silica, amorphous a) synthetic colloidal amorphous silica [7631-86-9]

including pyrogenic [112945-52-5] and wet process synthetic silica (precipitated silica, silica gel) [7631-86-9] and diatomaceous earth (uncalcined) [61790-53-2]

| MAK[mg/m³] | 0.5 R |
| Peak lim: | II(8) |
| Preg gr: | C |

### Silica, amorphous b) quartz glass [60676-86-0], fused silica [60676-86-0], silica fume (calcined) [69012-64-2], diatomaceous earth [68855-54-9]

| MAK[mg/m³] | 0.3 R |
| Peak lim: | II(8) |
| Preg gr: | C |

### Silica, crystalline (respirable fraction)

| MAK[ml/m³] | – |
| MAK[mg/m³] | – |
| Peak lim: | – |
| Preg gr: | – |
| Carc cat: | 1 |

– Quartz [14808-60-7]

– Cristobalite [14464-46-1]

– Tridymite [15468-32-3]

### Silicic acid tetraethyl ester

[78-10-4] Si(OCH₂-CH₃)₄

| VP[hPa] | ~2 |
| MAK[ml/m³] | 10 |
| MAK[mg/m³] | 86 |
| Peak lim: | I(1) |
| Preg gr: | D |

### Silicon carbide

[409-21-2] SiC (fibrous dust) see section III

| MAK[mg/m³] | – |
| Peak lim: | – |
| Preg gr: | – |
| Carc cat: | 2 |

### Silver

[7440-22-4] Ag

| MAK[mg/m³] | 0.1 I |
| Peak lim: | II(8) |
| Preg gr: | D |

Silver perfluorooctanoate → Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)

### Silver salts (as Ag [7440-22-4])

| MAK[mg/m³] | 0.01 I |
| Peak lim: | I(2) |
| Preg gr: | D |

### Sodium citrate → Citric acid

### Sodium azide

[26628-22-8] N₃Na

| MAK[mg/m³] | 0.2 I |
| Peak lim: | I(2) |
| Preg gr: | D |

Sodium benzoate → Benzoic acid alkali salts

### Sodium bisulfite → Sulfites

### Sodium cyanide

[143-33-9] NaCN

| MAK[mg/m³] | 3.8 I |
| Peak lim: | II(1) |
| Preg gr: | C |
| Perc abs: | H |

Sodium dichloroacetate → Dichloroacetic acid

### Sodium diethylthiodicarbamate

[148-18-5] (CH₃-CH₂)₂N-S-Na

Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted: see TRGS 611. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodimethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.

| MAK[mg/m³] | 2 I |
| Peak lim: | II(2) |
| Preg gr: | D |
| Sens: | Sh |

### Sodium ethylmercurithiosalicylate

→ Thimerosal
Sodium fluoroacetate
[62-74-8] \( \text{FCH}_2\text{COO}^-\text{Na}^+ \)

- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.05 I
- Peak lim: II(4)
- Preg gr: B
- Perc abs: H

Sodium hydroxide
[1310-73-2] \( \text{NaOH} \)

see section IIb

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Sodium metabisulfite → Sulfites

Sodium molybdate → Molybdenum

Sodium monochloroacetate
[3926-62-3] \( \text{CICH}_2\text{COONa} \)

see also Monochloroacetic acid

- MAK [mg/m³]: 2 I
- as monochloroacetic acid
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H

Sodium perfluorooctanoate → Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)

Sodium persulfate → Alkali persulfates

Sodium petroleum sulfonates → Petroleum sulfonates, sodium salts

Sodium o-phenylphenol
[132-27-4]

see section Xc

- MAK [mg/m³]: 2 I
- Peak lim: I(1)
- Preg gr: C
- Carc cat: 4

Sodium pyridinethione → Sodium pyrithione

Sodium pyrithione
[3811-73-2; 15922-78-8]

see section Xc

- MAK [mg/m³]: 0.2 I
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H

Sodium tetraborate pentahydrate → Boric acid

Sodium trichloroacetate
[650-51-1] \( \text{Cl}_3\text{C-COONa} \)

see also Trichloroacetic acid

- MAK [mg/m³]: 2 I
- Peak lim: I(1)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H

Sodium warfarin → Warfarin

Soot → Carbon black

Soya bean constituents
see section IV

- Sens: Sa

Stearic acid
[57-11-4] \( \text{CH}_3\text{(CH}_2\text{)}_{16}\text{COOH} \)

see section IIb and Xc

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Stibine
[7803-52-3] \( \text{SbH}_3 \)

see section IIb

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Stoddard solvent → Naphtha (petroleum)

Strontium
[7440-24-6] \( \text{Sr} \)

and its inorganic compounds

see section IIb

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –

Strontium chromate → Chromium(VI) compounds

Strychnine
[57-24-9]

see section IIb

- MAK [ml/m³]: –
- MAK [mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
### Styrene

[100-42-5]

\[
\text{CH}_2
\]

VP[hPa]: 6  
see section XII  
MAK[ml/m³]: 20  
see definition of Carcinogen Category 5 and supporting documentation  
MAK[mg/m³]: 86  
Peak lim: II(2)  
Preg gr: C  
Carc cat: 5

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### Succinic acid

[110-15-6]  
\[\text{HO}_2\text{C}-(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{CO}_2\text{H}\]  
see section Xc  
MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I  
Peak lim: I(2)  
Preg gr: C

### Sulfites

[14265-45-3]  
Causes pseudoallergic reactions, see  
see section IV

- Sulfonic acid, petroleum, sodium salts → Petroleum sulfonates, sodium salts  
- Sulfonic acids, petroleum, calcium salts → Petroleum sulfonates, calcium salts (technical mixture in mineral oil)

### Sulfur monochloride

[10025-67-9]  
\[\text{S}_2\text{Cl}_2\]

see section IIb  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –

### Sulfur pentafluoride

[5714-22-7]  
\[\text{S}_2\text{F}_6\]

see section IIb  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –

### Swietenia spp. → Woods

### Sylvic acid → Abietic acid

### 2,4,5-T → 2,4,5-Trichlorophenoxyacetic acid

### Tabebuia avellanedae → Woods

### Tabebuia serratifolia → Woods

### Tabebuia spp. → Woods

### Talc

[14807-96-6]  
\[\text{Mg}_3(\text{OH})_2\text{Si}_4\text{O}_{10}\]  
(without asbestos fibres)  
see section IIb and Xc  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –  
Sens: Sh  
only applies to tall oil distillates containing abietic acid, see also Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten (34th issue 2002)

### Tall oil, distilled

[8002-26-4]

see section IIb and Xc  
MAK[ml/m³]: –  
MAK[mg/m³]: –  
Peak lim: –  
Preg gr: –

### Tantalum

[7440-25-7]  
\[\text{Ta}\]

(inhalable fraction)  
see section VI and g  
MAK[mg/m³]: 4 I  
Preg gr: C
Tantalum
[7440-25-7] \( ^{79}_{74} \)Ta
except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh
see section Vf
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.3 R
multiplied with the material density
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: C
Carc cat: 4

Tartaric acid
[87-69-4] \( \text{HO}_2\text{C-CHOH-CHOH-CO}_2\text{H} \)
see section Xc
MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C

TBTO → n-Butyltin compounds
TCDD → 2,3,7,8-Tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin
Teak (Tectona grandis) → Woods
Tectona grandis → Woods

TEDP
[3689-24-5]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 2.2×10⁻⁴
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.01
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.13
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

Tellurium
[13494-80-9] \( ^{122}_{52} \)Te
and its inorganic compounds
see section IIb
MAK[mg/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

TEPP
[107-49-3] \( (\text{H}_2\text{CH}_2\text{PO})_2\text{O} \)
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.03
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.005
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.060
Peak lim: II(2)
Perc abs: H

Terephthalic acid → p-Naphthalic acid
Terminalia spp. → Woods

3,3',4,4'-Tetraminobiphenyl
→ 3,3'-Diaminobenzidine and its tetrahydrochloride

1,1,2,2-Tetrabromoethane
[79-27-6] \( \text{Br}_2\text{HC-CHBr}_2 \)
see section IIb
MAK[mg/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

2,4,5,6-Tetrachloro-1,3-benzenedicarbonitrile
→ Chlorothalonil

2,3,7,8-Tetrachlorodibenzop-dioxin
[1746-01-6]

MAK[mg/m³]: 1.0E-8 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: C
Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 4

1,1,2,2-Tetrachloro-2,2-difluoroethane (FC-112a)
[76-11-9] \( \text{ClF}_2\text{C-CCl}_3 \)
MAK[mg/m³]: 200
MAK[mg/m³]: 1700
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D

1,1,2,2-Tetrachloro-1,2-difluoroethane (FC-112)
[76-12-0] \( \text{Cl}_3\text{FC-CCl}_2 \)
MAK[mg/m³]: 200
MAK[mg/m³]: 1700
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D

1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane
[79-34-5] \( \text{Cl}_2\text{HC-CHCl}_2 \)
VP[hPa]: 6.4
MAK[mg/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 14
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 4

Tetrachloroethylene
[127-18-4] \( \text{Cl}_2\text{C-CCl}_2 \)
VP[hPa]: 19
see section XII
MAK[mg/m³]: 10
MAK[mg/m³]: 69
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3
Tetrachloroisophthalonitrile → Chlorothalonil

**Tetrachloromethane**

[56-23-5]  \( \text{CCl}_4 \)

VP[hPa]: 120
see section XII

- **MAK[ml/m³]**: 0.5
- **MAK[mg/m³]**: 3.2
- **Peak lim:** II(2)
- **Preg gr:** C
- **Perc abs:** H
- **Carc cat:** 4

Tetrachloronaphthalenes → Chlorinated naphthalenes

\( \alpha, \alpha, \alpha, 4 \)-Tetrachlorotoluene → p-Chlorobenzotrichloride

**1-Tetradecanol**

[112-72-1]  \( \text{HO}-(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)_{13}\text{CH}_3 \)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: \( 1.5 \times 10^{-4} \) at 25°C (calculated value)

see section IIb and Xc

- **MAK[ml/m³]**: –
- **MAK[mg/m³]**: –
- **Peak lim:** –
- **Preg gr:** –

**Tetraethylene glycol diacrylate**

[17831-71-9]  \( 2\text{O}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O})_2\text{OC-CHCH}_2 \)

see section IV

- **Sens:** Sh

**Tetraethylene glycol dimethacrylate**

[109-17-1]  \( \text{O}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O})_2\text{OC-CHCH}_2 \)

see section IV

- **Sens:** Sh

**Tetraethyllead**

[78-00-2]  \( \text{Pb}(\text{C}_2\text{H}_5)_4 \)

(as Pb)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.35 at 25°C
see section XII

- **MAK[mg/m³]**: 0.05
- **Peak lim:** II(2)
- **Preg gr:** B
- **Perc abs:** H

**Tetrahydrofuran**

[109-99-9]

VP[hPa]: 200
see section XII

- **MAK[ml/m³]**: 50
- **MAK[mg/m³]**: 150
- **Peak lim:** I(2)
- **Preg gr:** C
- **Perc abs:** H
- **Carc cat:** 4

1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane

[811-97-2]  \( \text{F}_2\text{C-CH}_2\text{F} \)

VP[hPa]: 5700

- **MAK[ml/m³]**: 1000
- **MAK[mg/m³]**: 4200
- **Peak lim:** II(8)
- **Preg gr:** C

**Tetrafluoroethene**

[116-14-3]  \( \text{F}_2\text{C}≡\text{CF}_2 \)

- **MAK[ml/m³]**: –
- **MAK[mg/m³]**: –
- **Peak lim:** –
- **Preg gr:** –
- **Carc cat:** 2

**trans-1,3,3,3-Tetrafluoropropene**

[29118-24-9]  \( \text{F}_3\text{C}≡\text{CF}_2 \)

- **MAK[ml/m³]**: 1000
- **MAK[mg/m³]**: 4700
- **Peak lim:** II(2)
- **Preg gr:** C

**2,3,3,3-Tetrafluoropropene**

[754-12-1]  \( \text{H}_2\text{C}≡\text{CF}_3 \)

- **MAK[ml/m³]**: 200
- **MAK[mg/m³]**: 950
- **Peak lim:** II(2)
- **Preg gr:** C

**Tetraglycidyl-4,4’-methylenedianiline**

[28768-32-3]

see section IV

- **Sens:** Sh

**Tetrahydrobenzotriazole**

[6789-99-7]

see section IIb and Xc

- **MAK[ml/m³]**: –
- **MAK[mg/m³]**: –
- **Peak lim:** –
- **Preg gr:** –

**Tetraethyl silicate** → Silicic acid tetraethyl ester
Tetrahydrofurfuryl methacrylate
[2455-24-5]  
\[
\text{CH}_2\text{O} \text{-C-(CH}_3\text{)}\text{-CH}_2
\]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 9.4×10^{-3}
see section IV
Sens: Sh

3a,4,7,7a-Tetrahydro-4,7-methanoindene → Dicyclopentadiene

Tetrahydromethyl-1,3-isobenzofurandione → Methyltetrahydrophthalic anhydride

Tetrahydronaphthalene
[119-64-2]  

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.24
MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 11
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

Tetrahydro-1,4-oxazine → Morpholine

Tetrahydrothiophene (THT)
[110-01-0]  

MAK[ml/m³]: 50
MAK[mg/m³]: 183
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

Tetrahydronaphthalene → Tetrahydronaphthalene

Tetrahydrothiophene (THT) → Tetrahydrothiophene (THT)

4-(1,1,3,3-Tetramethylbutyl)phenol → 4-tert-Octylphenol

Tetramethyl diaminobenzophenon → Michler’s ketone

Tetramethyl diaminodiphenylacetimine → Auramine

Tetramethyl diaminodiphenylacetimine hydrochloride → Auramine

N,N,N′,N′-Tetramethyl-4,4′-diaminodiphenylmethane → 4,4′-Methylenebis(N,N-dimethyl-aniline)

Tetramethyllead
[75-74-1]  
\[
\text{Pb(CH}_3\text{)}_4
\]

VP[hPa]: 30
see section XII
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.05
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: B
Perc abs: H

Tetramethyl succinonitrile
[3333-52-6]  
\[
\text{NC-C-(CH}_3\text{)}_2\text{-C(CH}_3\text{)}_2\text{-CN}
\]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 9.8×10^{-3}
see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

Tetramethylthiuram disulfide → Thiram

Tetramethyltin → Methyltin compounds

Tetramethyl urea (TMU)
[632-22-4]  
\[
\text{-(CH}_3\text{)}_2\text{NCO}
\]

see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Tetranitromethane
[509-14-8]  
\[
\text{C(NO}_3\text{)}_2
\]

VP[hPa]: 11
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

Tetryl → N-Methyl-N,2,4,6-tetranitroaniline

Thallium, soluble compounds
see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Thiabendazole
[148-79-8]  

see section Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: 20 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C was re-evaluated in 2011 and confirmed.
Muta cat: 5

2-(4′-Thiazolyl)benzimidazole → Thiabendazole

Thimerosal
[54-64-8]  

see section IV
Sens: Sh
2,2′-Thiobis(6-tert-butyl-p-cresol) → 2,2′-Thiobis(4-methyl-6-tert-butylphenol)

2,2′-Thiobis(4,6-dichlorophenol) → Bithionol

★ 2,2′-Thiobis(4-methyl-6-tert-butylphenol)  [90-66-4]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{H}_3\text{C} & - \text{CH}_3 & \text{CH}_3 & - \text{OH} & - \text{CH}_2 & - \text{CH}_3 \\
\text{H}_3\text{C} & - \text{CH}_3 & & & & \\
\end{align*}
\]

VP[hPa]: $1 \times 10^{-5}$

see section Vf and g and Xc

MAK[mg/m³]: 4 I
Preg gr: D

Thiocarbamide → Thiourea

4,4′-Thiodianiline  [139-65-1]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{H}_3\text{N} & - \text{NH} & - & \\
\end{align*}
\]

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 2

p,p′-Thiodianiline → 4,4′-Thiodianiline

2,2′-Thiodiethylene Bis[3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)propionate]  [41484-35-9]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{H}_3\text{C} & - \text{CH}_3 & - \text{CH}_3 & - \text{CO}_2 & - \text{CH}_3 & - \text{CH}_3 \\
\text{H}_3\text{C} & - \text{CH}_3 & & & & \\
\end{align*}
\]

see section Xc

MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D

Thioglycolates

MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh

Thioglycolic acid  [68-11-1]

\[
\text{HS-CH}_2-\text{COOH}
\]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.1

see section IIb

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh

Thioglycolic acid monoglycerol ester → Glycerol monothioglycolate

Thiomersal → Thimerosal
TNT → 2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene

o-Tolidine → 3,3’-Dimethylbenzidine

**Toluene (Toluol)**

![Toluene structure]

[108-88-3]

VP[hPa]: 37.9 at 25°C

- MAK[ml/m³]: 50
- MAK[mg/m³]: 190
- Peak lim: III(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H

**2,4-Toluenediamine (2,4-TDA)**

[95-80-7]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 2.3×10⁻⁴ at 25°C

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh
- Carc cat: 2
- Muta cat: 3B

**2,5-Toluenediamine**

[95-70-5]

![2,5-Toluenediamine structure]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 4.5×10⁻³ at 25°C

- Sens: Sh

**Toluene diisocyanates**

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

see section XII

- MAK[ml/m³]: 0.001
- MAK[mg/m³]: 0.007
- Peak lim: I(1)
  A momentary value of 0.005 ml/m³ (0.035 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H

- 2,4-Toluene diisocyanate
  ![2,4-Toluene diisocyanate structure]
  [584-84-9]
  VP[hPa]: 0.011

- 2,6-Toluene diisocyanate
  ![2,6-Toluene diisocyanate structure]
  [91-08-7]
  VP[hPa]: 0.028 at 25°C

- Toluene diisocyanates, mixture
  ![Toluene diisocyanates mixture structure]
  [26471-62-5]

**o-Toluidine**

[95-53-4]

![o-Toluidine structure]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.18

see section XII

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh
- Carc cat: 2
- Muta cat: 3A

**p-Toluidine**

[106-49-0]

![p-Toluidine structure]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 0.38 at 25°C

- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh
- Carc cat: 3

2,4-Toluylenediamine → 2,4-Toluenediamine (2,4-TDA)

Tolyl diiodomethyl sulfone
  → 4-(Diiodomethylsulfonyl)-toluene

Tremolite (fibrous dust) → Asbestos
Triazinetrityltriminotrishexanoic acid
[80584-91-4]

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\begin{array}{c}
\text{N} \\
\text{R} \\
\text{N} \\
\text{R} \\
\text{N} \\
\text{R} \\
\text{R} = \text{NH-C}_3\text{H}_6\text{COOH}
\end{array}
\]

see section IIb and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Tribromomethane
[75-25-2]
CHBr₃

VP[hPa]: 7
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

2,4,6-Tribromophenol
[118-79-6]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
see section IIb
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Tri-n-butylamine
[102-82-9]
N(CH₂-CH₂-CH₃)₂

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinoogenic N-nitrosodi-n-butylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinoogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
VP[hPa]: 0.12 at 25°C
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Tributyl phosphate
[126-73-8]
O-Pr(O(CH₂)₂-CH₃)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 1.5×10⁻³ at 25°C
MAK[ml/m³]: 1
MAK[mg/m³]: 11
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 4

Tri-n-butyltin compounds → n-Butyltin compounds

Trichloroacetic acid
[76-03-9]
\(\text{Cl}_3\text{C-COOH}\)

see also Sodium trichloroacetate
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.1
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.2
MAK[mg/m³]: 1.4
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

★ 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene
[87-61-6]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.28 at 25°C
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5
MAK[mg/m³]: 3.8
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh

★ 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene
[120-82-1]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.61 at 25°C
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5
MAK[mg/m³]: 3.8
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

★ 1,3,5-Trichlorobenzene
[108-70-3]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.32 at 25°C
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5
MAK[mg/m³]: 3.8
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H

2,3,4-Trichloro-1-butene
[2431-50-7]
\(\text{CH}_2\text{-CHCl-CCl-CH}_2\)

MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2
1,1,1-Trichloroethane
[71-55-6] \( \text{H}_3\text{C-CCl}_3 \)
VP(hPa): 133
see section XII
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 100 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 550 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim}: \text{II(1)} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr}: \text{C} \]
\[ \text{Perc abs}: \text{H} \]

1,1,2-Trichloroethane
[79-00-5] \( \text{CH}_2\text{C-CHCl}_2 \)
VP(hPa): 25
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 1 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 5.5 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim}: \text{I(2)} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr}: \text{D} \]
\[ \text{Perc abs}: \text{H} \]
\[ \text{Carc cat}: 3 \]

Trichloroethylene
[79-01-6] \( \text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{C-CCI}_2 \)
VP(hPa): 77
see section XII
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{Peak lim}: - \]
\[ \text{Preg gr}: - \]
\[ \text{Perc abs}: \text{H} \]
\[ \text{Carc cat}: 1 \]
\[ \text{Muta cat}: 3\text{B} \]

Trichlorofluoromethane (FC-11)
[75-69-4] \( \text{CCl}_3\text{F} \)
VP(hPa): 889
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 1000 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 5700 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim}: \text{II(2)} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr}: \text{C} \]
Trichloromethane \( \rightarrow \) Chloroform
1-Trichloromethylbenzene \( \rightarrow \) Benzyl trichloride
Trichloronaphthalenes \( \rightarrow \) Chlorinated naphthalenes
Trichloronitromethane \( \rightarrow \) Chloropicrin

2,4,5-Trichlorophenol
[95-95-4] \( \text{Cl}_{3}\text{C}-\text{O-Cl} \)
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP(hPa): \( 8 \times 10^{-3} \) at 25°C
see section IIb
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{Peak lim}: - \]
\[ \text{Preg gr}: - \]

2,4,5-Trichlorophenoxyacetic acid
[93-76-5]
including salts and esters
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 2\text{I} \]
\[ \text{Peak lim}: \text{II(2)} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr}: \text{C} \]
\[ \text{Perc abs}: \text{H} \]

1,2,3-Trichloropropane
[96-18-4] \( \text{ClCH}_2\text{CHCl-CH}_2\text{Cl} \)
VP(hPa): 4.5
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: - \]
\[ \text{Peak lim}: - \]
\[ \text{Preg gr}: - \]
\[ \text{Perc abs}: \text{H} \]
\[ \text{Carc cat}: 2 \]

\( \alpha,\alpha,\alpha\)-Trichlorotoluene \( \rightarrow \) Benzyl trichloride

1,1,2-Trichloro-1,2,2-trifluoroethane (FC-113)
[76-13-1] \( \text{CF}_2\text{C-CCI}_3\text{F} \)
VP(hPa): 360
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: 500 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 3900 \]
\[ \text{Peak lim}: \text{II(2)} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr}: \text{D} \]

Tricresyl phosphate, sum of all o-isomers
[78-30-8]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 5\text{I} \]
\[ \text{Peak lim}: \text{II(2)} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr}: \text{C} \]

Tricresyl phosphate, isomers, “free of o-isomers”
[1330-78-5; 563-04-2; 78-32-0]
see section Xc
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: 5\text{I} \]
\[ \text{Peak lim}: \text{II(2)} \]
\[ \text{Preg gr}: \text{C} \]

Tridymite \( \rightarrow \) Silica, crystalline
Triethanolamine
[102-71-6] \(N(CH_2-CH_2OH)_3\)

VP(hPa): 4.8×10⁻⁶ at 25°C
see section Xc

MAK[mg/m³]: 1 I
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C

Triethylamine
[121-44-8] \((H_3C-CH_2)_2N\)

Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodiethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.

VP(hPa): 72

MAK[m/l/m³]: 1
MAK[mg/m³]: 4.2
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D

1,2,4-Triethylbenzene
[877-44-1]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

MAK[m/l/m³]: 5
MAK[mg/m³]: 34
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H

Triethylene glycol
[112-27-6] \(HOCH_2-(CH_2-O-CH_2)_2-CH_2OH\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol. Because formation of a mist is possible, exposure should be minimized for reasons of occupational safety and hygiene.

VP(hPa): 0.003

MAK[mg/m³]: 1000 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: B

Triethylene glycol n-butyl ether
[143-22-6] \(HO-(CH_2)O(CH_2)CH_2\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP[hPa]: 3.3×10⁻³ at 25°C
see section Ib and Xc

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Triethylene glycol diacrylate
[1680-21-3] \(\overset{O}{\overset{O}{H}_6C-CH-C(\overset{O}{O}(CH_2)_3-O-C(H_3)-CH_2}\)

see section IV

Sens: Sh

Triethylene glycol dimethacrylate
[109-16-0] \(\overset{O}{\overset{O}{H}_6C-CH-C(\overset{O}{O}(CH_2)_3-O-C(H_3)-CH_2}\)

see section IV

Sens: Sh

Triethylene glycol monomethyl ether
[112-35-6] \(CH_3(O-CH_2-CH_2)_3-\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP(hPa): 4.7×10⁻³ at 25°C (calculated value)
see section Xc

MAK[mg/m³]: 50 I
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

Triethylene tetramine
[112-24-3] \(NH_2-(CH_2)_2-NH_2-(CH_2)_2-NH_2\)

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

VP(hPa): 5.5×10⁻⁴ at 25°C
see section IV

Sens: Sh

1,3,5-Triethylhexahydro-1,3,5-triazine
[7779-27-3] \(N-R-N-R-R-CH_3\)

releases formaldehyde

see section Xc

MAK[m/l/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Carc cat: 3

Trifluoromonobromomethane
→ Bromotrifluoromethane

Trifluoromonochloromethane
→ Chlorotrifluoromethane (FC-13)

1,1,1-Trifluoro-2,2-dichloroethane
→ 2,2-Dichloro-1,1,1-trifluoroethane (FC-123)

★ Triglycerides
(lard oil, palm oil, rapeseed oil, soybean oil)

see section Xc

MAK[mg/m³]: 5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: C

Triglycidyl-p-aminophenol
[5026-74-4]

see section IV

Sens: Sh
1,3,5-Triglycidyl isocyanurate (mixture of isomers)
[2451-62-9]
α-isomer [59653-73-5]
β-isomer [59653-74-6]

see section IV
Sens: Sah

Triisobutyl phosphate
[126-71-6] O-P(O-CH$_2$-CH(CH$_3$)$_2$)$_3$
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.02

see section IIb
MAK[ml/m$^3$]: –
MAK[mg/m$^3$]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Sens: Sh

Trimanganese tetroxide → Manganese

Trimellitic anhydride
[552-30-7] (fume)

MAK[mg/m$^3$]: 0.04 R
Peak lim: I(1)
Sens: Sa

Trimethylamine
[75-50-3] N(CH$_3$)$_3$
Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodimethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
VP[hPa]: 1900

MAK[ml/m$^3$]: 2
MAK[mg/m$^3$]: 4.9
Peak lim: I(2)
A momentary value of 5 ml/m$^3$ (12 mg/m$^3$) should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: C

2,4,5-Trimethylaniline
[137-17-7]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.057 at 25°C

MAK[ml/m$^3$]: –
MAK[mg/m$^3$]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 2

N,N,4-Trimethylaniline → N,N-Dimethyl-p-toluidine

Trimethylbenzene (all isomers)
[25551-13-7]

VP[hPa]: 2-6

see section XII
MAK[ml/m$^3$]: 20
MAK[mg/m$^3$]: 100
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C

→ 1,2,3-Trimethylbenzene
[526-73-8]

→ 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene
[95-63-6]

→ 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene
[108-67-8]

3,5,5-Trimethyl-2-cyclo-1-hexene
→ Isophorone
3,7,11-Trimethyl-2,6,10-dodecatrien-1-ol
→ Farnesol
3,5,5-Trimethylhexanoic acid → Isononanoic acid

Trimethylhydroquinone
[700-13-0]

see section IV
Sens: Sh

Trimethylopropane triacrylate
[15625-89-5] H$_2$C-CH$_2$C(=O-OC-CH=CH$_2$)$_3$

see section IV
Sens: Sh

Trimethylpentane (all isomers)
H$_3$C-C$_6$H$_{12}$-CH$_3$

MAK[ml/m$^3$]: 100
MAK[mg/m$^3$]: 470
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D

Trimethyl phosphate
[512-56-1] (H$_2$CO)$_3$PO
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
VP[hPa]: 0.59

MAK[ml/m$^3$]: –
MAK[mg/m$^3$]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Carc cat: 3
Muta cat: 2
Trimethylphosphite  
\([121-45-9]\)  
\((\text{H}_3\text{CO})_2\text{P}\)

see section IIb

\begin{itemize}
  \item MAK[ml/m³]: –
  \item MAK[mg/m³]: –
  \item Peak lim: –
  \item Preg gr: –
  \item Perc abs: H
\end{itemize}

Trimmethylquinone  
\([935-92-2]\)

see section IV

Sens: Sh

Trimethyltin compounds → Methyltin compounds

\textbf{2,4,7-Trinitrofluorenone}  
\([129-79-3]\)

\begin{itemize}
  \item MAK[ml/m³]: –
  \item MAK[mg/m³]: –
  \item Peak lim: –
  \item Preg gr: –
  \item Carc cat: 3
\end{itemize}

2,4,6-Trinitrophenol → Picric acid

2,4,6-TrinitrophenylmethylNitramine → N-Methyl-N,2,4,6-tetranitroaniline

\textbf{2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene}  
\([118-96-7]\)

see section XII

\begin{itemize}
  \item MAK[ml/m³]: –
  \item MAK[mg/m³]: –
  \item Peak lim: –
  \item Preg gr: –
  \item Perc abs: H
  \item Sens: Sh
  \item Carc cat: 2
  \item Muta cat: 3B
\end{itemize}

\textbf{Triphenylmonothiophosphate}  
\([597-82-0]\)

\begin{itemize}
  \item VP[hPa]: <0.00001
  \item see section Xc
  \item MAK[mg/m³]: 20 l
  \item Peak lim: II(2)
  \item Preg gr: D
\end{itemize}

\textbf{Triphenylphosphane} → Triphenyl phosphine

\textbf{Triphenyl phosphate}  
\([115-86-6]\)  
\((\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{O})_3\text{P}\)

\begin{itemize}
  \item VP[hPa]: 1×10⁻⁵ at 25°C (calculated value)
  \item see section Xc
  \item MAK[ml/m³]: –
  \item MAK[mg/m³]: –
  \item Peak lim: II(2)
  \item Preg gr: C
\end{itemize}

\textbf{Triphenyl phosphate, isopropylated}  
\([68937-41-7]\)

\begin{itemize}
  \item VP[hPa]: 1×10⁻⁷ at 25°C (calculated value)
  \item see section Xc
  \item MAK[mg/m³]: 1 I
  \item Peak lim: II(2)
  \item Preg gr: C
\end{itemize}

\textbf{★ Triphenylphosphine}  
\([603-35-0]\)  
\((\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{H})\cdot\text{P}\)

\begin{itemize}
  \item VP[hPa]: 1.2×10⁻⁶ at 20°C (extrapolated)
  \item see section Xc
  \item MAK[mg/m³]: 2 I
  \item Peak lim: II(2)
  \item Preg gr: D
  \item Sens: Sh
\end{itemize}

Triplochiton scleroxylon → Woods

\textbf{Tripropylene glycol diacrylate}  
\([42978-66-5]\)

\begin{itemize}
  \item see section IV
  \item Sens: Sh
\end{itemize}

\textbf{Tris(2,4-ditert-butylphenyl)phosphite}  
\([31570-04-4]\)

\begin{itemize}
  \item see section IIb and Xc
  \item MAK[ml/m³]: –
  \item MAK[mg/m³]: –
  \item Peak lim: –
  \item Preg gr: –
\end{itemize}

\textbf{N,N',N''-Tris(β-hydroxyethyl)hexahydro-1,3,5-triazine}  
\([4719-04-4]\)

\begin{itemize}
  \item releases formaldehyde
  \item see section IIb and Xc
  \item MAK[ml/m³]: –
  \item MAK[mg/m³]: –
  \item Peak lim: –
  \item Preg gr: –
  \item Sens: Sh
Tris[(2- or 4-)C9-C10-isoalkylphenyl] phosphorothioate
[126019-82-7] \( S^2P(O)(C_9H_4C_9H_2) \)

VP(hPa): 2.8 \( \times 10^{-10} \) at 25°C (extrapolated)

see section IIb and Xc

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \quad - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \quad - \]

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Tris(nonylphenyl) phosphite
[26523-78-4]

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \quad - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \quad - \]

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Trypsin and Chymotrypsin
[9002-07-7; 9004-07-3]

see section IV

Sens: Sa

Tungsten
[7440-33-7] \( W \)

and its compounds (as W)

see section IIb

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \quad - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \quad - \]

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Tungsten carbide → Hard metal containing tungsten carbide and cobalt

Turpentine
[8006-64-2]

VP(hPa): 6.6

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \quad 5 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \quad 28 \]

Peak lim: II(2)

Preg gr: D

Perc abs: H

Sens: Sh

Uranium
[7440-61-1] \( U \)

and its hardly soluble inorganic compounds

see section XII

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \quad - \]

The threshold value of the ‘Strahlenschutzkommission’ (Commission on Radiological Protection) of 20 mSv per year or 400 mSv per working lifetime corresponds to about 25 μg uranium/m³ for poorly soluble uranium compounds and 250 μg uranium/m³ for soluble compounds (MMAD of 5 μm). The value for soluble uranium compounds does not provide protection against nephrotoxicity.

\[ \text{Peak lim}: \quad - \]

Preg gr: –

Perc abs: H

Carc cat: 3

Muta cat: 3A

Uranium compounds, soluble inorganic

see section XII

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \quad - \]

The threshold value of the ‘Strahlenschutzkommission’ (Commission on Radiological Protection) of 20 mSv per year or 400 mSv per working lifetime corresponds to about 25 μg uranium/m³ for poorly soluble uranium compounds and 250 μg uranium/m³ for soluble compounds (MMAD of 5 μm). The value for soluble uranium compounds does not provide protection against nephrotoxicity.

\[ \text{Peak lim}: \quad - \]

Preg gr: –

Perc abs: H

Carc cat: 3

Muta cat: 3A

Urethane → Carbamic acid ethyl ester

Utle (Entandrophragma utile) → Woods

Vanadium
[7440-62-2] \( V \)

and its inorganic compounds (inhalable fraction)

see section XII

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \quad - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \quad - \]

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Perc abs: H

Carc cat: 2

Muta cat: 2

Vinyl acetate
[108-05-4] \( \text{H}_2\text{C} = \text{CHOOC}_2\text{H}_3 \)

VP(hPa): 120

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \quad 10 \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \quad 36 \]

Peak lim: I(1)

A momentary value of 20 ml/m³ (71 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.

Preg gr: C

Perc abs: H

Carc cat: 4

Vinylbutyrolactam → N-Vinyl-2-pyrrolidone

Vinylcarbazole
[1484-13-5]

see section IV

Sens: Sh

Vinyl chloride
[75-01-4] \( \text{H}_2\text{C} = \text{CHCl} \)

see section XII

\[ \text{MAK}[\text{ml/m}^3]: \quad - \]
\[ \text{MAK}[\text{mg/m}^3]: \quad - \]

Peak lim: –

Preg gr: –

Carc cat: 1
4-Vinylcyclohexene

[100-40-3]  

\[
\text{VP[hPa]: 20}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]: –}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]: –}
\]

\[
\text{Peak lim: –}
\]

\[
\text{Preg gr: –}
\]

\[
\text{Perc abs: H}
\]

\[
\text{Carc cat: 2}
\]

4-Vinyl-1,2-cyclohexene diepoxide

→ 4-Vinyl-1-cyclohexene dioxide

4-Vinyl-1-cyclohexene dioxide

[106-87-6]  

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP[hPa]: 0.13}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]: –}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]: –}
\]

\[
\text{Peak lim: –}
\]

\[
\text{Preg gr: –}
\]

\[
\text{Perc abs: H}
\]

\[
\text{Carc cat: 2}
\]

Vinyl ethyl ether → Ethyl vinyl ether

Vinylidene chloride

[75-35-4] \(H_2C=CCl\)

\[
\text{VP[hPa]: 667}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]: 2}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]: 8.0}
\]

\[
\text{Peak lim: II(2)}
\]

\[
\text{Preg gr: C}
\]

\[
\text{Carc cat: 3}
\]

Vinylidene fluoride → 1,1-Difluoroethylene

Vinyl isobutyl ether → Isobutyl vinyl ether

Vinyl methyl ether → Methyl vinyl ether

N-Vinyl-2-pyrrolidone

[88-12-0]  

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP[hPa]: 0.15 at 25°C}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]: 0.01}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]: 0.047}
\]

\[
\text{Peak lim: II(2)}
\]

\[
\text{Preg gr: C}
\]

\[
\text{Perc abs: H}
\]

\[
\text{Carc cat: 4}
\]

Vinyl toluene → Methyl styrene (all isomers)

Warfarin

[81-81-2] and sodium warfarin

[129-06-6]  

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

\[
\text{VP[hPa]: 0.09}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]: 0.0016}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]: 0.02}
\]

\[
\text{MAK value for sodium warfarin 0.02 mg/m}^3\text{ I}
\]

\[
\text{Peak lim: II(8)}
\]

\[
\text{Preg gr: B}
\]

\[
\text{Perc abs: H}
\]

Western red cedar (Thuja plicata) → Woods

Wheat → Cereal flour dusts

White mineral oil (pharmaceutical)

[8042-47-5]

see section Xc

\[
\text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]: 5R}
\]

\[
\text{Peak lim: II(4)}
\]

\[
\text{Preg gr: C}
\]

White spirit, dearomatised → Naphtha (petroleum)

Wood dust (beech) → Beech wood dust

Wood dust (oak) → Oak wood dust

Wood dust (except beech and oak wood dust)

\[
\text{MAK[ml/m}^3\text{]: –}
\]

\[
\text{MAK[mg/m}^3\text{]: –}
\]

\[
\text{Peak lim: –}
\]

\[
\text{Preg gr: –}
\]

\[
\text{Carc cat: 3}
\]

Wood ether → Dimethyl ether
Woods
see section IV

- **Acacia melanoxylon R.Br.**
  Australian blackwood
  Sens: Sh

- **Bowdichia nitida Bentham**
  sapupira, (black) sucupira
  Sens: –

- **Brya ebenus DC.**
  cocus wood
  Sens: Sh

- **Calocedrus decurrens (Torr.) Florin**
  incense cedar, pencil cedar
  Sens: –

- **Chlorophora excelsa (Welw.) Benth. & Hook**
  iroko, kambala
  Sens: Sh

- **Dalbergia latifolia Roxb.**
  East Indian rosewood, Bombay blackwood
  Sens: Sh

- **Dalbergia melanoxylon Guill. et Perr.**
  African blackwood
  Sens: Sh

- **Dalbergia nigra Allem.**
  Brazilian rosewood
  Sens: Sh

- **Dalbergia retusa Hemsl.**
  cocobolo, rosewood
  Sens: Sh

- **Dalbergia stevensonii Standley**
  Honduran rosewood
  Sens: Sh

- **Diospyros celebica Bakh.**
  Macassar ebony, coromandel
  Sens: –

- **Diospyros crassiflora Hiern.**
  African ebony
  Sens: –

- **Diospyros ebenum Koenig**
  Ceylon ebony, Indian ebony
  Sens: –

- **Diospyros melanoxylon Roxb.**
  ebony
  Sens: –

- **Distemonanthus benthamianus Baill.**
  ayan
  Sens: Sh

- **Entandrophragma angolense C.DC.**
  gede nohor, edinam, tiama
  Sens: –

- **Entandrophragma candollei Harms**
  heavy sapele, omu
  Sens: –

- **Entandrophragma cylindricum Sprague**
  sapele
  Sens: –

- **Entandrophragma utile Sprague**
  utile
  Sens: –

- **Gonystylus bancanus (Miq.) Baill.**
  ramin
  Sens: –

- **Grevillea robusta A.Cunn.**
  Australian silky oak
  Sens: Sh

- **Khaya anthotheca C.DC.**
  African mahogany
  Sens: Sh

- **Khaya grandifoliola C.DC.**
  African mahogany, big leaf mahogany
  Sens: –

- **Khaya ivorensis A.Chev.**
  African mahogany, Grand Bassam mahogany
  Sens: –

- **Khaya senegalensis A.Juss.**
  African mahogany, Senegal mahogany
  Sens: –

- **Machaerium scleroxylon Tul.**
  pao ferro, Santos rosewood
  Sens: Sh

- **Mansonia altissima A.Chev.**
  monsionia, pruno, bété
  Sens: Sh

- **Paratecoma peroba (Record) Kuhlm.**
  ipe peroba
  Sens: Sh

- **Quercus petraea (Matuschka) Liebl.**
  durmast oak, sessile oak
  Sens: –

- **Quercus robur L.**
  European oak, common oak, pedunculate oak
  Sens: –

- **Quercus rubra L.**
  American red oak
  Sens: –

- **Swietenia macrophylla King**
  American mahogany, mahogany, broadleaf mahogany
  Sens: –

- **Swietenia mahagoni (L.) Jacq.**
  Caribbean mahogany, Cuban mahogany
  Sens: –

- **Tabebuia avellanedae (Griseb.) Lor.**
  lapacho, ipe
  Sens: –

- **Tabebuia serratifolia Nichols**
  bethabara, ipe
  Sens: –

- **Tectona grandis L.f.**
  teak
  Sens: Sh
– *Terminalia ivorensis* A.Chev.
  framiré, idigbo
  Sens: –
– *Terminalia superba* Engl. u. Diels
  fraké, limba, afara, white afara
  Sens: Sah
– *Thuja occidentalis* L.
  arborvitae, eastern white cedar, northern white cedar
  Sens: –
– *Thuja plicata* (D.Don.) Donn.
  western red cedar, giant arborvitae, shinglewood
  Sens: Sah
– *Tieghemella africana* A.Chev.
  douka
  Sens: –
– *Tieghemella heckelii* Pierre
  makoré, “cherry mahogany”, African “cherry”
  Sens: –
– *Triplochiton scleroxylon* K.Schum.
  obeche, wawa, African whitewood
  Sens: Sah

**Xylanases**
[37278-89-0]
see section IV
Sens: Sa

**Xylene (all isomers)**
[1330-20-7]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

- **2,3-Xylidine**
  [87-59-2]
  VP[hPa]: 0.1 at 25°C
- **2,5-Xylidine**
  [95-78-3]
  VP[hPa]: 0.2
- **3,4-Xylidine**
  [95-64-7]
  VP[hPa]: 0.04 at 25°C
- **3,5-Xylidine**
  [108-69-0]
  VP[hPa]: 0.2 at 25°C

**2,4-Xylidine**
[95-68-1]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

- **2,6-Xylidine**
  [87-62-7]

**m-Xylylenediamine**
[1477-55-0]

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
Yttrium [7440-65-5] Y
and its compounds
see section IIb
MAK[m/l³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Zeolites (fibrous dust) → Erionite

**Zeolites, synthetic (non-fibrous)** [1318-02-1]
see section IIb
MAK[m/l³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Preg gr: –

**Zinc, O,O’-di-2-ethylhexyl dithiophosphate** [4259-15-8] \(\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{CH}_3 \cdot \text{S} \cdot [(\text{H},\text{C}-(\text{CH}_2)_{3}-(\text{CH}-\text{CH}_2-\text{O})_{3}\text{PS}) \cdot \text{Zn}]\)
see section IIb and Xc
MAK[m/l³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

Zinc, O,O′-di-2-ethylhexyl dithiophosphate → Molybdenum

**Zinc pyrithione** [13463-41-7]
see section IIb
MAK[m/l³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H

**Ziram** [137-30-4]
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.01 I
Peak lim: I(2)
Preg gr: C
Sens: Sh

**Zirconium** [7440-67-7] Zr
and its compounds (except zirconium dioxide)
see section IIb
MAK[m/l³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –

**Zirconium dioxide** [1314-23-4; 12036-23-6] ZrO₂
(respirable fraction)
except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh
see section Vf
MAK[mg/m³]: 0.3 R multiplied with the material density
Peak lim: I(4)
Preg gr: D
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 4
b. Substances for which no MAK value can be established at present

For a number of the substances examined by the Commission, studies of the effects in man or in experimental animals have yielded insufficient information for the establishment of MAK values. These substances are listed below. The toxicological documentation has been published by the Commission in the monograph collection “Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten”. Some of these reviews are available in English (available online under https://mak-dfg.publisso.de or https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/book/10.1002/3527600418 (up to 2019)).

Acetoacetic acid ethyl ester [141-97-9]
Acrylic acid hydroxypropyl ester (all isomers) [25584-83-2]
3-Aminomethyl-3,5,5-trimethyl-cyclohexylamine (Isophorone diamine) [2855-13-2]
2-Aminopyridine [504-29-0]
Ammonium sulfamate [7773-06-0]
Arsine [7784-42-1]
Benzaldehyde [100-52-7]
Benzalkonium chloride [8001-54-5]
Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether [1675-54-3]
Boron oxide [1303-86-2]
Boron trifluoride [7637-07-2]
Bromine [7726-95-6]
sec-Butyl acetate [105-46-4]
sec-Butyl alcohol [78-92-2]
2-tert-Butyl-p-cresol [2409-55-4]
p-tert-Butyl toluene [98-51-1]
γ-Butyrolactone [96-48-0]
Camphor [76-22-2]
Chlorinated biphenyl oxides, several CAS Nos, e. g. [55720-99-5]
Chlorinated biphenyl oxides form a group of compounds with different degrees and positions of chlorine substitution.
Chlorinated biphenyl oxides with low chlorine content can occur as a particle-vapour mixture, whereas chlorinated biphenyl oxides with a large quantity of chlorine occur only as particles.
Chlorinated naphthalenes
Chlorinated naphthalenes form a group of compounds with different degrees and positions of chlorine substitution.
Chlorinated naphthalenes with low chlorine content can occur as a particle-vapour mixture, whereas chlorinated naphthalenes with a large quantity of chlorine occur only as particles.
Chlorine trifluoride [7790-91-2]
Chloroacetyl chloride [79-04-9]
o-Chloroaniline [95-51-2]
m-Chloroaniline [108-42-9]
Chlorobenzoic acid (all isomers)
4-Chloromethyl-biphenyl [1667-11-4]
m-Chloronitrobenzene [121-73-3]
1-Chloro-1-nitropropane [600-25-9]
Chromium carbonyl [13007-92-6]
Chromium(III) compounds
Cyanogen chloride [506-77-4]
Cyclohexanol [108-93-0]
Cyclohexene [110-83-8]
Cyclopentadiene [542-92-7]
Demeton [8065-48-3]
see Section XII, List of BAT Values, Acetylcholinesterase inhibitors
Desflurane [57041-67-5]
Diallyl phthalate [131-17-9]
Diborane [19287-45-7]
Dibromodifluoromethane [75-61-6]
3,4-Dichloroaniline [95-76-1]
1,1-Dichloro-1-nitroethane [594-72-9]
2,2-Dichloropropionic acid [75-99-0]
2,2-Dichloropropionic acid, sodium salt [127-20-8]
Dicyanodiamide [461-58-5]
Dicyclohexylamine [101-83-7]
Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodicyclohexylamine, see Section III
“Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
Dicyclohexylamine nitrite [3129-91-7]
Diethylene glycol dinitrate [693-21-0]
Diisobutyl ketone [108-83-8]
Diketene [674-82-8]
see documentation "Ketene"
Dimethyl adipate [627-93-0] see also Dicarboxylic acid (C4-C6) dimethylester
Dimethylaminopropionitrile [1738-25-6]
Dimethylaminopropionitrile [1738-25-6]
Dimethyl glutarate [1124-40-0] see also Dicarboxylic acid (C4-C6) dimethylester
Dimethyl succinate [106-65-0] see also Dicarboxylic acid (C4-C6) dimethylester
Dimethyl sulfide [75-18-3]
4,6-Dinitro-o cresol [534-52-1]
Dipentamethylenethiuram disulfide [94-37-1]
Diphenoxyphosphoryl phosphates [26444-49-5]
Divinylbenzene (all isomers) [1321-74-0]
Ethyl 2-cyanoacrylate [7085-85-0]
Ethylene glycol [107-15-3]
Ethylene diamine tetraacetic acid (EDTA) [60-00-4]
Avoid exposure to mixtures with iron compounds (formation of FeEDTA).
2-Ethylhexanoic acid [149-57-5]
N-Ethylmorpholine [100-74-3]
Ethyltin compounds
Ethyl vinyl ether [109-92-2]
Ferbam [14484-64-1]
Ferrovanadium [12604-58-9]
Fluorine [7782-41-4]
Formamide [75-12-7]
Germanium tetrahydride [7782-65-2]
Gold [7440-57-5] and its inorganic compounds
Hafnium [7440-58-6] and its compounds
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene [77-47-4]
sec-Hexyl acetate [108-84-9]
Hydroxyacetic acid butyl ester [7397-62-8]
2-Hydroxyethyl methacrylate [868-77-9]
3-Hydroxy-2-naphthalene carboxylic acid [92-70-6]
Imidazole [288-32-4]
Iodine [7553-56-2] and inorganic iodides
4-Isopropylphenyl isocyanate [31027-31-3]
Ketene [463-51-4]
D,L-Limonene [138-86-3] and similar mixtures
L-Limonene [5989-54-8]
Lithium [7439-93-2] and highly irritating lithium compounds (as lithium amide, hydride, hydroxide, nitride, oxide, tetrahydroaluminate, tetrahydroborate)
Magnesium oxide fume [1309-48-4]
3-Methoxy-n-butyl acetate [4435-53-4]
Methyl acetylene [74-99-7]
Methylcyclohexanol (all isomers) [25639-42-3]
1-Methylcyclohexan-2-one [583-60-8]
Methyl vinyl ketone [78-94-4]
Molybdenum [7439-98-7] and its compounds apart from molybdenum trioxide
Montmorillonite [1318-93-0] and Bentonite [1302-78-9]
quartz content must be considered separately
2-(4-Morpholinylmercapto)benzothiazole [102-77-2]
Nickel titanic yellow pigment [8007-18-9]
Nicotine [54-11-5]
Nitric acid [7697-37-2]
Osmium tetroxide [20816-12-0]
Palladium [7440-05-3] and palladium compounds
2-Pentanone [107-87-9]
Perchloromethyl mercaptan [594-42-3]
1H,1H,2H-Perfluorohexene [19430-93-4]
Phosphorus, red [7723-14-0]
Phosphorus pentasulfide [1314-80-3]
o-Phthalic anhydride [85-44-9]
Phthalic anhydride (Chloroplatinates)

A peak concentration of 2 mg/m³ should not be exceeded.
n-Propyl nitrate [627-13-4]
Pyrethrum [8003-34-7]
Resorcinol [108-46-3]
Rotenone [83-79-4]
Sevoflurane [28523-86-6]
Silicon carbide [409-21-2] (without fibres)
Sodium hydroxide [1310-73-2]
Stibine [7803-52-3]
Strontium [7440-24-6] and its inorganic compounds
Strychnine [57-24-9]
Sulfur monochloride [10025-67-9]
Sulfur pentafluoride [5714-22-7]
Tellurium [13494-80-9] and its inorganic compounds
1,1,2,2-Tetabromoethane [79-27-6]
Tetramethyl succinonitrile [3333-52-6]
Tetramethyl urea (TMU) [632-22-4]
Thallium, soluble compounds
Thioglycolic acid [68-11-1]  
Tin [7440-31-5] and its inorganic compounds  
2,4,6-Tribromophenol [118-79-6]  
Tri-n-butylamine [102-82-9]  
Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodi-n-butylamine, see Section III  
“Amines which form carcinoenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.  
2,4,5-Trichlorophenol [95-95-4]  
Triisobutyl phosphate [126-71-6]  
Trimethylphosphite [121-45-9]  
Tungsten [7440-33-7] and its compounds (as W)  
Wollastonite [13983-17-0] (fibrous dust)  
Yttrium [7440-65-5] and its compounds  
Zeolites, synthetic (non-fibrous) [1318-02-1]  
Zinc pyrithione [13463-41-7]  
Zirconium [7440-67-7] and its compounds (except zirconium dioxide)  

Metal-working fluids, hydraulic fluids and other lubricants  
(see Section Xc)  
Abietic acid [514-10-3]  
also includes disproportionation and transposition products  
Alkyl amines, C11–14-branched, monohexyl and dihexyl phosphates [80939-62-4]  
Alkyl benzenesulphonates C10-C14, linear [69669-44-9; 85117-50-6]  
Alkyl ether carboxylic acids  
2-Amino-2-ethyl-1,3-propanediol [115-70-8]  
1-Amino-2-propanol [78-96-6]  
Aminotris(methylene phosphonic acid) [6419-19-8] and its sodium salts  
Azelaic acid [123-99-9]  
Behenic acid [112-85-6]  
1,2-Benzisothiazol-3(2H)-one [2634-33-5]  
Benzyl alcohol mono(poly)hemiformal [14548-60-8]  
releases formaldehyde  
★ Bis[O,O-bis(2-ethylhexyl) dithiophosphorato-S,Sʹ]dioxodi-μ-thioxodimolybdenum  
[68958-92-9; 72030-25-2]  
N,N-Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-(1,2,4-triazole-1-yl)methanamine [91273-04-0]  
1,3-Bis(hydroxymethyl)urea [140-95-4]  
releases formaldehyde  
Bithionol [97-18-7]  
2-Bromo-2-nitro-1,3-propanediol [52-51-7]  
use forbidden as component of metal-working fluids and corrosion inhibitors: see “GefStoffV 2010, Anhang II (zu §16 Absatz 2), Nr. 4”  
2-Butyl-1,2-benzisothiazolin-3-one [4299-07-4]  
Calcium bis(dinonylnaphthalenesulphonate) [57855-77-3]  
5(or 6)-Carboxy-4-hexylcyclohex-2-ene-1-octanoic acid [53980-88-4]  
2-Chloroacetamide [79-07-2]  
p-Chloro-m-cresol [59-50-7]  
Chlorothalonil [1897-45-6]  
Citric acid alkali metal salts  
The MAK value for citric acid (2 mg/m³) protects from irritation, a higher value for alkali metal salts is not justifiable.  
Dibenzyl disulfide [150-60-7]  
2,2-Dibromo-2-cyanacetamide [10222-01-2]
1,2-Dibromo-2,4-dicyanobutane [35691-65-7]
3-(3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-N’-[3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)prop- anoyl]propanedihydrazone [32687-78-8]
2,6-Di-tert-butylphenol [128-39-2]
Di-n-butyl phosphonate [1809-19-4] see also Di-n-octyl phosphonate
Diethylenetriaminepenta(methyleneephosphonic acid) [15827-60-8] and its sodium salts [22042-96-2]
1,2-Dihydro-2,2,4-trimethyl-quinoline polymer [26780-96-1]
4-(Diiodomethylsulfonyl)-toluene [20018-09-1]
1,3-Dimethylol-5,5-dimethyl hydantoin [6440-58-0]
4,4’-Dioctydiphenyldiamine [101-67-7]
Di-n-octyl phosphonate [1809-14-9] see also Di-n-butyl phosphonate
Diphenylamine, octylated (Benzenamine, N-phenyl-, reaction products with 2,4,4-trimethylpentene) [68921-45-9]
Diphenylamine, reaction products with styrene and 2,4,4-trimethylpentene [68921-45-9]
2,2’-Dithiobis(N-methylbenzamide) [2527-58-4]
Dodecanedioic acid [693-23-2]
1-Dodecanol [112-53-8]
5-Ethyl-3,7-dioxa-1-azabicyclo[3.3.0]octane (EDAO) [7747-35-5]
releases formaldehyde
2-Ethyl-1,3-hexanediol [94-96-2]
★ Fatty alcohol ethoxylates, C16–18 and C18-unsaturated [68920-66-1]
1-Hexadecanol [36653-82-4]
Hexamethylenetetramine [100-97-0]
releases formaldehyde
1-Hexanol [111-27-3]
2-Hexyl-1-decanol [2425-77-6]
1-Hydroxyethyl-2-heptadecenyl-imidazoline [21652-27-7]
1-Hydroxyethylidene-1,1-diphosphonic acid [2809-21-4] and its sodium and potassium salts
2-Hydroxymethyl-2-nitro-1,3-propanediol [126-11-4]
use forbidden as component of metal-working fluids and corrosion inhibitors: see “GefStoffV 2010, Anhang II (zu §16 Absatz 2), Nr. 4”
12-Hydroxystearic acid [106-14-9]
Isononanoic acid [3302-10-1] [26896-18-4]
Isooctadecanol [27458-93-1]
Isotridecanol [27458-92-0]
Lithium-12-hydroxystearate [7620-77-1]
Lithium stearate [4485-12-5]
Methyl-1H-benzotriazole [29385-43-1]
Methyldeethanolamine [105-59-9]
4,4’-Methylenebis(2,6-di-tert-butylphenol) [118-82-1]
N,N’-Methylenebis(5-methyloxazolidine) [66204-44-2]
4,4’-Methylenedimorpholine [5625-90-1]
releases formaldehyde
2-Methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one [2682-20-4]
Myristic acid [544-63-8]
3-Nitrobenzoic acid [121-92-6]
(4-Nonylphenoxy)acetic acid [3115-49-9]
1-Octadecanol [112-92-5]
2-Octyl-1-dodecanol [5333-42-6]
Oleic acid [112-80-1]
Oleyl alcohol [143-28-2]
Palmitic acid [57-10-3]
Petroleum sulfonates, sodium salts [68608-26-4]
Phenothiazine [92-84-2]
phototoxic effect
1-Phenoxy-2-propanol [770-35-4]
2-Phenyl-1-ethanol [60-12-8]
Piperazine [110-85-0]
Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted: see TRGS 611. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N,N′-dinitrosopiperazine, see Section III "Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation".

Polybutenes and Polyisobutenes
Polydimethyl siloxanes, linear [63148-62-9; 9006-65-9; 9016-00-6]
Polyethylene glycol (average molecular weight > 600) [25322-68-3]
Polyethyleneoxyethylene glycol [9003-11-6]
Polyoxyethylene oleyl ether [9004-98-2]
Polypropylene glycol (PPG) [25322-69-4]
Poly(propylene glycol) n-butyl ether [9003-13-8]
Propylene glycol [57-55-6]
Pyrrrolidine [123-75-1]
Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted: see TRGS 611. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosopyrrolidine, see Section III "Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation".

Sebacic acid [111-20-6]
Stearic acid [57-11-4]
Tall oil, distilled [8002-26-4]
1-Tetradecanol [112-72-1]
Tetrahydrobenzotriazole [6789-99-7]
Triazinetriyltriiiminitrishexanoic acid [80584-91-4]
Triethylene glycol n-butyl ether [143-22-6]
Tris(2,4-ditert-butylphenyl) phosphite [31570-04-4]
N,N′,N″-Tris(β-hydroxyethyl)hexahydro-1,3,5-triazine [4719-04-4] releases formaldehyde
Tris(2- or 4)-[C9-C10-isoalkylphenyl]phosphorothioate [126019-82-7]
Tris(nonylphenyl) phosphite [26523-78-4]
Zinc, O,O′-di-2-ethylhexyl dithiophosphate [4259-15-8]
III Carcinogenic Substances

Advances in our understanding of the modes of action and potency of carcinogens have made possible the improved differentiation of carcinogenic substances. Therefore, in 1998 an extended classification scheme was introduced\(^\text{23}\)). The sections of the List of MAK and BAT Values previously called IIIA1, IIIA2 and III B were renamed as Categories 1, 2 and 3 of Section III and two new categories, 4 and 5, were added.

Substances which have been shown to be carcinogenic in man or in experimental animals are classified in the Categories 1 or 2 and are not assigned MAK or BAT values. Suspected carcinogens are classified in Category 3 and are assigned a MAK or BAT value only if neither the substance nor any of its metabolites is genotoxic or the genotoxic effect is not the main effect.

In the Categories 4 and 5 are classified substances with carcinogenic properties for which the available data are sufficient for assessment of the carcinogenic potency. For these substances an occupational exposure level (MAK or BAT value) is defined at which no or at most a very slight contribution to the cancer risk of the exposed persons is to be expected. The substances classified in Category 4 are known to act typically by non-genotoxic mechanisms. Category 5 contains genotoxic carcinogens of weak potency. For the monitoring of exposure to these substances, the establishment of BAT values is of particular importance.

1. Substances that cause cancer in man and can be assumed to contribute to cancer risk. Epidemiological studies provide adequate evidence of a positive correlation between the exposure of humans and the occurrence of cancer. Limited epidemiological data can be substantiated by evidence that the substance causes cancer by a mode of action that is relevant to man.

Aflatoxins [1402-68-2]
4-Aminobiphenyl [92-67-1]
Arsenic [7440-38-2] and inorganic arsenic compounds
Asbestos [1332-21-4] (fibrous dust)
Actinolite, Amosite, Anthophyllite, Chrysotile, Crocidolite and Tremolite. Cigarette smokers bear an increased risk of bronchial cancer.
Beech wood dust
Dusts have been shown epidemiologically to be unequivocally carcinogenic. The active carcinogenic principle has not been identified to date.
Benzene [71-43-2]
Benzidine [92-87-5] and its salts
Beryllium [7440-41-7] and its inorganic compounds
Bis(β-chloroethyl)sulfide (mustard gas) [505-60-2]
Bischloromethyl ether (dichlorodimethylether) [542-88-1]
not to be confused with the asymmetric (Dichloromethyl) methyl ether
1,3-Butadiene [106-99-0]

\(^{23}\) For detailed documentation see “Änderung der Einstufung krebszerzeugender Arbeitsstoffe” (1998, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1002/3527600418.mb0ckatd0026; 2000, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1002/3527600418.mb0ckatd0030; 2006, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1002/3527600418.mb0ckatd0040; 2021, DOI: https://doi.org/10.34865/mb0ckat3dgt6_1ad) and the English translation of the documentation from 1998: “Changes in the classification of carcinogenic chemicals in the work area” (1999, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1002/3527600418.mb0ckatd00012)
Cadmium [7440-43-9] and its inorganic compounds (inhalable fraction)

α-Chlorinated toluenes:
- mixture of Benzoyl chloride [98-88-4],
- Benzyl chloride [100-44-7],
- Benzyl dichloride [98-87-3],
- Benzyl trichloride [98-07-7]

4-Chloro-o-toluidine [95-69-2]

Chromium(VI) compounds (inhalable fraction)
- 1,2-Dichloropropane [78-87-5]
- Erionite [12510-42-8] (fibrous dust)
- Hard metal containing tungsten carbide and cobalt (inhalable fraction)

Methylarsenic compounds
- N-Methyl-bis(2-chloroethyl)amine (nitrogen mustard) [51-75-2]
- Monochlorodimethyl ether [107-30-2]
  The classification in Category 1 applies to technical monochlorodimethyl ether which can be contaminated with up to 7% bischloromethyl ether.
- 2-Naphthylamine [91-59-8]

Nickel and nickel compounds (inhalable fraction)
Regarding compounds which have been found to be unequivocally carcinogenic in man, see Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten, available from the publisher: Wiley-VCH, D-69451 Weinheim.

Oak wood dust
Dusts have been shown epidemiologically to be unequivocally carcinogenic. The active carcinogenic principle has not been identified to date.
- N-Phenyl-2-naphthylamine [135-88-6]
- 1,3-Propane sultone [1120-71-4]
- Sidestream smoke (passive smoking at the workplace)
- Silica, crystalline (respirable fraction)
- o-Toluidine [95-53-4]
- Trichloroethylene [79-01-6]
- Vinyl chloride [75-01-4]

2. Substances that are considered to be carcinogenic for man because sufficient data from long-term animal studies or evidence from animal studies substantiated by evidence from epidemiological studies indicate that they can contribute to cancer risk. Limited data from animal studies can be supported by evidence that the substance causes cancer by a mode of action that is relevant to man and by results of in vitro tests and short-term animal studies.

- Acrylamide [79-06-1]
- Acrylonitrile [107-13-1]
- Allyl glycidyl ether [106-92-3]
- Aluminium oxide [1344-28-1] (fibrous dust)
- Aluminium silicate fibres (RCF)
  Cristobalite can develop from aluminium silicate fibres used in building materials under thermal load, see documentation.
- o-Aminoazotoluene [97-56-3]
- 6-Amino-2-ethoxynaphthalene [293733-21-8]
- o-Anisidine [90-04-0]
- Anthanthrene [191-26-4]
- Antimony [7440-36-0] and its inorganic compounds except for stibine
- Attapulgite [12174-11-7] (fibrous dust)
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Auramine [492-80-8]
Auramine hydrochloride [2465-27-2]
Benzo[a]anthracene [56-55-3]
Benzo[b]fluoranthene [205-99-2]
Benzo[j]fluoranthene [205-82-3]
Benzo[k]fluoranthene [207-08-9]
Benzo[b]naphtho[2,1-d]thiophene [239-35-0]
Benzo[a]pyrene [50-32-8]
Benzyl chloride [100-44-7] see also α-Chlorinated toluenes
Benzyl dichloride [98-87-3] see also α-Chlorinated toluenes
Benzyl trichloride [98-07-7] see also α-Chlorinated toluenes
Bitumen (high-temperature processing, vapours and aerosols) [64742-93-4] (bitumen, oxidized)
Bromodichloromethane [75-27-4]
Bromoethane [74-96-4]
1-Bromopropane [106-94-5]
2,4-Butane sultone [1121-03-5]
Butanone oxime [96-29-7]
1,2-Butylene oxide [106-88-7]
Carbamic acid ethyl ester [51-79-6]
Chlordecone [143-50-0]
Chlorinated camphene [8001-35-2]
p-Chloroaniline [106-47-8]
p-Chlorobenzotrichloride [5216-25-1]
1-Chloro-2,3-epoxypropane (Epichlorohydrin) [106-89-8]
Chlorofluoromethane (FC-31) [593-70-4]
N-Chloroformylmorpholine [15159-40-7]
Chloroprene [126-99-8]
Chrysene [218-01-9]
Cobalt [7440-48-4] and cobalt compounds (inhalable fraction)
Cyclopenta(cd)pyrene [27208-37-3]
Dawsonite [12011-76-6] (fibrous dust)
2,4-Diaminoanisole [615-05-4]
4,4'-Diaminodiphenylmethane [101-77-9]
1,5-Diaminonaphthalene [2243-62-1]
Diazomethane [334-88-3]
Dibenzo[a,h]anthracene [53-70-3]
Dibenzo[a,e]pyrene [192-65-4]
Dibenzo[a,h]pyrene [189-64-0]
Dibenzo[a,i]pyrene [189-55-9]
Dibenzo[a,l]pyrene [191-30-0]
1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropane [96-12-8]
1,2-Dibromoethane [106-93-4]
Dichloroacetylene [7572-29-4]
3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine [91-94-1]
1,4-Dichloro-2-butene [764-41-0]
1,2-Dichloroethane [107-06-2]
1,3-Dichloro-2-propanol [96-23-1]
Diesel engine emissions

Because of the new diesel engine technology the emissions have changed significantly in quality and quantity. Since it must be assumed that these new diesel engines were introduced at the end of the 1990s, all the available epidemiological studies which were evaluated in 2007 are based on exposures to emissions from older diesel engines. The emissions from the new diesel engines can not be evaluated until appropriate studies become available.

Diethyl sulfate [64-67-5]

Dimethyl sulfoxide [101-90-6]

3,3ʹ-Dimethoxybenzidine [119-90-4]

3,3ʹ-Dimethylbenzidine [119-93-7]

Dimethylcarbamoyl chloride [79-44-7]

1,1-Dimethylhydrazine [57-14-7]

1,2-Dimethylhydrazine [540-73-8]

N,N-Dimethyl-p-toluidine [99-97-8]

Dimethylsulfamoyl chloride [13360-57-1]

Dimethyl sulfate [77-78-1]

Dinitrotoluene (mixtures of isomers) [25321-14-6]

Ethylene oxide [75-21-8]

Ethyleneimine [151-56-4]

Glass fibres (fibrous dust)

Glycidol (Glycide) [556-52-5]

Glycidyl trimethylammonium chloride [3033-77-0]

Hexamethylphosphoric acid triamide [3033-77-0]

Hydrazine [302-01-2]

Hydrazobenzene [122-66-7]

Hydroquinone [123-31-9]

Indeno[1,2,3-cd]pyrene [193-39-5]

Indium phosphate [22398-80-7]

5-Methyl-o-anisidine [120-71-8]

4,4ʹ-Methylenebis(2-chloroaniline) (MOCA) [101-14-4]

4,4ʹ-Methylenebis(N,N-dimethylaniline) [101-61-1]

4,4ʹ-Methylenebis(2-methylaniline) [838-88-0]

Methyl iodide [74-88-4]

1-Methylpyrene [2381-21-7]

Michler’s ketone [90-94-8]

Monomethylhydrazine [60-34-4]

Naphthalene [91-20-3]

5-Nitroacenaphthene [602-87-9]

2-Nitroanisole [91-23-6]

4-Nitrobenzylphenyl [92-93-3]

2-Nitronaphthalene [581-89-5]

2-Nitropropane [79-46-9]

N-Nitrosodi-n-butylamine [924-16-3]

N-Nitrosodiethanolamine [1116-54-7]

N-Nitrosodiethylyamine [55-18-5]

N-Nitrosodipropylamine [601-77-4]

N-Nitrosodimethylamine [62-75-9]

N-Nitrosodi-n-propylamine [621-64-7]

N-Nitrosoethylphenylamine [612-64-6]
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N-Nitrosomethylethylamine [10595-95-6]
N-Nitrosomethylphenylamine [614-00-6]
N-Nitrosomorpholine [59-89-2]
N-Nitrosopiperidine [100-75-4]
N-Nitrosopyrrolidine [930-55-2]
2-Nitrotoluene [88-72-2]
5-Nitro-o-toluidine [99-55-8]
Ochratoxin A [303-47-9]
4,4’-Oxydianiline [101-80-4]
Pentachlorophenol [87-86-5]
Phenyl glycidyl ether (PGE) [122-60-1]
Potassium titanates (fibrous dust), several CAS Nos and formulas
β-Propiolactone [57-57-8]
Propylene imine [75-55-8]
Rock wool (fibrous dust)
Silicon carbide [409-21-2] (fibrous dust)
Tetrafluoroethene [116-14-3]
Tetrachloromethane [509-14-8]
4,4’-Thiodianiline [139-65-1]
2,4-Toluenediamine (2,4-TDA) [95-80-7]
2,3,4-Trichloro-1-butene [2431-50-7]
1,2,3-Trichloropropane [96-18-4]
2,4,5-Trimethylaniline [137-17-7]
2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene [118-96-7]
Uranium [7440-61-1] and its hardly soluble inorganic compounds
Vanadium [7440-62-2] and its inorganic compounds (inhalable fraction)
4-Vinylcyclohexene [100-40-3]
4-Vinyl-1-cyclohexene dioxide [106-87-6]
2,4-Xyldiene [95-68-1]
2,6-Xyldiene [87-62-7]

For substances in Categories 1 and 2, exposure to which is considered to involve a distinct cancer risk for man, no MAK value is listed in Section IIa since a safe concentration range cannot be given. For some of these substances, even uptake through the intact skin is very dangerous. Substances in Categories 1 or 2, for which, as a result of the mechanism of action, a dose or concentration without carcinogenic effects, a “No Adverse Effect Level” (NAEL), can be expected, but the database is not sufficient to be able to derive a MAK value and reclassify them in Categories 4 or 5, are designated in Sections II and III of the List of MAK and BAT Values with the footnote “Prerequisite for Category 4 (or 5) in principle fulfilled, but insufficient data available for the establishment of a MAK or BAT value”.

Where it is necessary to employ such substances for industrial purposes, special measures are required for protection and monitoring. These include: 1. routine analysis of the workplace air with analytical methods which are appropriate and sufficiently sensitive for the purpose; 2. special medical supervision of exposed individuals whereby, e.g., regular tests must be performed to determine whether the substance or its metabolites are detectable in the human body or whether appropriate effect parameters have been altered.
Continual technical improvements should make it possible to prevent these substances from occurring in the workplace air or from directly affecting the individual at work. Where this goal cannot presently be attained, additional protective measures are required (e.g., individual respirators and protective clothing, shorter periods in the area of danger, etc.) so that exposure is minimal. The kind of protective measures which are necessary also depends on the particular physical characteristics of the substance and on the nature and intensity of its carcinogenic effect.

3. Substances that cause concern that they could be carcinogenic for man but cannot be assessed conclusively because of lack of data. The classification in Category 3 is provisional. Substances for which the available studies have yielded evidence of carcinogenic effects that is not sufficient for classification of the substance in one of the other categories. Further studies are required before a final decision can be made. A MAK or BAT value can be established, provided no genotoxic effects have been detected for the substance or its metabolites or the genotoxic effect is not the main effect.

Acetamide [60-35-5]
Acrolein [107-02-8]
Allyl alcohol [107-18-6]
Allyl chloride [107-05-1]
4-Aminodiphenylamine [101-54-2]
3-Amino-9-ethylcarbazole [132-32-1]
p-Anisidine [104-94-9]
p-Aramid [26125-61-1] (fibrous dust)
1H-Benzotriazole [95-14-7]
Benzoyl chloride [98-88-4] see also α-Chlorinated toluenes
Biphenyl [92-52-4]
Bitumen (high-temperature processing, vapours and aerosols) [8052-42-4; 64741-56-6/64742-93-4] (straight-run bitumen, air-rectified bitumen)
Bromochloromethane [74-97-5]
1,4-Butane sultone [1633-83-6]
n-Butyl glycidyl ether (BGE) [2426-08-6]
tert-Butyl glycidyl ether [7665-72-7]
tert-Butyl-4-hydroxyanisole (BHA) [25013-16-5]
tert-Butyl methyl ether [1634-04-4]
Calcium sodium metaphosphate [23209-59-8] (fibrous dust)
Carbon black (inhalable fraction)
Chlordane [57-74-9]
Chlorinated paraffins unbranched chains, several CAS Nos, e.g. [63449-39-8]
Chlorinated paraffins form a group of compounds with different degrees and positions of chlorine substitution. Chlorinated paraffins with low chlorine content and short chain length can occur as a particle-vapour mixture, whereas chlorinated paraffins with a large quantity of chlorine or with long alkyl chains occur only as particles.
Chloroacetaldehyde [107-20-0]
Chloroacetamide-N-methylol (CAM) [2832-19-1] releases formaldehyde
2-Chloroacrylonitrile [920-37-6]
Chloroethane [75-00-3]
Chloroformic acid ethyl ester [541-41-3]
3-Chloro-2-methylpropene [563-47-3]
o-Chloronitrobenzene [88-73-3]
p-Chloronitrobenzene [100-00-5]
4-Chlorophenyl isocyanate [104-12-1]
3-Chloro-1,2-propanediol (α-Chlorohydrin) [96-24-2]
5-Chloro-o-toluidine [95-79-4]
Coal mine dust (respirable fraction)
Cresyl glycidyl ethers mixture of isomers [26447-14-3] o-isomer [2210-79-9]
Crotonaldehyde [123-73-9; 4170-30-3]
Cyclohexanone [108-94-1]
Diacetyl [431-03-8]
3,3′-Diaminobenzidine and its tetrahydrochloride [91-95-2; 7411-49-6]
Di-n-butyl phosphate [107-66-4] and its technical mixtures
Di-n-butyl phthalate [84-74-2]
1,1-Dichloroethane [75-34-3]
1,2-Dichloromethoxyethane [41683-62-9]
3,4-Dichloronitrobenzene [99-54-7]
4-(2,4-Dichlorophenoxy)benzenamine [14861-17-7]
2,2-Dichloro-1,1,1-trifluoroethane (FC-123) [306-83-2]
Diethanolamine [111-42-2]

Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodiethanolamine, see Section III "Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation".

Diethylcarbamoyl chloride [88-10-8]
1,1-Difluoroethylene [75-38-7]
Diglycidyl ether (DGE) [2238-07-5]
Diisodecyl phthalate [26761-40-0]
Diisotridecyl phthalate [27253-26-5]
2,5-Dimethoxy-4-chloroaniline [6358-64-1]
N,N-Dimethylaniline [121-69-7]
Dimethyl hydrogen phosphite [868-85-9]
Dinitrobenzene (all isomers) [25154-54-5]
Dinitronaphthalene (all isomers) [27478-34-8]
Diphenylamine [122-39-4]
Di(2-propylheptyl) phthalate [53306-54-0]
Distillates (petroleum) [64742-47-8] hydrotreated light (aerosol)
Distillates (petroleum) [64742-47-8] hydrotreated light (vapour)
Ditridecyl phthalate [119-06-2]
3,4-Epoxy cyclohexane carboxylic acid (3,4-epoxycyclohexylmethyl) ester [2386-87-0]
Ethidium bromide [1239-45-8]
Ethylene [74-85-1]
Ethylene thiourea [96-45-7]
Furfural [98-01-1]
Furfuryl alcohol [98-00-0]
Glyoxal [107-22-2]
Halloysite [12298-43-0] (fibrous dust)
Hexachloroethane [67-72-1]
Hexahydrophthalic acid diglycidylester [5493-45-8]
Hydrogen selenide [7783-07-5]
Iron oxides (inhalable fraction) [1345-25-1; 1309-37-1; 1309-38-2; 1317-61-9]
with the exception of iron oxides which are not biologically available
Isophorone [78-59-1]
Isopropylbenzene (cumene) [98-82-8]
Isopropyl glycidyl ether (IGE) [4016-14-2]
Isopropyl oil
residue of isopropyl alcohol production
Kaolinite [1332-58-7]
quartz content must be considered separately
Kerosine (petroleum) (aerosol) [8008-20-6]
applies to skin contact
Kerosine (petroleum) (vapour) [8008-20-6]
applies to skin contact
Magnesium oxide sulfate [12286-12-3] (fibrous dust)
2-Mercaptobenzothiazole [149-30-4]
Mercury [7439-97-6] and its inorganic compounds (as Hg)
Mercury, organic compounds
Metal-working fluids which contain nitrite or nitrite-forming compounds and sub-
stances which react with nitrite to yield nitrosamines
N-Methylaniline [100-61-8]
Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosomethylaniline, see Section III
"Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation".
Methyl bromide [74-83-9]
N-Methyl-N,2,4,6-tetranitroaniline [479-45-8]
Molybdenum trioxide [1313-27-5]
Naphthenic acids and sodium, calcium, potassium napthenates [1338-24-5; 61790-13-4;
61789-36-4; 66072-08-0] (technical mixtures)
1,5-Naphthylene diisocyanate [3173-72-6]
1-Naphthylthiourea [86-88-4]
Nemalite [1317-43-7] (fibrous dust)
2-Nitro-4-aminophenol [119-34-6]
4-Nitroaniline [100-01-6]
4-Nitrobenzoic acid [62-23-7]
Nitrogen dioxide [10102-44-0]
Nitroglycerin [55-63-0]
Nitromethane [75-52-5]
1-Nitronaphthalene [86-57-7]
2-Nitro-p-phenylenediamine [5307-14-2]
Nitropyrenes (Mono-, Di-, Tri-, Tetra-) (isomers)
N-Nitrosodiphenylamine [86-30-6]
3-Nitrotoluene [99-08-1]
4-Nitrotoluene [99-99-0]
Olaquindox (N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)-3-methyl-2-quinoxalinecarboxamide 1,4-dioxide)
[23696-28-8]
Ozone [10028-15-6]
Pentachloroethane [76-01-7]
Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS) [1763-23-1] and its salts
Phenol [108-95-2]
Phenyl arsenic compounds [637-03-6]
o-Phenylenediamine [95-54-5]
m-Phenylenediamine [108-45-2]
p-Phenylenediamine [106-50-3]
Phenylhydrazine [100-63-0]
Picric acid [88-89-1]
Portland cement dust [65997-15-1]
Cr(VI) content and quartz level to be assessed separately
Pyridine [110-86-1]
Quinone [106-51-4]
Rhodium [7440-16-6] and its inorganic compounds
Selenium [7782-49-2] and its inorganic compounds (as Se)
Sepiolite (fibrous dust), several CAS Nos and formulas
Slag wool (fibrous dust)
Talc [14807-96-6] (without asbestos fibres) (respirable fraction)
Tetrachloroethylene [127-18-4]
Thiourea [62-56-6]
p-Toluidine [106-49-0]
Tribromomethane [75-25-2]
1,1,2-Trichloroethane [79-00-5]
Tricresyl phosphate, sum of all o-isomers [78-30-8]
1,3,5-Triethylhexahydro-1,3,5-triazine [7779-27-3]
releases formaldehyde
Trimethyl phosphate [512-56-1]
2,4,7-Trinitrofluorenone [129-79-3]
Uranium compounds, soluble inorganic
Vinylidene chloride [75-35-4]
Wood dust (except beech and oak wood dust)
Xyldidine (isomers)

The monitoring of the health of employees using substances classified in Category 3 must be intensified. In addition, the branches of industry which produce and process such substances are requested – as are all relevantly involved research laboratories – to participate in the effort to shed light on the cancer-correlation question and, where necessary, to search for harmless alternative substances.

Category 3 will be re-evaluated annually to determine whether substances must be reassigned to Categories 1 or 2, whether the database permits their transfer to one of the Categories 4 or 5 or whether they require no classification and can be dismissed completely from Section III of this list.
4. Substances that cause cancer in humans or animals or that are considered to be carcinogenic for humans and for which a MAK value can be derived. A non-genotoxic mode of action is of prime importance and genotoxic effects play no or at most a minor part, provided the MAK and BAT values are observed. Under these conditions no contribution to human cancer risk is expected. The classification is supported especially by evidence that, for example, increases in cellular proliferation, inhibition of apoptosis or disturbances in cellular differentiation are important in the mode of action. The classification and the MAK and BAT values take into consideration the manifold mechanisms contributing to carcinogenesis and their characteristic dose-time-response relationships.

Acrylic acid polymer (neutralized, cross-linked)

α-Aluminium oxide [1302-74-5] (corundum)
extcept for aluminium oxide fibres and ultrafine particles; see section Vh

Amitrole [61-82-5]

Aniline [62-53-3]

Barium sulfate [7727-43-7] (respirable fraction)
electric for ultrafine particles; see section Vh

n-Butyltin compounds (as Sn [7440-31-5])

Chlorinated biphenyls [53469-21-9]

Chlorinated biphenyls form a group of compounds with different degrees and positions of chlorine substitution; often, more than one of these substances occur simultaneously at the workplace. Chlorinated biphenyls with low chlorine content (up to 5 chlorine atoms) can occur as a particle-vapour mixture, whereas chlorinated biphenyls with a large quantity of chlorine occur only as particles.

Chloroform [67-66-3]

2,6-Di-tert-butyl-p-cresol (3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxytoluene) (BHT) [128-37-0]

Dichloroacetic acid [79-43-6] and its salts

1,4-Dichlorobenzene [106-46-7]

Di(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP) [117-81-7]

N,N-Dimethylformamide [68-12-2]

1,4-Dioxane [123-91-1]

Dust, general threshold limit value (respirable fraction) (biopersistent granular dusts)
electric for ultrafine particles; see section Vh

1,2-Epoxypropane [75-56-9]

Ethylbenzene [100-41-4]

Formaldehyde [50-00-0]

Furan [110-00-9]

Glutaraldehyde [111-30-8]

Graphite [7782-42-5] (respirable fraction)
electric for ultrafine particles; see section Vh

Heptachlor [76-44-8]

Hexachlorobenzene [118-74-1]

Hexachloro-1,3-butadiene [87-68-3]

α-Hexachlorocyclohexane [319-84-6]

β-Hexachlorocyclohexane [319-85-7]

1,2,3,4,5,6-Hexachlorocyclohexane techn. mixture of α-HCH [319-84-6] and β-HCH [319-85-7]

Hydrogen peroxide [7722-84-1]

★ Lead [7439-92-1] and its inorganic compounds (inhalable fraction)
electric lead arsenate and lead chromate

Lindane [58-89-9]
Magnesium oxide [1309-48-4] (respirable fraction) except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh

4,4′-Methylene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI) [101-68-8] (inhalable fraction) see also “polymeric MDI”

Nitrilotriacetic acid [139-13-9] and its sodium salts
Avoid simultaneous exposure to iron compounds (formation of FeNTA).

Nitrobenzene [98-95-3]
n-Octyltin compounds (as Sn [7440-31-5])
Peracetic acid [79-21-0]
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) [335-67-1] and its salts
o-Phenylphenol [90-43-7] see also Sodium o-phenylphenol
Phenyltin compounds (as Sn [7440-31-5])
Pigment Yellow 12, Pigment Yellow 13, Pigment Yellow 83 [6358-85-6; 5102-83-0; 5567-15-7]
“polymeric MDI” [9016-87-9] (inhalable fraction) see also 4,4′-Methylene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI)

“polymeric MDI” (pMDI) is a technical grade MDI, containing 30–80% w/w 4,4′-methylene diphenyl isocyanate (MDI); the remainder consists of MDI oligomers and MDI homologues.

Polytetrafluoroethene [9002-84-0] (respirable fraction) except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh
Polyvinyl chloride [9002-86-2] except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh
Sodium o-phenylphenol [132-27-4]
Sulfuric acid [7664-93-9]
Tantalum [7440-25-7] (respirable fraction) except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh

2,3,7,8-Tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin [1746-01-6]
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane [79-34-5]
Tetrachloromethane [56-23-5]
Tetrahydrofuran [109-99-9]
Titanium dioxide [13463-67-7] (respirable fraction) except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh
Tributyl phosphate [126-73-8]
Vinyl acetate [108-05-4]
N-Vinyl-2-pyrrolidone [88-12-0]
Zirconium dioxide [1314-23-4; 12036-23-6] (respirable fraction) except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh

5. **Substances that cause cancer in humans or animals or that are considered to be carcinogenic for humans and for which a MAK value can be derived.** A genotoxic mode of action is of prime importance but is considered to contribute only very slightly to human cancer risk, provided the MAK and BAT values are observed. The classification and the MAK and BAT values are supported by information on the mode of action, dose-dependence and toxicokinetic data.

Acetaldehyde [75-07-0]
Dichloromethane [75-09-2]
Ethanol [64-17-5]
Isoprene (2-Methyl-1,3-butadiene) [78-79-5]
Styrene [100-42-5]
For these substances, exposure at the level of the MAK value makes only a small contribution to the cancer risk. The derivation of the MAK value is described in more detail in the documentation for each substance.

The monitoring of the health of employees using substances classified in Categories 4 and 5 must be intensified since after exposures at levels exceeding the MAK or BAT value an increase in the cancer risk is conceivable.

Groups of substances requiring special consideration

Carcinogenic medicines

Results from animal studies or experience of effects in man suggest that a number of medicines have carcinogenic effects. Exposure of employees to such substances can occur during the manufacturing process, therapeutic use and in research laboratories.

Substances with a genotoxic therapeutic mechanism are assumed to be carcinogenic. This assumption is supported by the development of novel tumours in patients undergoing treatment with alkylating cytostatics such as cyclophosphamide, ethylenimine or chlor-naphazine as well as with ointments containing arsenic or tar after use for long periods.

Consequently, it must be assumed that a hazard exists when these substances are handled occupationally. Suitable precautions must guarantee that exposure to such substances is prevented.

Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation

Nitrosatable amines require particular attention because in the presence of nitrosating agents they may be transformed into potentially strongly carcinogenic nitroso compounds. A detailed account of “Nitrosation of volatile amines at the workplace” may be found online under https://doi.org/10.1002/3527600418.mb0b03e0001.

The formation of nitrosamines from such amines has not only been observed in model experiments but – at least for some of the compounds – has also been demonstrated at the workplace. The amine-containing substances and end products handled at work can themselves be contaminated to a considerable extent with the corresponding nitrosamines. Under conditions encountered in practice nitrosation is to be expected particularly with secondary amines, although in principle, primary and tertiary amines may also undergo nitrosation reactions. Nitrogen oxides are the most probable nitrosating agents. In addition, nitrosation of amines may be brought about by nitrosyl chloride, nitrite esters, metal nitrates and nitroso compounds.

The potential danger associated with any particular amine arises on the one hand from the readiness with which it undergoes nitrosation reactions, and on the other from the degree of carcinogenicity of the corresponding nitrosamine. For both parameters considerable differences are to be found between the various amines. In model studies several factors such as pH, temperature, catalysts and inhibitors are known to determine the extent of nitrosation. Nitrosation of amines can take place not only in acid milieu but also in alkaline. Because nitrogen oxides are effective nitrosating agents also in alkaline milieu, when nitrosatable amines are present nitrogen oxides should be excluded. The reaction of nitrite with nitrosatable amines is accelerated by the presence of formaldehyde, which also causes extension towards the alkaline of the pH range in which significant levels of nitrosation can take place.

24) see “Carcinogenic Medicines” (1990). DOI: https://doi.org/10.1002/3527600418.mb0200e0001
nitrosation are possible (see documentation of MAK values25) “Kühlschmierstoffe” (Metal-working fluids)). At present, however, it is not possible to make quantitative predictions as to the formation of nitrosamines under the complex conditions found at the workplace and in mixtures of substances found there. Two precautionary measures are therefore necessary when handling amines at the workplace:

1. Simultaneous exposure to nitrosating agents should be reduced to a minimum. This can be put into practice by eliminating nitrosating agents, or – if they play a role in the actual process – by replacing them with substances which do not lead to the formation of carcinogenic nitrosamines. In particular, the level of nitrogen oxides at the workplace should be monitored and reduced when necessary.

2. The level of nitrosamines in the workplace air and in substances containing amines should be monitored. This applies particularly when amines are used from which highly carcinogenic nitroso compounds, e.g., nitrosodimethylamine or nitrosodiethylamine, can be formed.

**Monocyclic aromatic amino and nitro compounds**

The List of MAK and BAT Values includes more than 30 monocyclic aromatic amino and nitro compounds, most of which are classified in Categories 1 to 3 for carcinogenic substances, but there are also some with MAK values and others for which no MAK value could be established and which are therefore listed in Section II b of the List of MAK and BAT Values. Comparison of these compounds (see “Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründungen von MAK-Werten”) reveals that their acute and chronic toxic effects are very similar. When they are tested with appropriate methods, they may be shown to have carcinogenic potential (Categories 1 or 2) or at least to be suspected carcinogens (Category 3). And the substances all cause very similar kinds of tumours. The substances are generally only weakly genotoxic. Therefore, it is considered that the acute toxic effects play an important role, a role in tumour promotion. The creation of the Categories 4 and 5 for carcinogenic substances made it necessary to review the contribution of genotoxic and non-genotoxic properties to the carcinogenicity of (especially) suspected carcinogens (substances in Category 3) and to decide whether they could be reclassified in one of the new categories. In addition, inconsistencies in the classification of these substances had become apparent. Because there is frequently insufficient information available for the classification of individual substances, it seems sensible to draw conclusions on the basis of analogy with structurally related compounds. The comparison reveals that this is possible within certain limits but that, in the absence of appropriate data, it is not possible to decide with any certainty where a substance belongs in the spectrum between weak and powerful carcinogens.

Practically all the monocyclic aromatic amino and nitro compounds reviewed here are methaemoglobin producers and most cause haemosiderosis. This suggests that the N-hydroxylamines formed from the compounds are responsible for the toxic effects in experimental animals and in man. It has, however, not yet been demonstrated whether the observed differences between sexes and species and in target organs may all be explained in terms of toxico-kinetically induced differences in the bioavailability of the effective metabolites. It is also not clear whether the genotoxic or acute toxic effects are influenced

by the release of iron during methaemoglobin formation or erythrocyte turnover and by the “oxidative stress” associated with these processes.

In any case, toxic tissue changes and fibrosis precede tumour development in the spleen, liver and kidneys.

Genotoxic effects have been demonstrated for many monocyclic aromatic amino and nitro compounds and are likely for others. Because of this (albeit weak) genotoxicity, a classification in Category 5 for carcinogenic substances could seem appropriate. However, there is considerable evidence that tissue damage is decisive for the tumour development and that the substances should be classified in Category 4. But such a classification requires that the causes and dose-dependence of the tissue damage are understood.

The comparison of these substances also indicates that the haematoxic members of the group must generally be seen to be risk factors for cancer and should be re-examined to decide whether they should be classified in one of the categories for carcinogenic substances.

**Azo colourants**

Azo colourants are characterised by the azo group —N=N—. They are made by the coupling of singly and multiply diazotized aryl amines. Of particular toxicological importance are colourants from doubly diazotized benzidine and benzidine derivatives (3,3'-dimethylbenzidine, 3,3'-dimethoxybenzidine, 3,3'-dichlorobenzidine). In addition, aminoazobenzene, aminonaphthalene and monocyclic aromatic amines are encountered. Reductive fission of the azo group, either by intestinal bacteria or by azo reductases of the liver and of extrahepatic tissues, can cause these compounds to be released. Such breakdown products have been detected in animal experiments as well as in man (urine). Mutagenicity, which has been observed with numerous azo colourants in in vitro test systems, and the carcinogenicity in animal experiments are attributed to the release of amines and their subsequent metabolic activation. There are now epidemiological indications that occupational exposure to benzidine-based azo colourants can increase the incidence of bladder carcinoma.

Thus all azo colourants whose metabolism can liberate a carcinogenic aryl amine are suspected of having carcinogenic potential. Due to the large number of such dyes (several hundred) it seems neither possible nor justifiable to substantiate this suspicion in each individual case by means of animal experimentation according to customary classification criteria. Instead, scientific models have to be relied on. Therefore, as a preventive measure to avoid putting exposed persons at risk, it is recommended that the substances be dealt with as if they were classified in the same categories as the corresponding carcinogenic or suspected carcinogenic amines (Categories 1, 2, 3). If there are indications that the colourant itself (e.g. a pigment) or any carcinogenic breakdown product is not biologically available, the absence of risk should be proved experimentally or substantiated by biomonitoring. Suitable animal experiments can also rule out a suspected carcinogenic potential.

**Pyrolysis products of organic materials**

If organic material is heated or combusted with a limited supply of oxygen, mixtures are produced whose compositions are dependent on the starting material and the reaction conditions. These mixtures contain, among numerous other substances, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH).
The extremely complex mixtures which have been examined to date contain, simultaneously and in widely differing proportions, carcinogenic components and substances which promote cancer development, as well as fractions which inhibit the carcinogenic effects of concurrently present components.

Many of the PAH which occur regularly in pyrolysis products are carcinogenic in animal studies. They are present at particularly high levels in

- brown coal tars (soft coal tars),
- coal tars (black coal tars),
- coal tar pitches,
- coal tar oils,
- coke oven emissions.

The carcinogenic effect after occupational exposures to these mixtures of aromatic compounds has been demonstrated in epidemiological studies. Therefore, they are classified in

**Category 1.**

Particularly the local carcinogenic effects of these mixtures are accounted for largely in terms of their content of PAH. Such effects are therefore also to be expected with other PAH-containing mixtures. The levels and significance of other carcinogenic components of these mixtures has not yet been studied in detail. Thus, although

*diesel engine emissions* \(^{26}\)

also contain PAH, in this case it is probably the soot particles which determine the carcinogenic effect. This has been demonstrated only in animal studies and therefore diesel engine emissions are classified in

**Category 2.**

The carcinogenic effects of other mixtures such as, e.g., petrol engine emissions, used motor oils, curing smoke, used cutting oils, have not yet been studied in as much detail. The composition of these mixtures also makes them difficult to define. If, however, exposure to PAH which have been shown in animal studies to be carcinogenic, e.g.,

- anthanthrene,
- benzo[a]anthracene,
- benzo[b]fluoranthenes,
- benzo[jj]fluoranthenes,
- benzo[k]fluoranthes,
- benzo[b]naphtho[2,1-d]thiophene,
- benzo[a]pyrene,
- chrysene,
- cyclopenta[cd]pyrene,
- dibenzo[a,h]anthracene,
- dibenzo[a,e]pyrene,

\(^{26}\) Because of the new diesel engine technology the emissions have changed significantly in quality and quantity. Since it must be assumed that these new diesel engines were introduced at the end of the 1990s, all the available epidemiological studies which were evaluated in 2007 are based on exposures to emissions from older diesel engines. The emissions from the new diesel engines can not be evaluated until appropriate studies become available.
dibenzo[a,h]pyrene,
dibenzo[a,i]pyrene,
dibenzo[a,l]pyrene,
indeno[1,2,3-cd]pyrene,
1-methylpyrene,
naphthalene,
can be demonstrated during work with such pyrolysis products, the mixtures should be handled like the substances in Category 2, except for phenanthrene and pyrene, which are not classified in a Carcinogen category on the basis of the data (see documentation “Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) 2012”; DOI: https://doi.org/10.1002/3527600418.mb0223orge0027a).

It will be possible to establish a clearer, more quantitative relationship between exposure and an increase in cancer risk when more precise data for the compositions of specific mixtures and of their cancer-producing effects are available (see also documentation “Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) 2012”). The Commission emphasizes the urgency of such investigations.

Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) may be readily absorbed through the skin. Therefore, pyrolysis products and other mixtures containing PAH should be handled like substances designated with an “H” (see Section VII Percutaneous absorption; see also documentation “Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) 2012”).

**Fibrous dusts**

Not only certain kinds of asbestos but also the fibrous zeolite, erionite, is considered to produce tumours in man. In addition, a number of fibrous dusts have been shown to produce tumours in experimental animals after inhalation or after intratracheal instillation or direct local administration into the chest (intrapleural) or abdominal (intraperitoneal) cavity.

When all the information as to the effects of dust on man and the effects seen in studies with animals and cultured cells is taken into account, it must be concluded that, unlike the non-fibrous insoluble dusts of corresponding composition,

- the fibrous asbestos dust particles which are durable in the organism must be seen as the cause of the tumorigenic effects of asbestos
- and that, in principle, all kinds of elongated dust particles have the potential, like asbestos fibres, to cause tumours if they are sufficiently long, thin and durable in vivo.

Factors also suggested to play a role include other properties of fibres such as their surface characteristics.

The animal studies have also demonstrated that longer or more durable fibres have higher carcinogenic potency than shorter or less durable fibres.

**Classification criteria**

**a. Properties of carcinogenic fibres**

According to the internationally accepted convention established in the 1960s for measuring levels of asbestos dust at workplaces by counting the fibres under the light microscope, only particles with a ratio of length to diameter greater than 3:1 and which are longer than 5 μm and have a diameter less than 3 μm are counted. The term fibrous dust is
used here for fibres of these dimensions. With such fibrous dusts in animal studies, the number of fibres has been shown to correlate positively with the tumour incidence.

The above definition, however, does not distinguish clearly between carcinogenic and non-carcinogenic fibres. The presently available data do not make it possible to state precisely from which fibre length or diameter or from which length to diameter ratio and from which durability fibres possess the biological activity resulting in tumour induction. Nevertheless, at present there is no other definition which has a better scientific basis.

The situation is made more difficult by the fact that, with the exception of a few inorganic and organic textile fibres, fibrous materials produce dusts in which the fibre lengths and diameters are spread over a wide range.

In addition, the diameter of fibres, e.g., asbestos fibres, can be reduced after incorporation by longitudinal splitting. Then fibres with diameters less than 3 μm can be found in the lungs although, before splitting, the fibres in the inhaled air did not fit the definition of fibrous dust.

b. Effects in man
Epidemiological studies of the inhabitants of three villages in central Anatolia together with mineralogical studies and analyses of the fibres in lung dust produced convincing evidence that erionite fibres cause mesothelioma and lung cancer.

In epidemiological studies carried out in factories producing glass fibre and glass wool, no convincing evidence of an increased risk of developing mesothelioma or lung cancer was found. An increased risk of developing lung cancer was found for persons exposed to rock and slag wool but could not be associated unequivocally with the exposure to these fibrous dusts.

The studies available to date neither confirm nor refute the proposal that man-made mineral fibres have carcinogenic effects but this was not to be expected since, even if the individual fibres were as carcinogenic as asbestos fibres, the tumorigenicity would not be detectable at the low exposure concentrations measured in these studies. At present there are no appropriate studies of workplaces where persons processing or using fibres are exposed to the much higher fibre concentrations necessary to examine with sufficient sensitivity the question of the carcinogenic effects in man.

c. Animal inhalation studies
The results of inhalation studies with fibrous dusts are not always consistent so that positive results obtained in some studies could not be confirmed in others. The main reason for this inconsistency is that it is difficult to ensure that a sufficient dose of the carcinogenic fibre fraction reaches the target tissue. The fibres which are relevant for the effects in man, for example, penetrate the nasal filter of rodents either only poorly or not at all. For crocidolite, which has been shown to be carcinogenic in man, positive results have been obtained in only one adequately documented inhalation study with rats but negative results in several adequately documented studies.

Thus a negative result in an inhalation study does not exclude the possibility that the substance has carcinogenic effects. Positive results in the lung must be analysed to determine whether overloading has occurred.
d. Animal studies with intratracheal instillation, intrapleural or intraperitoneal injection

Many kinds of fibre have proved to be carcinogenic after administration by intratracheal instillation or by intrapleural or intraperitoneal injection. These administration routes are unphysiological but they guarantee a high dose of fibres immediately after application at the sites which are relevant for man (bronchial tract, pleura and peritoneum). Thus, in the studies with intratracheal, intraperitoneal or intrapleural administration, a longer time and higher dose is available for tumour production than in inhalation studies where the fibre concentration in the target organs builds up only slowly.

With these methods, dose-response relationships can be established; they have demonstrated that the carcinogenic effect is determined by the form of the fibre. Inhalation studies with selected ceramic fibres have confirmed positive results obtained in injection studies. Although the possibility of overloading the target tissue cannot be excluded with these administration routes, a positive result from such a study is considered to be good evidence that the fibre would be carcinogenic in man.

e. Genotoxicity and cell transformation studies

Genotoxicity and cell transformation studies with various fibres also demonstrate that fibre form largely determines the effects of fibres. Whereas numerical and structural chromosome changes were detected in a number of test systems, there was no conclusive evidence that fibres can induce point mutations.

f. Durability

From the results of animal studies with durable and non-durable fibres it is concluded that durability in the biological system has a considerable effect on the carcinogenicity of fibres. At present, however, it is not possible to define the degree of durability necessary for carcinogenic activity or to state to what extent the durability determines the carcinogenic potency of the fibres. Gypsum and wollastonite, e.g., dissolve in the organism within a period of some days to a few weeks and show no signs of carcinogenic effects even after intraperitoneal administration.

g. Mechanism

The mechanism of the toxicity and carcinogenicity of fibres is very complex and many aspects are unclear.

The formation of tumours in the lungs and on serous skin is mainly the result of inflammatory processes. Chronic inflammation and cell proliferation are caused by the impairment of fibre clearance; whereby inflammation-promoting cytokines, growth factors, reactive oxygen (ROS) and nitrogen species (RNS), and chlorine radicals are released from macrophages, alveolar cells and mesothelial cells. The generation of these radicals leads to indirect genotoxic effects.

Additional mechanistic aspects are:

i) the formation of ROS and RNS caused by the fibres themselves,

ii) the absorption of the fibres into the target cells by means of endocytosis, whereby ROS and RNS are released intracellularly causing genetic and epigenetic changes, and

iii) the stimulation of cell receptors and inflammasomes, which in turn activate intracellular signal pathways and thus give the impulse for cell proliferation and the resistance to apoptosis.
Summary
The fibre dust groups will be evaluated individually, and depending on the data available and taking into consideration the mechanism of action will be classified in one of the categories for carcinogens.

The results of the evaluation of the individual fibre groups are given in List II a “Substances with MAK values and substances listed in Sections II b and III to XII” 27).

Organic fibrous dusts
Evaluation of the carcinogenicity of organic fibres in the critical dimension range is not possible. Studies are necessary, for example of carcinogenicity, surface characteristics, bioavailability and durability, to enable assessment of the carcinogenic effects of organic fibres.

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IV Sensitizing substances

The allergies caused by substances at the workplace affect mostly the skin (contact eczema, contact urticaria), the respiratory passages (rhinitis, asthma, alveolitis) and the conjunctiva (blepharoconjunctivitis). The kind of allergy is determined by the route of uptake, the chemical properties of the substance and its aggregation state.

Contact allergies are generally manifested as contact eczema, the pathogenesis of which involves a T lymphocyte-mediated immune reaction of delayed type. Contact eczema is almost always caused by reactive substances of low molecular weight. Immunologically, these low molecular weight substances must be seen as haptens, prehaptens or prohaptens. They become complete allergens in the organism either by binding to peptides or proteins as such (haptens), after activation ex vivo (prehaptens) or after metabolism (prohaptens).

The development of a contact allergy of delayed type is determined by several factors, by the sensitization potential resulting from the chemical properties of the substance or the metabolites produced from it in the organism, by the exposure concentration and the duration and manner of exposure, by the genetic disposition of the person and, not least, by the state of the tissue with which the substance makes contact. The release of (pro-)inflammatory cytokines (e.g. TNF-α or interleukin-1β), which is triggered by existing inflammation of the skin or by irritation from a foreign substance, is necessary for the induction of sensitization. Thus, the irritating properties of a substance can increase its sensitization potential. Cytokine induction, which stimulates the immune response, can also be triggered by the additional contact with other irritating substances, e.g. detergents such as sodium dodecyl sulfate, which then provide the necessary (pro-)inflammatory stimulus. Furthermore, the irritating effect of these kinds of substances leads to increased penetration of the sensitizing substance. An effect which enhances (or decreases) penetration is also possible from non-irritating substances with suitable/adequate polarity (such as dimethyl sulfoxide). These types of cofactors and combinatorial effects, as well as particular factors relevant under conditions at the workplace and expressly pointed out in the documentation, are taken into account in the evaluation, as described in Chapter IV.c.

The sensitization potency of a substance is not necessarily reflected in the incidence of sensitizations which it causes because the clinical significance of a contact allergen is not only determined by its sensitization potency but also by the distribution of the substance and the possibilities of exposure to it. Quantitatively, the sensitization potential of a substance can best be estimated in animal studies, in particular in the Local Lymph Node Assay (LLNA) in the mouse. At present, in vitro studies are not yet sufficiently validated for this purpose.

Other allergic skin reactions, e.g., urticaria, involve immune reactions mediated by specific antibodies. Similar symptoms can also be produced, however, by mechanisms not involving immune reactions (see below).

Most respiratory allergens are macromolecules, mainly peptides or proteins. But low molecular weight substances can also produce specific immunological reactions in the airways (see List of allergens). Some of the low molecular weight respiratory allergens are also contact allergens.

The allergic reactions of the airways and conjunctiva which take the form of bronchial asthma or rhinoconjunctivitis mostly involve reaction of the allergen with specific IgE antibodies and belong to the manifestations of immediate type. However, in the deeper airways they can also first appear after a delay of several hours. Exogenous allergic
alveolitis is induced generally by allergen-specific immune complexes of IgG type and by cell-mediated reactions. Allergic reactions of immediate type can also cause systemic reactions and even anaphylactic shock.

The development of allergies of the respiratory passages, like that of contact allergies, is dependent on a number of factors. In addition to the substance-specific potential for causing sensitization, the amount of the allergen, the exposure period and the genetically determined disposition of the exposed person play a decisive role. Factors which increase the sensitivity of the mucosa may play a role in predisposing a person to allergy; they may be genetically determined or acquired, for example, during infections or exposure to irritant substances. Particular attention should be drawn to atopic diathesis which is characterized by an increased susceptibility to atopic eczema (neurodermatitis) or to allergic rhinitis and allergic bronchial asthma and is often associated with increased IgE synthesis.

In addition, there are also a number of relatively rare disorders of quite different kinds which are immunologically induced and so belong with the allergic phenomena such as, for example, manifestations involving granuloma formation (e.g. berylliosis) and certain exanthematous skin disorders.

A number of substances only induce the formation of antigens and then contact sensitization when they have previously been put into an energetically excited state by the absorption of light (photocontact sensitization, “photoallergization”). Likewise, many other substances can cause a skin reaction after exposure to light but without proof of an immunological mechanism (phototoxicity). Differentiation between phototoxicity and immunological photocontact sensitization can be difficult, as the classical factors that distinguish between (photo)allergic and (photo)toxic effects are not always found. In Anglo-American usage the expression “photosensitization” is used for both mechanisms. Although photocontact sensitization and phototoxicity involve primarily the physical activation (photosensitization) of a chromophore, both types of reactions are in principle clinically and diagnostically distinguishable.

It is still not possible to determine (and document scientifically) generally applicable threshold concentrations either for the induction of an allergy (sensitization) or for triggering the allergic reaction in an already sensitized person. The likelihood of induction increases with the concentration of the allergen to which persons are exposed. The concentrations required for the triggering of acute symptoms are generally lower than those required for sensitization. Even when MAK values are observed, the induction or triggering of an allergic reaction cannot be excluded with any certainty.

Sensitizing substances are indicated in the List of MAK and BAT Values under the abbreviation “Sens” by “Sa” or “Sh”. This designation refers only to the organ or organ system in which the allergic reaction is manifested. The pathological mechanism producing the symptoms is not taken into account. “Sh” designates substances which can cause allergic reactions of the skin and the mucosa close to the skin (skin-sensitizing substances). The designation “Sa” (substances causing airway sensitization) indicates that a sensitization can involve symptoms of the airways and also of the conjunctiva, and that other effects associated with reactions of immediate type are also possible. These include systemic effects (anaphylaxis) and local effects on the skin (urticaria). The latter reactions only result in the additional designation with “Sh” when the skin symptoms are relevant under workplace conditions. Substances which increase photosensitivity in exposed persons by mechanisms not involving immune reactions (e.g. furocoumarins) are not separately designated. On the other hand, substances which cause photocontact sensitization are designated with “SP” (e.g. bithionol). Separate criteria for their evaluation are not
necessary because, in essence, the criteria for the evaluation of substances causing contact sensitization may be applied. Some substances can cause local or systemic reactions the symptoms of which are entirely or largely identical to those of allergic reactions but which do not involve specific immunological mechanisms; they involve, e.g., the release of various mediators by mechanisms which are not immunological. These reactions are not a result of antigen-antibody interactions and can therefore also appear on the very first contact with the substance. Such reactions are induced, e.g., by sulfites, by benzoic acid and acetylsalicylic acid and their derivatives and by a variety of dyes such as tartrazine. Such substances are not designated with an “S”. However, attention is drawn to their potential for producing such non-immunological reactions in the documentation and in some cases in the List of MAK and BAT Values as well.

The criteria which are used in the evaluation of substances causing contact and airway sensitization are described below.

### a. Criteria for the assessment of contact allergens

The allergological evaluation is based on a variety of information which must be seen as providing different qualities of evidence.

1) **Sufficient evidence** of an allergenic effect is provided by valid results from either i) or ii):
   i) effects in man
   - studies in which numerous clinically relevant cases of sensitization (i.e. association of symptoms and exposure) were observed in tests with large collectives of patients in at least two independent centres, or
   - epidemiological studies which reveal a relationship between sensitization and exposure, or
   - case reports of clinically relevant sensitization (association of symptoms and exposure) for more than one patient from at least two independent centres

   or

   ii) results of experimental studies
   - at least one positive result in an animal study without adjuvant carried out according to accepted guidelines, or
   - positive results from at least two less well-documented animal studies carried out according to accepted guidelines, one of which did not use adjuvant,
   - at least two positive results from in vitro studies carried out according to test guidelines, in which different key events of contact sensitization were tested

2) An allergenic effect can be considered **probable** on the basis described in i) and ii) below:
   i) effects in man
   - studies in which numerous clinically relevant cases of sensitization (association of symptoms and exposure) were observed in tests in just one centre, or
   - studies in which numerous cases of sensitization without details of clinical relevance were observed in tests with large collectives of patients in at least two independent centres

   and

   ii) results of experimental studies
– a positive result in an animal study with adjuvant carried out according to accepted guidelines or
– positive results from an in vitro study carried out according to test guidelines,

or

– evidence from structural considerations based on sufficiently valid results for structurally closely related compounds.

3) An allergenic effect is **not sufficiently documented**, but also not excluded, when only the data listed below are available:
– insufficiently documented case reports, or
– only one positive result in an animal study with adjuvant carried out according to accepted guidelines, or
– positive results in animal studies which were not carried out according to accepted guidelines, or
– evidence from studies of structure-effect-relationships or from in vitro studies not carried out according to test guidelines.

Commentary:
Effects in man
The data obtained in numerous clinics and allergy centres from serial patch tests give us a useful picture of the frequency of skin sensitization and of the practical importance of the individual contact allergens. In contrast, useful results of reliable epidemiological studies are available for only few allergens.

The allergens which are observed most frequently, e.g., nickel, are not always the most potent sensitizers. On the other hand, very strongly sensitizing substances such as 2,4-dinitrochlorobenzene play quantitatively only a small role because only a small number of persons have sufficiently intensive contact with them. A number of highly potent contact allergens have been identified from clinical observations obtained in only a few patients, often after the first and only exposure (sometimes even after the first patch test). Examples of such substances are chloromethylimidazoline, diphenylcyclopropenone, quadratic acid diethyl ester, p-nitrobenzoyl bromide. For such exceptional substances, given proper scientific data, the evidence could be considered as ‘probable’ (category a2) even when the data come from just one centre.

The results of use tests in man with substances found at the workplace – often internal studies of the producing company – are of considerable value when they are carried out properly. Nowadays, the use of experimental sensitization tests must be rejected for ethical reasons, but historical results can be of importance in the evaluation of a substance.

Results of experimental studies
Animal studies to determine the potential of a substance to cause allergic sensitization were carried out with guinea pigs with or without the use of Freund’s complete adjuvant (FCA) and in the mouse. The most frequently used methods were the maximization test of Magnusson and Kligman (with FCA), and the Buehler test and LLNA (without FCA). The methods with FCA are generally more sensitive and their use can therefore occasionally result in overrating of the potential of sensitization. For this reason, a positive result in a test without adjuvant is considered in the test criteria to be better evidence than a positive result in one with adjuvant.
The tests with experimental animals generally yield useful data; that is, for most substances they have yielded results in agreement with the data obtained in man. One advantage of the experimental animal methods is that dose-response relationships can be studied.

The test systems used for in vitro studies refer to individual key events of the sensitization phase, such as the binding of the test substance to proteins, the activation of keratinocytes, the maturation and migration of dendritic cells or the activation and proliferation of T lymphocytes. The plausibility of positive findings from in vitro studies is examined. For this purpose, for example, the physico-chemical properties of the substances, existing knowledge of their reactivity with proteins or structure–effect relationships can be taken into consideration. An evaluation scheme in which merely a minimum number of positive findings is required is considered by the Commission to be too rigid an instrument for scientific evaluations.

Substances to which people have not yet been exposed or known to be exposed (e.g. because they have been newly synthesized or are newly available products) and for which, therefore, clinical data cannot be available (neither negative nor positive results of clinical observations can be applied as a criterion) can also be classified as probably sensitizing (category a2) simply on the basis of positive results from animal studies with adjuvant carried out according to accepted guidelines. Even plausible positive results from experimental studies not carried out according to accepted guidelines can be accepted, provided theoretical chemical structural considerations or well-founded mechanistic aspects indicate that the substance is so closely related to known allergens that it may be expected to have analogous properties. Theoretical considerations require practical confirmation; therefore, they are generally of less importance in the final evaluation and cannot be the only criterion for a potential sensitizing effect in the absence of other clinical or experimental data.

b. Criteria for the evaluation of respiratory allergens

The kinds of data which may be used in the evaluation of respiratory allergens are listed below; here too the different kinds of data provide different qualities of evidence.

1) Sufficient evidence of allergenic effects of a substance in the airways or the lungs is provided by valid data from:
   – studies or case reports of a specific hyperreactivity of the airways or the lungs which are indicative of an immunological mechanism from more than one patient and at least two independent testing centres. In addition, the (clinical) symptoms or adverse effects on the function of the upper or lower airways or the lungs must be shown to be associated with the exposure to the substance.

2) An allergenic effect can be considered probable on the basis of the results listed below:
   – one single case report of a specific hyperreactivity of the airways or the lungs
   and
   – other indications of sensitizing effects, e.g., a close structure-effect relationship with known airway allergens.

3) An allergenic effect is not sufficiently documented, but also not excluded, when only the data listed below are available:
– epidemiological studies which demonstrate an increased incidence of symptoms or impaired function in exposed persons, or
– studies or case reports of a specific hyperreactivity of the airways or the lungs in only one patient, or
– studies or case reports of sensitization (e.g. detection of IgE) without accompanying symptoms or impairment of function causally associated with the exposure, or
– positive results of animal studies, or
– positive results of in vitro studies, or
– structure-effect relationships with known respiratory allergens.

Commentary:
Generally, the classification is based on the results of epidemiological studies. Case reports do not always withstand critical examination, not least because of the difficulty or impossibility of carrying out adequate control studies. This is particularly true of inhalation-provocation tests. In addition, it is not always possible to produce adequate exposure data.

Symptoms are usually not a sufficient criterion for the designation of a substance as a respiratory allergen; generally, it is necessary to demonstrate sensitization and record objective changes such as exposure-related impairment of lung function or bronchial hyperreactivity to specific stimuli. An immunological mechanism can generally be recognized on the basis of in vivo (e.g. prick test) or in vitro test results, ideally by detection of a specific antibody after proved exposure.

For many substances, an immunological mechanism has not yet been demonstrated directly. Therefore, indirect evidence of immunological mechanisms can also be taken into account in classification. These include:

– the existence of a latency period between the start of the exposure and the appearance of the first symptoms (sensitization period),
– the triggering of symptoms with low concentrations of the substance which do not cause symptoms in appropriate controls,
– occasional delayed reactions or sequential immediate and delayed reactions (dual reactions) in the inhalation-provocation test,
– associated cutaneous symptoms such as urticaria or Quincke’s oedema.

An allergenic effect is not sufficiently documented, but also not excluded, when evidence of airway sensitization is available but the conditions described in the criteria are not fulfilled. In particular, epidemiological studies which demonstrate an increased incidence of symptoms or of impaired function in exposed persons (even with demonstrated dose-response relationships) do not provide sufficient evidence of sensitizing properties if no indications of a specific immunological mechanism are available. Likewise, studies or case reports which merely document workplace-related variations in lung function or bronchial hyperreactivity are not sufficient.

To date there is no thoroughly validated method to induce and detect respiratory allergies in an animal model.

In guinea pig models, sensitizing substances cause reactions like those seen in man. Sensitization can be induced by inhalation or by intradermal, subcutaneous injection or topical epidermal application. In these tests the respiratory hyperreactivity (respiration rate, tidal volume, respiratory minute volume, inhalation and exhalation times, exhalation rate) is measured. In the mouse IgE test, the potential of a substance to cause sensitization in BALB/c mice is determined as a function of the increase in the level of total IgE but not,
to date, as a function of substance-specific IgE. In studies in rats, effects are often investigated after topical induction and inhalation challenge treatment.

With these models no observed effect levels (NOEL) can be established but it is questionable whether they apply for man. Systematic comparative tests have not yet been carried out.

To date, sensitive and specific standardized in vitro methods for detecting low molecular weight respiratory allergens (and which can differentiate between respiratory and contact allergens) are not available. In addition, it is not possible to date to give a valid assessment of the sensitizing potential of the substance (with the exception of a few classes of substances such as e.g. the diisocyanates or the dicarboxylic acid anhydrides) on the airways on the basis of structural or mechanistic properties alone. These may, however, be useful when the data from experimental studies are ambiguous.

c. Designation of a substance as an allergen

Whether or not it is necessary to designate a substance as an allergen in the List of MAK and BAT Values is determined on the basis of the available evidence of allergenic effects and, when possible, also on the basis of the expected levels of exposure.

- The substances characterized according to the criteria in Section IV a) or IV b) as belonging in Categories 1) or 2) are generally designated as allergens with “Sa”, “Sh”, “Sah” or “SP”.
  - Substances for which these criteria are fulfilled are also designated with an “S” when the observed sensitization is associated mainly with cofactors which are (only) relevant under workplace conditions (e.g. (previous) damage to the skin caused by chemical or physical agents).

- On the other hand, substances are not designated with an “S” when
  - in spite of extensive handling of the substance, very few (well-documented) cases of sensitization are observed, or
  - the observed cases of sensitization are mainly associated with cofactors which are not relevant under workplace conditions (e.g. the presence of eczema on the lower leg), or
  - the criteria of Section IV a) or IV b) resulted in classification of the substance in category 3). This also includes substances for which a positive result was obtained in a study with experimental animals using adjuvant (maximization test); at the same time, however, no case of contact sensitization in humans was observed despite relevant exposure. A substance is not designated with “Sa” if the reactions which occurred are caused by irritating or pharmacological effects, since these effects were taken into account in establishing a MAK value.

- Thus, in individual cases a designation which differs from the designation according to the EU regulations for hazardous substances is possible.

The criteria are to be seen as guidelines for an intelligible evaluation of the data but in certain special cases their strict application may not be obligatory.
d. List of allergens

The list below shows the substances in Section II a which are designated with Sa, Sh, Sah or SP. It does not claim to be a complete list of sensitizing substances and is subject to continual revision and extension.

Abietic acid [514-10-3] (Sh)
also includes disproportionation and transposition products. An immunological genesis of the asthma often seen in persons working with materials containing abietic acid has not been proved.
Acrylamide [79-06-1] (Sh)
Acrylic acid 2-ethylhexyl ester [103-11-7] (Sh)
Acrylic acid 2-hydroxyethyl ester [818-61-1] (Sh)
Acrylic acid hydroxypropyl ester (all isomers) [25584-83-2] (Sh)
Acrylonitrile [107-13-1] (Sh)
Alkali persulfates (Sah)
Allyl glycidyl ether [106-92-3] (Sh)
p-Aminoazobenzene [60-09-3] (Sh)
α-Aminoazotoluene [97-56-3] (Sh)
4-Aminodiphenylamine [101-54-2] (Sh)
2-Aminoethanol [141-43-5] (Sh)
2-(2-Aminoethoxy)ethanol [929-06-6] (Sh)
3-Aminomethyl-3,5,5-trimethyl-cyclohexylamine (Isophorone diamine) [2855-13-2]
3-Aminophenol [591-27-5] (Sh)
p-Aminophenol [123-30-8] (Sh)
Ammonium persulfate [7727-54-0] (Sah)
α-Amylase (Sa)
α-Amylcinnamaldehyde [122-40-7] (Sh)
Aniline [62-53-3] (Sh)
Animal hair, epithelia and other materials derived from animals (Sah)
Azinphos-methyl [86-50-0] (Sh)
Benomyl [17804-35-2] (Sh)
1,2-Benzisothiazol-3(2H)-one [2634-33-5] (Sh)
Benzyl alcohol mono(poly)hemiformal [14548-60-8] (Sh)
releases formaldehyde
Beryllium [7440-41-7] and its inorganic compounds (Sah)
Alkali persulfates (Sah)

N,N-Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-(1,2,4-triazole-1-yl)methanamine [91273-04-0] (Sh)
Bisphenol A (4,4′-Isopropylidenediphenol) [80-05-7] (SP)
Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether [1675-54-3] (Sh)
Bisphenol A diglycidyl methacrylate [1565-94-2] (Sh)
Bisphenol A ethoxylate dimethacrylate [24448-20-2] (Sh)
Bisphenol A glycerolate [4687-94-9] (Sh)
Bisphenol F diglycidyl ether (Sh)
Bithionol [97-18-7] (SP)
Bromelain [9001-00-7] (Sa)
2-Bromo-2-nitro-1,3-propanediol [52-51-7] (Sh)
use forbidden as component of metal-working fluids and corrosion inhibitors: see “GelStoffV 2010, Anhang II (zu §16 Absatz 2), Nr. 4”
1,4-Butanediol diacrylate [1070-70-8] (Sh)
1,4-Butanediol diglycidyl ether [2425-79-8] (Sh)
1,4-Butanediol dimethacrylate [2082-81-7] (Sh)
1-Butanethiol [109-79-5] (Sh)
Butanone oxime [96-29-7] (Sh)
n-Butyl acrylate [141-32-2] (Sh)
tert-Butyl acrylate [1663-39-4] (Sh)
2-Butyl-1,2-benzisothiazolin-3-one [4299-07-4] (Sh)
p-tert-Butylicatehol [98-29-3; 27213-78-1] (Sh)
n-Butyl glycidyl ether (BGE) [2426-08-6] (Sh)
tert-Butyl glycidyl ether [7665-72-7] (Sh)
n-Butyl methacrylate [97-88-1] (Sh)
p-tert-Butylphenol [98-54-4] (Sh)
p-tert-Butylphenyl glycidyl ether [3101-60-8] (Sh)
Butyndiol [110-65-6] (Sh)
N-Carboxyanthranilic anhydride [118-48-9] (Sh)
Cellulases (Sa)
Cereal flour dusts Rye, Wheat (Sa)
2-Chloroacetamide [79-07-2] (Sh)
Chloroacetamide-N-methylol (CAM) [2832-19-1] (Sh)
releases formaldehyde
Chloroacetic acid methyl ester [96-34-4] (Sh)
m-Chloroaniline [108-42-9] (Sh)
p-Chloroaniline [106-47-8] (Sh)
p-Chloro-m cresol [59-50-7] (Sh)
1-Chloro-2,4-dinitrobenzene [97-00-7] (Sh)
1-Chloro-2,3-epoxypropane (Epichlorohydrin) [106-89-8] (Sh)
5-Chloro-2-methyl-2,3-dihydroisothiazol-3-one and 2-Methyl-2,3-dihydroisothiazol-3-one [26172-55-4; 2682-20-4] mixture in ratio 3:1 (Sh)
Chlorothalonil [1897-45-6] (Sh)
Chlorpromazine (2-Chloro-10-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)phenothiazine) [50-53-3] (SP)
Chromium(III) compounds (Sh)
do not apply for chromium(III) oxide and similar poorly soluble chromium(III) compounds
Chromium(VI) compounds (inhalable fraction) (Sh)
barium chromate and lead chromate are not designated with “Sh”
Cinnamaldehyde [104-55-2] (Sh)
Cinnamyl alcohol [104-54-1] (Sh)
Cobalt [7440-48-4] and cobalt compounds (inhalable fraction) (Sah)
Cresyl glycidyl ethers mixture of isomers [26447-14-3] o-isomer [2210-79-9] (Sh)
Cyanamide [420-04-2] (Sh)
Cyanuric chloride [108-77-0] (Sh)
N-Cyclohexyl-2-benzothiazolesulfenamide [95-33-0] (Sh)
N-Cyclohexyl-N’-phenyl-p-phenylenediamine [101-87-1] (Sh)
Diacetyl [431-03-8] (Sh)
4,4’-Diaminodiphenylmethane [101-77-9] (Sh)
1,5-Diaminonaphthalene [2243-62-1] (Sh)
2,2’-Dibenzothiazyl disulfide [120-78-5] (Sh)
2,2-Dibromo-2-cyanacetamide [10222-01-2] (Sh)
1,2-Dibromo-2,4-dicyanobutane [35691-65-7] (Sh)
3,4-Dichloroaniline [95-76-1] (Sh)
1,3-Dichloropropene (cis and trans) [542-75-6] (Sh)
Dicyclohexylcarbodiimide [538-75-0] (Sh)
Dicyclohexyl methane 4,4’-diisocyanate [5124-30-1] (Sh)
Diethanolamine [111-42-2] (Sh)

Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodiethanolamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.

Diethylene glycol diacrylate [4074-88-8] (Sh)
Diethylene glycol dimethacrylate [2358-84-1] (Sh)
Diethyleneetriamine [111-40-0] (Sh)
Diglycidyl hexanediol [16096-31-4] (Sh)
Diglycidyl resorcinol ether [101-90-6] (Sh)
N,N’-(Dimethylamino)ethyl methacrylate [2867-47-2] (Sh)
N-(1,3-Dimethylbutyl)-N’-phenyl-p-phenylenediamine [793-24-8] (Sh)
1,1-Dimethylhydrazine [57-14-7] (Sh)
1,2-Dimethylhydrazine [540-73-8] (Sh)
Dimethylol dihydroxyethyleneurea [1854-26-8] (Sh)
1,3-Dimethylol-5,5-dimethyl hydantoin [6440-58-0] (Sh)
Dipentamethylenethiuram disulfide [94-37-1] (Sh)
N,N-Diphenyl-p-phenylenediamine [74-31-7] (Sh)
Disperse blue 106/124 [68516-81-4; 15141-18-1] (Sh)
Disperse Orange 3 [730-40-5] (Sh)
Disperse Red 1 [2872-52-8] (Sh)
Disperse Red 17 [3179-89-3] (Sh)
Disperse Yellow 3 [2832-40-8] (Sh)
Disulfiram [97-77-8] (Sh)

Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodiethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.

2,2’-Dithiobis(N-methylbenzamide) [2527-58-4] (Sh)
3,4-Epoxycyclohexane carboxylic acid (3,4-epoxycyclohexylmethyl) ester [2386-87-0] (Sh)
1,2-Epoxypropane [75-56-9] (Sh)
Ethyl acrylate [140-88-5] (Sh)
5-Ethyl-3,7-dioxa-1-azabicyclo[3.3.0]octane (EDAO) [7747-35-5] (Sh)
releases formaldehyde
Ethylendiamine [107-15-3] (Sah)
Ethylene glycol dimethacrylate [97-90-5] (Sh)
2-Ethylhexyl mercaptoacetate [7659-86-1] (Sh)
Eugenol [97-53-0] (Sh)
Farnesol [4602-84-0] (Sh)
Formaldehyde [50-00-0] (Sh)
Formaldehyde condensation products with p-tert-butylphenol (low molecular) (Sh)
Formaldehyde condensation products with phenol (low-molecular) (Sh)
Geraniol [106-24-1] (Sh)
Glutaraldehyde [111-30-8] (Sah)
Glyceryl monothioglycolate [30618-84-9] (Sh)
Glycidyl methacrylate [106-91-2] (Sh)
Glycidyl trimethylammonium chloride [3033-77-0] (Sh)
Glyoxal [107-22-2] (Sh)
Gold [7440-57-5] and its inorganic compounds (Sh)
only soluble gold compounds
Hard metal containing tungsten carbide and cobalt (inhalable fraction) (Sah)
Hexahydrophthalic acid diglycidylester [5493-45-8] (Sh)
Hexahydrophthalic anhydride [85-42-7] (Sa)
1,6-Hexamethylene diisocyanate [822-06-0] (Sah)
Hexamethylenetetramine [100-97-0] (Sh)
releases formaldehyde
1,6-Hexanediol diacrylate [13048-33-4] (Sh)
Hydrazine [302-01-2] (Sh)
Hydrazine hydrate [7803-57-8] and hydrazine salts (Sh)
Hydroquinone [123-31-9] (Sh)
Hydroxycitronellal [107-75-5] (Sh)
2-Hydroxyethyl methacrylate [868-77-9] (Sh)
★ N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)piperidine [3040-44-6] (Sh)
Hydroxylamine [7803-49-8] and its salts (Sh)
4-(4-Hydroxy-4-methyl pentyl)-3-cyclohexene-1-carboxaldehyde (Lyral) [31906-04-4] (Sh)
3-Iodo-2-propynyl butylcarbamate [55406-53-6] (Sh)
Isobornyl acrylate [5888-33-5] (Sh)
Isoeugenol [97-54-1] (Sh)
Isophorone diisocyanate [4098-71-9] (Sah)
4-Isopropylphenyl isocyanate [31027-31-3] (Sh)
N-Isopropyl-N’-phenyl-p-phenylenediamine [101-72-4] (Sh)
D-Limonene [5989-27-5] (Sh)
D,L-Limonene [138-86-3] and similar mixtures (Sh)
L-Limonene [5989-54-8] (Sh)
Methyl acrylate [96-33-3] (Sh)
N-Methyl-bis(2-chloroethyl)amine (nitrogen mustard) [51-75-2] (Sh)
N,N’-Methylenedis(5-methyloxazolidine) [66204-44-2] (Sh)
4,4’-Methylenedimorpholine [5625-90-1] (Sh)
releases formaldehyde
4,4’-Methylene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI) [101-68-8] (inhalable fraction) see also “polymeric MDI” (Sah)
2-(4-Morpholinylmercapto)benzothiazole [102-77-2] (Sh)
Naled [300-76-5] (Sh)
1,8-Naphthalic anhydride [81-84-5] (Sh)
1,5-Naphthylene diisocyanate [3173-72-6] (Sa)
Natural rubber latex [9006-04-6] (Sah)
Nickel and nickel compounds (inhalable fraction) (Sah)

Regarding compounds which have been found to be unequivocally carcinogenic in man, see Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten, available from the publisher: Wiley-VCH, D-69451 Weinheim. There is sufficient evidence of sensitizing effects on the respiratory tract only for water-soluble nickel compounds.

4-Nitro-4′-aminodiphenylamine-2-sulfonic acid [91-29-2] (Sh)
4-(2-Nitrobutyl)morpholine (70% w/w) and 4,4′-(2-Ethyl-2-nitro-1,3-propandiyl)bis-morpholin (20% w/w) [2224-44-4; 1854-23-5] (mixture) (Sh)

In this mixture formaldehyde can be released and nitrosamines formed. Use forbidden as component of metal-working fluids and corrosion inhibitors: see "GefStoffV 2010, Anhang II (zu §16 Absatz 2), Nr. 4".

p-Nitrocumene [1817-47-6] (Sh)
2-Nitro-p-phenylenediamine [5307-14-2] (Sh)
Oakmoss extracts (Sh)
2-Octyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one [26530-20-1] (Sh)
Olaquindox (N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)-3-methyl-2-quinoxalinecarboxamide 1,4-dioxide) [23696-28-8] (SP)

Palladium [7440-05-3] and palladium compounds
  Palladium chloride [7647-10-1] (Sh)
  bioavailable palladium(II) compounds (Sh)
Papain [9001-73-4] (Sa)
Pentaerythritol triacrylate [3524-68-3] (Sh)
2,3-Pentanedione [600-14-6] (Sh)
Pepsin [9001-75-6] (Sa)
o-Phenylenediamine [95-54-5] (Sh)
m-Phenylenediamine [108-45-2] (Sh)
p-Phenylenediamine [106-50-3] (Sh)
The "Ursol-Asthma" which used to be observed frequently, especially in persons dyeing furs with p-phenylenediamine, has not been demonstrated unequivocally to involve respiratory allergy to p-phenylenediamine; see Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten (18th issue, 1992) and in English translation in Occupational Toxicants Volume 6, VCH-Verlagsgesellschaft mbH, Weinheim 1994

Phenyl glycidyl ether (PGE) [122-60-1] (Sh)
Phenylhydrazine [100-63-0] (Sh)
Phenyl isocyanate [103-71-9] (Sah)
N-Phenyl-1-naphthylamine [90-30-2] (Sh)
N-Phenyl-2-naphthylamine [135-88-6] (Sh)
Phthalic anhydride [85-44-9] (Sa)
Phytases (Sa)

Picric acid [88-89-1] (Sh)
Picryl chloride [88-88-0] (Sh)
Piperazine [110-85-0] (Sah)

Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted: see TRGS 611. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N,N′-dinitrosopiperazine, see Section III "Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation".

Platinum compounds (Chloroplatinates) (Sah)
A peak concentration of 2 µg/m³ should not be exceeded.

“polymeric MDI” [9016-87-9] (inhalable fraction) see also 4,4′-Methylene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI) (Sah)

“polymeric MDI” (pMDI) is a technical grade MDI, containing 30–80% w/w 4,4′-methylene diphenyl isocyanate (MDI); the remainder consists of MDI oligomers and MDI homologues.
Pyrethrum [8003-34-7] (Sh)
does not apply for the constituents of insecticides (pyrethrins and cinerins) or for synthetic derivatives (pyrethroids) but only for the constituents of the plant drug and its crude extracts, including α-methylene sesquiterpene lactones (e.g. pyrethrosin)
Quinone [106-51-4] (Sh)
Resorcinol [108-46-3] (Sh)
Ricinus protein (Sa)
Rosin (colophony) [8050-09-7] (Sh)
An immunological genesis of the asthma often seen in persons working with materials containing rosin has not been proved.
Rubber components
Dithiocarbamates (Sh)
Thiazoles (Sh)
p-Phenylenediamine compounds (Sh)
Thiurams (Sh)
Sesquiterpene lactones (Sh)
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate [148-18-5] (Sh)
Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted: see TRGS 611. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodiethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
Soya bean constituents (Sa)
Subtilisins (Sa)
Tall oil, distilled [8002-26-4] (Sh)
only applies to tall oil distillates containing abietic acid, see also Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten (34th issue 2002)
Tetraethylene glycol diacrylate [17831-71-9] (Sh)
Tetraethylene glycol dimethacrylate [109-17-1] (Sh)
Tetraglycidyl-4,4′-methylenedianiline [28768-32-3] (Sh)
Tetrahydrofurfuryl methacrylate [2455-24-5] (Sh)
Thimerosal [54-64-8] (Sh)
Thioglycolates (Sh)
Thioglycolic acid [68-11-1] (Sh)
Thioureia [62-56-6] (Sh SP)
Thiram [137-26-8] (Sh)
Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodiethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
2,4-Toluenediamine (2,4-TDA) [95-80-7] (Sh)
2,5-Toluenediamine [95-70-5] (Sh)
Toluene diisocyanates (Sa)
p-Toluidine [106-49-0] (Sh)
★ 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene [87-61-6] (Sh)
Triethylene glycol diacrylate [1680-21-3] (Sh)
Triethylene glycol dimethacrylate [109-16-0] (Sh)
Triethylenetetramine [112-24-3] (Sh)
Triglycidyl-p-aminophenol [5026-74-4] (Sh)
Trisobutyl phosphate [126-71-6] (Sh)
Trimellitic anhydride [552-30-7] (fume) (Sa)
Trimethylhydroquinone [700-13-0] (Sh)
Trimethylolpropane triacrylate [15625-89-5] (Sh)
Trimethylquinone [935-92-2] (Sh)
2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene [118-96-7] (Sh)
Triphenyl phosphine [603-35-0] (Sh)
Tripropylene glycol diacylate [42978-66-5] (Sh)
N,N’,N”-Tris(β-hydroxyethyl)hexahydro-1,3,5-triazine [4719-04-4] (Sh)
releases formaldehyde
Trypsin and Chymotrypsin [9002-07-7; 9004-07-3] (Sa)
Turpentine [8006-64-2] (Sh)
Vinylcarbazole [1484-13-5] (Sh)

Woods
Acacia melanoxylon R.Br., Australian blackwood (Sh)
Brya ebenus DC., cocus wood (Sh)
Chlorophora excelsa (Welw.) Benth. & Hook, iroko, kambala (Sh)
Dalbergia latifolia Roxb., East Indian rosewood, Bombay blackwood (Sh)
Dalbergia melanoxylon Guill. et Perr., African blackwood (Sh)
Dalbergia nigra Allem., Brazilian rosewood (Sh)
Dalbergia retusa Hemsl., cocobolo, rosewood (Sh)
Dalbergia stevensonii Standley, Honduras rosewood (Sh)
Distemonanthus benthamianus Baill., ayan (Sh)
Grevillea robusta A.Cunn., Australian silky oak (Sh)
Khaya anthotheca C.D.C., African mahogany (Sh)
Machaerium scleroxylon Tul., pao ferro, Santos rosewood (Sh)
Mansonina altissima A.Chev., mansonia, pruno, bété (Sh)
Paratecoma peroba (Record) Kuhl., ipe peroba (Sh)
Tectona grandis L.f., teak (Sh)
Terminalia superba Engl. u. Diels, fraké, limba, afara, white afara (Sa)
Thuja plicata (D.Don.) Donn., western red cedar, giant arborvitae, shinglewood (Sah)
Triplochiton scleroxylon K.Schum., obeche, wawa, African whitewood (Sah)

Xylanases [37278-89-0] (Sa)
m-Xylylenediamine [1477-55-0] (Sh)
Ziram [137-30-4] (Sh)

e. Evaluation of members of specific groups of substances

For numerous substances, a reliable evaluation of the sensitizing effects according to the criteria described above is not possible. Often the substance of interest is one of the many members of a specific group of substances. Valid data for man are generally available only for individual members of such groups of substances, those considered to be typical of the group and commercially available as test substances because they are used for this purpose. With other less frequently used substances or substances for which no reliable data as to the extent of their use is available, patch tests are carried out relatively rarely, with some substances – because of the danger of sensitization – only in special cases. The effects in man are made even more difficult to assess because these substances are often used in mixtures with other members of the same group of substances and so can be involved in concomitant sensitizations and in cross-reactions. Mixtures containing members of other groups of allergenic substances are also often used and then too it is not readily possible to determine the causality of the observed disorder. In addition, it is not always possible to establish all the components of the mixture involved and so an allergologically relevant component can be missed. Therefore, substances which are not listed in the List of MAK
and BAT Values and which belong to groups of substances known to be able to cause sensitization should be handled with appropriate care.

It is emphasized that in general there is no danger of sensitization from fully polymerized plastics. A danger of sensitization, but only little, can result from release of residual monomer, e.g. during mechanical processing.

The groups of substances of which numerous members have sensitizing effects on the skin or airways include:

- acrylates and methacrylates
- dicarboxylic acid anhydrides
- diisocyanates
- glycidyl compounds (epoxides)
- dusts containing enzymes
- certain plant or animal proteins

In current usage, the general expression “isocyanate” is used for both monoisocyanates and di- or polyisocyanates. These classes of compounds must be strictly differentiated with regard to the areas of use as well as the toxicological and allergological properties: monoisocyanates such as methyl isocyanate or phenyl isocyanate are used practically almost exclusively during syntheses as precursors or intermediate products, for example in the production of insecticides or pesticides. On the other hand, diisocyanates in particular are used in the production of polyurethanes, which are processed to adhesives, insulating foams, lacquers, and foams. Findings of a sensitizing effect on the respiratory tract in humans are available almost only for diisocyanates because of the widespread use. Also monoisocyanates can have a marked irritating effect on the airways and a sensitizing effect on the respiratory tract cannot be excluded. However, data for the diisocyanates, which are assessed as potent respiratory allergens, does not justify classifying monoisocyanates as substances causing airway sensitization solely in analogy; an evaluation of the individual case is necessary.

The antibiotics are a group of substances which are very heterogeneous in chemical structure and in sensitizing effects. Persons may be exposed to these substances at work during isolation or production of the active principles, during preparation and packing of the medicines, and during their medical use in man and animals. Sensitization of the skin can result in the development of a systemic allergic reaction – including anaphylaxis – or haematogenic contact dermatitis after later parenteral use. Sensitization of the airways and allergic contact dermatitis have often been reported in persons exposed occupationally to β-lactam antibiotics (especially penicillins and cephalosporins). Allergic reactions after medicinal use of these antibiotics (enteral or parenteral), on the other hand, generally take the form of IgE-mediated reactions of immediate type. However, other immunological reactions such as medicinal skin eruptions and, in serious cases, also erythema exsudativum multiforme, Stevens-Johnson syndrome or Lyell’s syndrome can also develop. Some of the aminoglycoside antibiotics are also conspicuous for the relatively high rates of sensitization which they produce, especially as a result of application of medicaments to (chronically) eroded skin. Sensitization of the skin resulting from occupational contact with aminoglycosides has been reported more rarely. Individual macrolide antibiotics, especially those used in veterinary medicine, can cause immunological reactions in the airways and also (inhalation-mediated) contact dermatitis. Only rare individual cases of contact allergy or allergic airway reactions to most other macrolide antibiotics and to polyene or peptide antibiotics and tetracyclines have been reported.
Components of fragrance mixtures, another group of substances which differ widely in their structures, allergenic potencies and clinical significance, must also be evaluated individually. This becomes clear even on consideration of the components of the standard fragrance test mixtures. For many other fragrance components the clinical findings are inadequate because the substances are never or only very rarely used in patch tests. Non-occupational exposure to these practically ubiquitous fragrance mixtures can rarely be excluded and this makes the demonstration that sensitization was occupational more difficult.
V Aerosols

a. General definitions

Aerosols are multiphase systems of particulate solids or liquids dispersed in gases, in particular in air. Aerosols which occur at the workplace include dusts, fumes and mists.

Dusts consist of particles of solid matter which have been produced mostly in mechanical processes or have been stirred up and dispersed in gases, in particular in air. Airborne particles can be composed of compact fine particles and free ultrafine primary particles but can also consist of their aggregates or agglomerates. The following nomenclature will be used:

- **Primary particles** are compact single particles which are recognizable as such under the electron microscope, even when they are associated with other aggregates or agglomerates.
- **Aggregates** are groups of primary particles which are firmly bound with each other.
- **Agglomerates** are groups of particles (primary particles or aggregates), which are held together by weak forces (in particular van der Waals forces). They can be broken apart again into smaller units by input of a low level of energy (e.g. by treatment of an aqueous suspension with ultrasound).

Fibrous dusts consist of inorganic or organic fibres of certain dimensions dispersed in gases, in particular in air (see Section III Carcinogenic substances, Fibrous dust). Inorganic fibrous dusts arise during mechanical processing especially of fibrous minerals and of products made from or containing natural or man-made fibres. Fibre-shaped fragments of non-fibrous minerals and of non-fibrous products also count as fibrous dust. Fibres can also be released by erosion processes.

Fumes are dispersions of very finely divided solid matter in gases, in particular in air. They arise in thermal processes (e.g., welding fumes, metal oxide fumes, soot and flue ash) or chemical processes (e.g., the reaction of ammonia with hydrogen chloride).

Mists are dispersions of particulate liquids (droplets) in gases, in particular in air. They arise during nebulization of liquids, during condensation from the vapour phase and during chemical processes (e.g., oil mist, hydrogen chloride in damp air).

Ultrafine particles and their aggregates and agglomerates see Section Vh.

Ultrafine particles as components of dusts and fumes are identified by a mobility-equivalent diameter ($D_{M}$) < 100 nm (corresponds to a diffusion-equivalent diameter ($D_{ae}$) < 100 nm).

28 The terms “aggregates” and “agglomerates” are not used uniformly on the international level. See, for example, the definitions of ISO 14887, NIST, BSI, IUPAC, etc.

29 Measurement of the shape and size of airborne particles in an aerosol cannot distinguish between compact particles and aggregates and agglomerates of similar size. Nor is differentiation between liquid droplets and solid particles possible. Since air analyses even with the electron microscope cannot distinguish whether aggregates or agglomerates are involved in the aggregated groups of ultrafine primary particles observed, such groups of particles are in practice often combined with the designation of “aggregates and agglomerates (A $+$ A)”.

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b. Properties of aerosols which determine their effects

Particulate substances encountered at the workplace can cause various disorders of the respiratory organs. These are mostly a result of overloading of the lung, or of carcinogenic, fibrotic (fibrogenic) or allergic effects, or of chemical irritation or toxicity. The effects are determined in part by the site of deposition of inhaled particles or droplets in the respiratory tract. The deposition pattern of the particles or droplets and the intensity and rapidity of appearance of the effects are determined essentially by the size, mass, specific density, shape, surface area, chemical composition, biopersistence, solubility, and hygroscopic properties of the particles.

These parameters can act independently of one another as well as in combination. The effects of coarser particles are largely proportional to the mass or the volume.

With all aerosols of ultrafine particles as compared with coarser particles, an important role is played by the large specific surface area, the low density of the agglomerate compared with the material density of ultrafine particles, the slight solubility and the uptake into the cells. These properties of ultrafine particles can result in other toxicologically relevant effects. When aggregates or agglomerates of ultrafine particles are deposited, their effects also depend on whether they disaggregate or not in the fluid environment of the lung.

In the milieu of the lung fluids, particulate substances have as a rule a bioavailability other than indicated by the physicochemical solubilities reported in the literature, which are mostly determined in water, or where appropriate also in other solvents. Thus, the poor solubility suggested by the reported data for a substance is not directly applicable to the lung tissue. With the diversity of particles deposited in the lung fluids, also changes in toxicity can occur in individual cases through masking and demasking, e.g., in the presence of particles with adsorbing surfaces.

In lung fluids, not only the dissolution of particles (such as metal particles) and the absorption of dissolved substances are observed, but also changes in the crystalline structure. For example, certain glass fibres become jellylike (that is, they lose their rigidity and become rubberlike), or chrysotile fibres are split into their individual fibrils, which in this case causes an increase in the number of particularly fine fibres. Such processes of splitting have now been identified for other fibrous substances. The properties of ultrafine fibres (such as nanotubes) have not yet been adequately investigated.

c. Inhalation, deposition and clearance of aerosols in the respiratory tract

Uptake

The uptake of dusts and fumes into the body takes place mostly via the airways. Mists can also be taken up in relevant amounts through the skin.
Transport and deposition of particulate solids and droplets in the airways are determined by the size, shape and specific density of the particles or droplets.

The distribution of the inhaled aerosol within the various parts of the airways is affected not only by the properties of the particles but also markedly by:

1. individual differences in the anatomy of the airways,
2. individual breathing habits, especially the different transition from nasal to oral breathing during physical activity and differences in respiration rate, respiratory flow and thus respiratory volumes,
3. pathophysiological changes in the respiratory organs (e.g. obstructive airway disease).

The critical dimension for aerosol particles with a diameter > 0.5 μm is the aerodynamic diameter ($D_{ae}$). The aerodynamic diameter of a particle whatever its shape and density is defined as the geometric diameter of a sphere with the density 1 g/cm$^3$ which sediments at the same rate as the particle in still or laminarly flowing air. This definition also applies for fibrous particles. The aerodynamic diameter of a fibre is determined essentially by the diameter of the fibre and less by its length. For long fibres ($l >> d$) the aerodynamic diameter is about three times the fibre diameter.

For isometric particles with diameters less than 0.5 μm, the diffusion-equivalent diameter ($D_d$) determines the site of deposition in the airways. The diffusion-equivalent diameter of a particle is defined as the geometric diameter of a sphere which diffuses at the same rate as the particle in the same dispersion medium (at the workplace, in air).

On principle, it is necessary to distinguish between the aerosol fractions which enter the various regions of the airways during inhalation and exhalation and the parts of these fractions which are deposited in these airway regions.

Deposition can take place during inhalation or during exhalation. Some of the inhaled particles are not deposited in the airways but are exhaled.

Of particular importance for occupational health are the aerosol fractions which penetrate into the respirator organs and are deposited there; they are described below (Figure 1).

Only a fraction of the total particles present in the breathing zone (the part designated as the inhaled fraction) is inhaled. It is determined by the flow rates into the mouth and nose as well as the conditions of air flow around the head. Whereas almost all the smaller particles ($D_{ae} < 5 \mu m$) are inhaled, the fraction of particles which can be inhaled decreases with increasing particle size.

Of the particles in the inhaled fraction, larger solid particles and droplets ($D_{ae} > 15 \mu m$) are deposited almost exclusively in the extrathoracic region, i.e., in the region of the nose, pharynx and larynx.

Of the fraction which enters the thorax (thoracic fraction) some of the smaller solid particles and droplets are deposited in the tracheobronchial region or in the alveolar region. The fraction which enters the alveolar region (respirable fraction) contains those particles which can penetrate into the airway regions which are not ciliated, i.e., the alveoli, the terminal non-ciliated bronchioles and the alveolar ducts; some of this fraction is deposited there.

**Deposition and Clearance**

**Fraction deposited in the nose-pharynx-larynx region (extrathoracic fraction)**

This is the aerosol fraction which is deposited after inhalation in the region of the nose, the mouth, the throat and the larynx; part of this fraction can be swallowed and so enter the
The clearance from this region of the respiratory tract is complete within a few hours at most.

**Fraction deposited in the tracheobronchial region**

This is that part of the fraction which enters the thorax which is deposited in the region of the tracheobronchial tree in which the mucociliary clearance mechanism operates. Isometric particles with diameters > 7 μm are completely eliminated from the tracheobronchial region of a healthy person within one day. There is evidence that some of the smaller particles and especially ultrafine particles may persist for several weeks in the tracheobronchial region. The rate of transport out of this region decreases with decreasing particle size.

**Fraction deposited in the alveolar region**

This is the fraction of the aerosol which is deposited in the alveolar region including the non-ciliated bronchioles (bronchioli respiratorii) and the alveolar ducts (ductuli alveolares). In this region there is no mucociliary clearance. This aerosol fraction can be transferred via the pulmonary interstitial tissue (interstitium) into the lymphatic system and especially ultrafine particles can also enter the blood capillaries. Alveolar macrophages can take in particles by phagocytosis and transport these through the tracheobronchial tree; swallowing then transfers them into the digestive tract. The half-times for the elimination
from the lung of insoluble particles deposited in the alveolar region are of the order of months or years.

**Total deposited fraction**

The total deposited fraction is that aerosol fraction which is inhaled but then not exhaled. This fraction includes the particles and droplets deposited in the nose, pharynx and larynx, the tracheobronchial tree and the non-ciliated deeper airways, and thus the entire range of the inhalable dust fraction.

It should be remembered that deposited droplets and soluble particles spread on the surfaces of the respiratory organs and lose their droplet or particulate form. Soluble components can be absorbed, which means that the constituents of the dissolved particles may be distributed and their cellular effects may no longer be only localized. They can enter the circulation and the lymphatic system and have systemic effects.

The insoluble fraction can be phagocytised by macrophages or, with certain limitations, be taken in by lung epithelial cells and transported from the alveolar region into the interstitial tissue. Especially ultrafine particles can enter the bloodstream by this route. Components which are neither dissolved nor absorbed can be transported from the tracheobronchial tree towards the larynx by mucociliary clearance, as can particles deposited in the nose-pharynx-larynx region. From there, they are swallowed, enter the digestive system and perhaps have effects there, or they are removed from the breathing zone or the body by coughing up and spitting out or by blowing of the nose.
**d. Conventions for measuring concentrations of particles: definition of fractions**

Measured particle concentrations should reflect the concentrations of those particles responsible for the pathogenic effects in the respiratory organs, as described in Section Vc. This requires that in sampling and assay devices the particles from the air are fractionated according to their aerodynamic diameters in a way which reflects the deposition pattern of the particles in the airways during breathing.

However, for measuring and sampling devices for the determination of various particle fractions in the workplace air, international conventions have been established for only three deposition curves (see DIN/EN 481, 1993). They are based on average analytical values obtained under defined experimental conditions, values for the aerosol fractions which enter the various regions of the respiratory organs.

Thus the analytical methods yield data for the three fractions which may be deposited, in each case including the fraction which is exhaled. That means that the aerosol fractions determined are those which enter the regions of the lung which are relevant for occupational health (see Figures 1 and 2).

1. **Inhalable fraction (I):** the deposition curve expresses, as a function of aerodynamic diameter, the mean probability that particles and droplets will be inhaled (inhaled fraction).
2. **Thoracic fraction:** the curve for this part of the inhalable fraction expresses, as a function of aerodynamic diameter, the mean probability that particles and droplets will enter the tracheobronchial tree and the alveolar region (fraction which enters the thorax).
3. **Respirable fraction (R):** the curve for this part of the thoracic fraction expresses, as a function of aerodynamic diameter, the mean probability that particles and droplets will enter the alveolar region (fraction which enters the alveolar region).
4. **Extrathoracic fraction:** this fraction is obtained by subtracting the thoracic fraction from the inhalable fraction.
5. **Tracheobronchial fraction:** this fraction is obtained by subtracting the alveolar fraction from the thoracic fraction.

The use of this analytical procedure for hygroscopic particles is justified by the fact that their aerodynamic diameters increase during transport into the respiratory organs as a result of uptake of water and that therefore the sites of deposition and proportion of particles deposited cannot be predicted.

The definitions of the “inhalable fraction” (I) and “respirable fraction” (R) correspond to the definitions of “total dust” (G) and “fine dust” (F) used until 1996 in the establishment of MAK values. Since 1996 the internationally accepted definitions have been used.

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31) German: “E” for “Einatembare Fraktion”
32) German: “A” for “Alveolengängige Fraktion”
e. **Fibrogenic aerosols**

As *fibrogenic dusts* are designated aerosols, including droplet aerosols, which contain insoluble particles which can cause dust lung diseases (e.g. silicosis) involving formation of connective tissue. Prerequisite for the development of such disorders is the deposition of the aerosol in the alveolar region. Therefore, the effective levels of fibrogenic aerosols are determined after sampling the respirable fraction (R) (previously “fine dust”, (F)).

f. **General threshold limit value for dust**

The “general threshold value for dust” is established as a concentration of the respirable fraction (R) of biopersistent granular dusts\(^{34}\) of 0.3 mg/m\(^3\) for dusts with a density of 1 g/cm\(^3\) and a concentration of the inhalable fraction (I) of 4 mg/m\(^3\).

Excursions above the threshold as described in Section Vg are permitted for the inhalable fraction. The permitted excursions may not exceed the “general threshold value for dust” by a factor of more than two (see Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründungen von MAK-Werten, 25th issue, 1997, in English translation in Occupational Toxicants Volume 12).

Observance of the general threshold value for dust should prevent unspecified effects of dust (e.g. overloading effects) on the respiratory organs. The threshold applies for poorly soluble and insoluble dusts which are not subject to other regulations and for mixtures of dusts even when for individual components of a dust specific MAK values exist and are observed. The threshold value does not apply for soluble particles, especially not for rocks from rock salt and potash deposits, or for ultrafine (see Section Vh) or dispersed coarse particle fractions.

*Even when the general threshold value for dust is observed, a health hazard may be ruled out only if it has been demonstrated that other substance-specific effects of the dust are not to be expected.*

g. **Exposures exceeding the MAK value**

MAK values for aerosols which are designated with a reference to Section Vg (“Vg”) have been derived from average long-term exposure levels without detectable effects (no observed adverse effect levels, NOAEL).

Impairment of respiratory organ function by these dusts is a result of long-term effects which are determined largely by the aerosol concentration to which the person is exposed over long periods of time. The MAK values correspond to the average long-term exposure levels without detectable effects (NOAEL) but apply to the concentration values averaged over a single shift. As the long-term exposure level is an average of variously high shift average levels, the occasional exceeding of the MAK value by single shift average levels can be tolerated. The permitted frequency and extent of the excursions above the MAK value are established on the basis of occupational medical and toxicological findings (see Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründungen von MAK-Werten, 23rd issue, 1996 and

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\(^{34}\) with the exception of ultrafine particles; see Section Vh

\(^{35}\) for dusts with a density of 1 g/cm\(^3\)
For all other aerosols the peak limitation categories must be observed (see Section VI Limitation of exposure peaks).

**h. Ultrafine particles, their aggregates and agglomerates**

Ultrafine primary particles are measured according to their mobility-equivalent diameter \(D_{\text{M}} < 100\) nm (corresponds to a diffusion-equivalent diameter \(D_{\text{ae}} < 100\) nm). They can occur as single particles in the workplace air or more often as basic units of aggregates and agglomerates. In these forms they can be seen under an electron microscope.

For the characterization of the potential danger associated with ultrafine primary particles and their aggregates and agglomerates, the following aspects are of significance.

- The particles are formed mostly in combustion processes and gas phase reactions.
- The mechanisms of deposition in the respiratory tract involve the Brownian motion of the particles.
- The effects of the particles in the respiratory tract increase not so much in proportion to the weight as in proportion to the surface area or number of particles per air volume.
- The probability of aggregate or agglomerate formation depends also on the concentration of primary particles in the workplace air.

**Notes:**

Depending on the definition of the threshold value, for *dusts and fumes* either the inhalable fraction “I” or the respirable fraction “R” is determined. For *mists*, the inhalable fraction “I” is determined.

Sampling devices which sample fine dust according to the Johannesburg convention, which used to be used in Germany, fulfil the requirements of DIN/EN 481 for the sampling of respirable dust.

When sampling devices are used which collect fractions for assay according to deposition functions which differ from those described above, the results must be corrected using a correction factor which is dependent on the particle size distribution. The validity of the procedure must be documented.

It must be emphasized that the total dust fraction \(G\) which used to be determined in Germany and also the inhalable dust fraction \(I\) used today may not be automatically assumed to be equivalent to “total dust”, a term which is still widely found in the international literature. The term “total dust” does not describe a standardized dimension. Sampling devices which collect “total dust” must be validated.

The fractions PM\(_{10}\) and PM\(_{2.5}\) collected during sampling of environmental air outdoors are defined by ISO 7708. PM\(_{10}\) corresponds to the thoracic fraction (function with 50% deposition at 10 μm) whereas PM\(_{2.5}\) is described by a curve with 50% deposition at 2.5 μm. The respirable dust fraction (R) would therefore correspond to PM\(_{4}\).

For the determination of *fibrous dusts*, fractions are not defined according to aerodynamic criteria. Instead the fibre lengths and diameters must be determined microscopically (see Section III Carcinogenic substances, Fibrous dusts).
VI Limitation of exposure peaks

MAK values are conceived and applied as 8-hour time-weighted average values. The actual concentrations of substances in the workplace air are, however, frequently subject to considerable variation. Excursions above the average value must be limited in order to prevent local irritation, unreasonable annoyance and adverse systemic effects.

The effects on health of exceeding the MAK value for brief periods depend decisively on the mode of action of the substance in question. Since the year 2000, substances have been assessed individually and substance-specific excursion factors (ratio of permitted short-term peak value to the MAK value) have been established. For substances in Category I, the MAK value may generally not be exceeded (excursion factor = 1 is the default value) unless the available data permit the establishment of a different excursion factor. For some substances excursion factors > 1 have been derived. For substances in Category II, the default value is 2. In this category too, in appropriate cases, other excursion factors have been established. For reasons of analytical practicability, peak values for the substances in these two categories have now been established for a sampling period of 15 minutes. For a discussion of the use of longer sampling periods see “Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten”. The permitted frequency per shift of excursions above the MAK value, the minimum period between individual exposure peaks, and the total permitted duration of excursions above the MAK value are to be seen as a convention. For all substances, however, the 8-hour time-weighted average value must be observed.\footnote{This concept takes into account both the toxicological situation and the analytical practicability.}

Thus the two categories shown in the table below have been established for the limitation of peak concentrations at the workplace; see also “Spitzenbegrenzung” in “Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten”\footnote{In Section IIa of the List of MAK and BAT Values, the Peak limitation category for each substance is listed and in brackets also the appropriate excursion factor. Carcinogenic substances without a MAK value have no entry (−).}


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\footnote{default value, or a substance-specific value (maximum 8)}

\footnote{In certain cases, a momentary value (concentration which should not be exceeded at any time) can also be established.}

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VII Percutaneous absorption

At the workplace the absorption of substances through the skin can make a significant contribution to the systemic exposure of the employee or can even be the main exposure route.

The only relevant barrier to absorption of substances at work is the horny layer (stratum corneum) of the skin. The ability of a substance to penetrate this barrier is determined by its physicochemical properties. The rate of dermal penetration is also affected by workplace conditions and by individual factors. Solid, liquid and gaseous substances can be taken up percutaneously. For many substances the skin acts as a depot from which absorption continues even after the end of exposure. Normal working clothes do not generally provide any protection against percutaneous absorption. Quantification of the amount of a substance absorbed through the skin can only be realized by biological monitoring (see Section XI Significance and Use of BAT Values – Surveillance).

Substances are designated with an “H” if through dermal exposure the observance of the MAK value on its own no longer guarantees the prevention of important adverse effects on health which were considered for establishment of the threshold value. In addition to systemic effects these can also include the sensitization of the respiratory tract if it has been demonstrated to be induced by skin contact. Substances are not designated with an “H” if toxic effects are not to be expected under workplace conditions, independent of the ability of the substance to penetrate the skin. It may not be assumed that the absence of a designation with “H” means that wearing inhalation protection is sufficient to adequately protect an employee from the substance if the MAK value can not be observed. Under these conditions, considerable absorption from the gas phase was detected, especially for amphiphilic substances. Substances in Section II b are dealt with in analogy to substances with MAK values and designated with “H” whenever dermal absorption can make a significant contribution to a person’s body burden. For an assessment of the measures necessary for adequate occupational hygiene, the reader is referred to the documentation for the substance in question.

A substance is designated with an “H” when one of the criteria listed below is fulfilled.

1. Designation with “H” on the basis of workplace studies
Field studies or scientifically documented casuistics demonstrate that percutaneous absorption is significant in practice in persons handling the substance:
The percutaneous absorption is certainly responsible for part of the systemic dose and can contribute to toxic effects.

2. **Designation with “H” on the basis of animal studies**

Percutaneous absorption can be demonstrated in animal studies and the exposure can contribute to toxic effects.

3. **Designation with “H” on the basis of in vitro studies**

A relevant level of percutaneous absorption which can contribute to toxic effects has been quantified with recognized methods. The flux through the skin has been determined and the permeability constant has been or may be calculated, or details of percentage absorption of the applied dose (percentage absorbed per unit of time and skin surface area) are available.

4. **Designation with “H” on the basis of theoretical models**

On the basis of data for analogous substances or calculations with mathematical models, a relevant level of percutaneous absorption may be expected.

The criteria 1 to 4 are arranged in order of decreasing significance; data obtained with exposed persons are most important. The quantitative criteria are described in detail in “Kriterien für die Vergabe der “H”-Markierung” in Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten. The designation “H” is shown in the List of MAK and BAT Values and does not indicate that the substance can cause skin irritation.

**VIII MAK values and pregnancy**

Observance of the MAK values and BAT values does not guarantee, in every case, that the unborn child is reliably protected because numerous substances have not yet been investigated or have been only partially tested for prenatal toxicity.

**Definition**

The expression “prenatal toxicity” or developmental toxicity is taken in its broadest sense by the Commission; it includes any effect of the substance which elicits an alteration from the physiological norm in the development of the organism and leads to prenatal or postnatal death of the offspring or to permanent morphological or functional damage.

**Effects in humans**

Epidemiological studies that yield evidence of toxic effects of substances on the human embryo or foetus are of particular importance for the assessment. Because of the limitations of such studies, e.g. inadequate methods, low statistical power, exposures to mixtures of substances, personal factors and life styles, a clear statement as to substance-specific effects and effect thresholds is usually not possible.

**Animal Studies**

The evaluation of the developmental toxicity of substances is based mainly on animal studies. Studies which have been carried out according to internationally recognized

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39) criteria for designation with an “H” (2017), https://doi.org/10.1002/3527600418.mb0hmrrkrie5617
testing guidelines such as OECD or similar test guidelines (e.g. EU, Japan) play a decisive role. The OECD Test Guideline 414 in particular is appropriate for the determination of prenatal toxicity. Testing for perinatal and postnatal toxicity, to a limited extent also for prenatal toxicity, is carried out in one-generation studies according to OECD Test Guideline 415, in two-generation studies according to OECD Test Guideline 416 or in screening tests according to OECD Test Guidelines 421 and 422. If studies are available that were not conducted according to these guidelines, their validity is to be determined individually. The most important criteria are a sufficiently large number of animals, the use of different dose groups with derivation of a NOAEL (no observed adverse effect level), in-depth studies (external, skeletal and visceral examinations of the foetuses in the developmental toxicity studies) and adequate documentation of the results.

Inhalation studies are of particular importance in assessment of the prenatal toxicity of substances present at the workplace. Also studies with oral administration or dermal application can be taken into consideration if the available data do not present evidence against extrapolation to inhalative administration (e.g. by a pronounced “first pass” effect). Studies carried out with routes of administration which are not relevant in humans (e.g. intraperitoneal) are not included in the evaluation as a rule.

Studies with an oral route of administration usually reach higher doses than those with inhalative or dermal application. For this reason, effects are also reported which occur only in the high dose range. Therefore, the test guidelines mentioned consider 1000 mg/kg body weight to be the maximum dose to be tested (limit dose). Such high dose effects are mostly irrelevant for assessing prenatal toxicity at concentrations near the MAK value. Prenatal toxic effects which are observed in the presence of marked maternal toxicity are of low relevance for the situation at the workplace as they are prevented by observance of the MAK value. Findings at doses or concentrations at which no or only slight maternal toxicity is observed are of particular relevance.

The preferred animal species usually recommended in the test guidelines for prenatal developmental toxicity (OECD 414) are female rats and rabbits. The generation studies (e.g. OECD 415 and 416) including the screening tests (e.g. OECD 421 and 422) are usually carried out only with rats of both sexes.

To consider the factor of uncertainty in assessing animal studies, the margin between the NOAEL for developmental toxicity in animal studies and the resulting exposure level or body burden if the MAK or BAT value is observed must be adequate. The necessary margin depends on a number of very different factors:

- comparative toxicokinetic data for humans and animals
- toxicokinetic data for a substance in the dams and embryos or foetuses to evaluate differences in level of exposure between maternal and foetal organs/tissues
- If such data are not available, the evaluation of specific substance properties such as molecular size, lipid solubility and protein binding plays an important role; such data determine the transplacental transfer of the substance from the mother animal and the internal exposure of the embryos or foetuses.
- The kind and severity of the results observed are important factors. Serious effects such as the increased occurrence of specific malformations at doses not causing simultaneous maternal toxicity should receive more emphasis than rather unspecific or less severe foetotoxic effects such as slightly decreased foetal body weight or delayed skeletal maturation.
Thus, determination of an adequate margin is a substance-specific process which will result in documentations based on different justifications.

**Pregnancy risk groups**

Based on the criteria mentioned, the Commission is evaluating substances with MAK or BAT values as to whether prenatal toxic effects are unlikely when the MAK value or the BAT value is observed (Group C), whether, according to the currently available information, such effects cannot be excluded (Group B) or whether they have been unequivocally demonstrated (Group A). For a number of substances, however, it is not yet possible to make a statement as to prenatal toxicity (Group D).

The following pregnancy risk groups are defined:

**Group A:** Damage to the embryo or foetus in humans has been unequivocally demonstrated and is to be expected even when MAK and BAT values are observed.

**Group B:** According to currently available information damage to the embryo or foetus cannot be excluded after exposure to concentrations at the level of the MAK and BAT values. The documentation indicates, when the Commission’s assessment of the data makes it possible, which concentration would correspond to the classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C. Substances with this indication have the footnote “prerequisite for Group C, see documentation”.

**Group C:** Damage to the embryo or foetus is unlikely when the MAK value or the BAT value is observed.

**Group D:** Either there are no data for an assessment of damage to the embryo or foetus or the currently available data are not sufficient for classification in one of the groups A – C. Substances without a MAK or BAT value (carcinogenic substances or substances included in Section IIb) have no entry (−).

**IX Germ cell mutagens**

Germ cell mutagens produce heritable gene mutations and heritable structural and numerical chromosome aberrations in germ cells. The consequences of germ cell mutations in subsequent generations include genetically determined phenotypic alterations without signs of illness, reduction in fertility, embryonic or perinatal death, more or less severe congenital malformations, and genetic diseases with various degrees of health impairment. The term “germ cell mutagenicity” refers specifically to mutagenicity in male and female germ cells and is distinguished from mutagenicity in somatic cells which can initiate cancer.

Epidemiological studies, however, have been unable to provide any evidence as yet that exposure to chemicals or to radiation results in hereditary diseases in man. Although structural changes have been demonstrated in the chromosomes of the germ cells of men exposed to radiation, even this finding can only provide indirect evidence that such exposures could lead to hereditary disorders in the offspring. The proof that an increased frequency of hereditary diseases is related to a particular exposure would be associated with great methodological difficulties. In the human population there are a large number of hereditary diseases of unknown origin with frequencies which differ widely in different subpopulations. Since mutational events occur largely randomly in the genome, it is not to be expected that one particular substance would induce one characteristic genetic disease.
Therefore, it is most unlikely that proof of a causal relationship between exposure to a chemical and occurrence of heritable diseases will become available in the foreseeable future.

In this situation, for the identification of germ cell mutagens the results of animal experiments must be given particular attention. The mutagenic effect of chemicals on the germ cells of exposed parent animals can be demonstrated by observing an increased mutant frequency among the progeny. In addition, the demonstration of genotoxic effects of a substance in germ cells or somatic cells provides evidence of a potential hazard for subsequent generations.

The categories for classification of germ cell mutagens have been established in analogy to the categories for carcinogenic chemicals at the workplace.

1. Germ cell mutagens which have been shown to increase the mutant frequency in the progeny of exposed humans
2. Germ cell mutagens which have been shown to increase the mutant frequency in the progeny of exposed mammals
3A. Substances which have been shown to induce genetic damage in germ cells of humans or animals, or which produce mutagenic effects in somatic cells of mammals in vivo and have been shown to reach the germ cells in an active form
3B. Substances which are suspected of being germ cell mutagens because of their genotoxic effects in mammalian somatic cells in vivo; in exceptional cases, substances for which there are no in vivo data but which are clearly mutagenic in vitro and structurally related to known in vivo mutagens
4. not applicable (*)
5. Germ cell mutagens or suspected substances (according to the definition of Category 3A and 3B), the potency of which is considered to be so low that, provided the MAK and BAT values are observed, their contribution to genetic risk for man is considered to be very slight

(*) Category 4 carcinogenic substances are those with non-genotoxic mechanisms of action. By definition, germ cell mutagens are genotoxic. Therefore, a Category 4 for germ cell mutagens cannot apply. At some time in the future it is conceivable that a Category 4 could be established for genotoxic substances with primary targets other than the DNA (e.g. purely aneugenic substances) if research results make this seem sensible.

X Substances requiring special consideration

a. Organic peroxides

The inflammatory and caustic effects of organic peroxides on the skin and mucous membranes vary considerably. For some of these compounds, even very small amounts of very dilute solutions produce severe necrosis of the skin or the cornea, resulting in loss of eyesight. Inhalation of the vapours causes various degrees of irritation in the respiratory passages. In practice, the danger of systemic effects is low. Sensitizations of the immediate type have been observed after inhalation of these substances. With hydroperoxides and with certain peroxides contact sensitization may be expected as well.
A number of organic peroxides have produced mutagenic effects in *in vitro* tests. In addition, tumours have been produced in animal experiments with, e.g., diacetyl peroxide, tert-butyl peroxide, dilauroyl peroxide and \( \alpha, \alpha \)-dimethylbenzyl hydroperoxide.

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<th>Level of Effect</th>
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<td>Negligible or very weak effects on skin</td>
<td>Di-tert-butyl peroxide (50%), Dibenzoyl peroxide (50%), Dilauroyl peroxide</td>
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<td>Moderate effects on skin</td>
<td>tert-Butylhydroperoxide (50%), tert-Butyl peracetate, ( \alpha, \alpha )-Dimethylbenzyl hydroperoxide (Cumene hydroperoxide), Methyl ethyl ketone peroxyde (40%)</td>
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<td>Very severe effects on skin</td>
<td>Cyclohexanone peroxyde mixtures (50%), Dicyclohexyl peroxyde (50%), Diacetyl peroxide (30%), Peroxyacetic acid (40%)</td>
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**b. Gasolines**

The Commission could not agree to assign a MAK value to “gasolines” because this term describes a number of very different mixtures such as motor gasolines (petrol), special boiling point gasolines, white spirits and pyrolysis gasolines. The toxicity of gasolines depends primarily on their content of aromatic compounds (benzene, toluene, xylenes, ethyl benzene, cumene), which varies markedly with the production method.

Procedures suggested for establishing MAK values by the mathematical evaluation of the composition of such mixtures of liquid solvents must be rejected on principle because such calculations cannot provide information as to the actual concentrations in the workplace air. Only when results are available from studies with defined gasoline-vapour mixtures (see Section I) can the Commission make any concrete statements.

Levels of additives such as 1,2-dibromoethane and 1,2-dichloroethane must be evaluated independently (see these listings).

**c. Metal-working fluids, hydraulic fluids and other lubricants**

**Definition**

Lubricants are lubricating media based on mineral oils, natural oils or synthetic liquids. Lubricants in liquid form are to be viewed like metal-working fluids (DIN 51385) and lubricating greases of varying consistencies (DIN 51825). Hydraulic fluids are also included (DIN 51524), which are used for power transmission in hydrostatic/hydrodynamic systems and at the same time may enter the metal-working process, for example due to contamination.

When lubricants are defined according to type or field of application, automotive lubricants (motor oils, transmission oils) are differentiated from industrial lubricants, such as metal-working fluids and hydraulic fluids.

Chemically, lubricants are a heterogeneous group and have a complex composition. Metal-working fluids contain various substances which are also found in other lubricants. Therefore the substances which before 2013 had been listed separately in the List of MAK and BAT Values and in “Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründungen von MAK-
Metal-working fluids

Metal-working fluids are used to cool metallic workpieces and to increase the quality and speed of the cutting process (for example, turning, drilling, milling and cutting) and the service life of the tools. During the shaping treatment and processing of workpieces (includes rolling and forming, for example), the fluids decrease friction and protect surfaces. They are subdivided into non-water miscible (earlier synonyms: honing oils, cutting oils, grinding oils and rolling oils) and water-miscible metal-working fluids. When used diluted with water, they are called water-mixed metal-working fluids, in practice also drilling fluid or emulsion and grinding water.

The modern non-water miscible metal-working fluids are generally multicomponent mixtures whose composition may vary considerably according to the intended use. They consist predominantly of base oils. These are either mineral oils (natural hydrocarbons, paraffinic or naphthenic), natural oils (such as rapeseed oils) or chemically synthesized oils such as synthetic ester oils (e.g. trimethyl propane esters and polyglycol ethers). Important technically desirable properties, such as load-carrying capacity, adjustment of the viscosity index and pour point are only achieved by including additives.

Essential additives are used for protection against wear, corrosion and ageing, as defoamers and as antimist additives and may also be surface-active substances (surfactants). Antioxidants prevent the degradation of lubricants, for example, while metal deactivators inhibit the catalytic activity and corrosion of non-ferrous metals.

Water-miscible metal-working fluids, which are typically used as water-mixed metal-working fluids at concentrations of 1–20%, also contain additives such as emulsifiers, solubilisers, odour maskers and dyes. Biocides are used for the control of bacteria (preservation) in aqueous systems. As part of inspection/maintenance/care of water-mixed metal-working fluids, individual components may be added which do not always correspond to the original formulation of the manufacturer. For example, if there is increased bacterial growth, biocides might be added. Therefore, the composition may constantly vary in the course of time or during prolonged service lives.

The toxicological assessment of metal-working fluids is dependent on their composition and properties of their components, which differ greatly in number and proportion according to the intended use. The mineral oil component alone is therefore not representative of the potential effect. As a result, the MAK value of 5 mg/m³ previously established for pure mineral oil is not applicable to present-day metal-working fluids since these are generally mixtures whose composition may vary considerably according to the intended use. For this reason, it is not possible to establish a single MAK value for all types of metal-working fluids. It is a substantial disadvantage that there is no regulation requiring declaration of components of metal-working fluids. Therefore, it is virtually impossible to make a systematic evaluation. New components and compositions are to be expected with advancing technology. Disclosure of the composition is an absolute requirement for an adequate assessment by the Commission.

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**Hydraulic fluids and other lubricants such as greases**

Hydraulic fluids are operating liquids for hydrostatic/hydrodynamic power transmissions. They consist mainly of oils such as mineral oils, natural oils or synthetic fluids of varying structure and viscosity with additives (DIN 51524). The use of hydraulic fluids and other lubricants such as greases may involve intensive skin contact. Skin contact with components of hydraulic fluids results mainly when they are added to water-mixed metal-working fluids during metal working.

There are numerous applications for which liquid lubricants are not suitable (for example, plain and rolling bearings in machine tools). In these cases, greases covering a wide range of viscosity are used. From a physical point of view, greases are colloidal suspensions of thickeners in oils. Mainly metal soaps are used as thickeners, but also mineral substances and polymers.

**Hazards**

Following skin contact, the effects on health expected most frequently are sensitizing and irritant effects on the skin in the sense of toxic irritant reactions or type IV sensitization (see Section IV “Sensitizing substances” and TRGS 401\(^{41}\)). Systemic toxicity as a result of skin absorption is, however, of minor importance.

When metal-working fluids are in use, it is possible for vapours resulting from high temperatures at the cutting edge and aerosols due to high rotation speeds to pass into the workplace atmosphere. To date, hardly any animal studies or epidemiological data are available for long-term effects following uptake in the lungs under working conditions. However, the toxic profiles of individual components which are absorbed in the lungs or dermally suggest evidence of a systemic toxic reaction. There may be irritant or toxic reactions in the respiratory tract and lungs following inhalation. It can be assumed that systemic toxicity and local effects on the skin and respiratory tract are mainly due to the additives.

Carcinogenic nitrosamines resulting from nitrosatable secondary amines such as diethanolamine and morpholine (see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”; see TRGS 552\(^{42}\)) and 611\(^{43}\)), may be of potential toxicological relevance in water-mixed metal-working fluids, particularly if the fluids contain no inhibitors against their formation.

Both the nitrite concentration and the pH of the water-mixed metal-working fluid have substantial influence on formation of nitrosamines and the rate of their formation. Bacterial nitrite formation can be avoided by the addition of biocides.

Since the nitrosamine concentration does not always correlate with the nitrite concentration, it is more reliable to determine nitrosamine rather than nitrite levels in metal-working fluids containing secondary amines (these do not comply with TRGS 611, unless the provision in Paragraph 2.4 applies). In particular, the absence of nitrite at a particular sampling time does not rule out the possibility that nitrosamines are present. The use of

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non-water miscible metal-working fluids leads to the formation of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH; reference substance: benzo[a]pyrene). They form at non-critical concentrations if their mineral base oils are sufficiently refined or hydrogenated. According to TRGS 905\(^{44}\), the mass content of benzo[a]pyrene in the base oils of non-water miscible metal-working fluids should be lower than 0.005\% (50 ppm).

For systemically hardly toxic components of metal-working fluids which were assessed as non-irritating to mucous membranes and for which no MAK value can be established, it is pointed out that no adverse effects on health are expected at a concentration of up to 10 mg metal-working fluid/m\(^3\), which corresponds to the technical exposure limit of the German BGR/GUV-R 143, 2011\(^{45}\).

The Commission prepares toxicological/occupational-medical reviews of individual components with the aim of publishing practicable assessments in the form of MAK values, if possible. The list, which is subject to constant revision, should assist in the assessment of the effects of metal-working fluids, hydraulic fluids and other lubricants on a case by case basis and in taking any necessary action for health protection.

Documentation has been published for the following substances:

Abietic acid [514-10-3]
also includes disproportionation and transposition products
Adipic acid [124-04-9]
Alkyl amines, C11–14-branched, mono(hexyl and dihexyl phosphates [80939-62-4]
Alkyl benzenesulfonates C10-C14, linear [69669-44-9; 85117-50-6]
Alkyl ether carboxylic acids
1-(2-Allyloxy)-2,(2,4-dichlorophenyl)ethyl)-1H-imidazole [35554-44-0]
2-Aminobutanol [96-20-8]
2-(2-Aminoethoxy)ethanol [929-06-6]
2-Amino-2-ethyl-1,3-propanediol [115-70-8]
2-Amino-2-methyl-1-propanol [124-68-5]
1-Amino-2-propanol [78-96-6]
N-(3-Aminopropyl)-N-dodecylpropane-1,3-diamine [2372-82-9]
Aminotris(methylenephosphonic acid) [6419-19-8] and its sodium salts
Azelaic acid [123-99-9]
Behenic acid [112-85-6]
1,2-Benzisothiazol-3(2H)-one [2634-33-5]
Benzoic acid [65-85-0] see also Benzoic acid alkali salts
Causes pseudoallergic reactions, see Toxikologisch-arbeitsmedizinische Begründung von MAK-Werten (21st issue 1995).
1H-Benzotriazole [95-14-7]
Benzyl alcohol [100-51-6]
Benzyl alcohol mono(poly)hemiformal [14548-60-8] releases formaldehyde
★ Bis[O,O-bis(2-ethylhexyl)] dithiophosphorato-S,S’]dioxodi-μ-thioxodimolybdenum
[68958-92-9; 72030-25-2]
N,N-Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-(1,2,4-triazole-1-yl)methanamine [91273-04-0]

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pflanzungsgefährdender Stoffe (TRGS 905). https://www.baua.de/DE/Angebote/Rechtstexte-und-Technische-
Regeln/Regelwerk/TRGS/TRGS-905.html

https://publikationen.dguv.de/regelwerk/regeln/1006/taetigkeiten-mit-kuehlschmierstoffen
1,3-Bis(hydroxymethyl)urea [140-95-4] releases formaldehyde.
Bithionol [97-18-7]
Boric acid [10043-35-3] and tetraborates
Boric acid [10043-35-3]
2-Bromo-2-nitro-1,3-propanediol [52-51-7] use forbidden as component of metal-working fluids and corrosion inhibitors: see “GefStoffV 2010, Anhang II (zu §16 Absatz 2), Nr. 4”
2-Butyl-1,2-benzisothiazolin-3-one [4299-07-4]
p-tert-Butylbenzoic acid [98-73-7]
tert-Butyl-4-hydroxyanisole (BHA) [25013-16-5]
Calcium bis(dinonylnaphthalenesulphonate) [57855-77-3]
Calcium hydroxide [1305-62-0]
5(or 6)-Carboxy-4-hexylcyclohex-2-ene-1-octanoic acid [53980-88-4]
2-Chloracetamide [79-07-2]
Chloracetamide-N-methylol (CAM) [2832-19-1] releases formaldehyde
p-Chloro-m-cresol [59-50-7]
5-Chloro-2-methyl-2,3-dihydroisothiazol-3-one and 2-Methyl-2,3-dihydroisothiazol-3-one [26172-55-4; 2682-20-4] mixture in ratio 3:1
Chlorothalonil [1897-45-6]
Citric acid [77-92-9]
Citric acid alkali metal salts
Coconut oil [8001-31-8]
Cyclohexylhydroxydiazene-1-oxide, potassium salt [66603-10-9]
N-Cyclohexylhydroxy-diazen-1-oxide, copper salt [15627-09-5]
Decyl alcohol [112-30-1]
n-Decyl oleate [3687-46-5]
Dibenzyl disulfide [150-60-7]
2,2-Dibromo-2-cyanacetamide [10222-01-2]
1,2-Dibromo-2,4-dicyanobutane [35691-65-7]
2,6-Di-tert-butyl-p-cresol (3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxytoluene) (BHT) [128-37-0]
3-(3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-N’-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)propanoyl]propanehydrazide [32687-78-8]
3,5-Di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl propionic acid octadecyl ester [2082-79-3]
2,6-Di-tert-butylphenol [128-39-2]
Di-n-butyl phosphate [107-66-4] and its technical mixtures
Di-n-butyl phosphonate [1809-19-4] see also Di-n-octyl phosphonate
Di-n-butyl phthalate [84-74-2]
Di(tert-dodecyl)pentasulfide and Di(tert-dodecyl)polysulfide [31565-23-8; 68583-56-2; 68425-15-0]
Diethylenetriaminepenta(methylene phosphonic acid) [15827-60-8] and its sodium salts [22042-96-2]
1,2-Dihydro-2,2,4-trimethyl-quinoline polymer [26780-96-1]
4-(Diiodomethylsulfanyl)-toluene [20018-09-1]
Disodecyl phthalate [26761-40-0]
Disotridecyl phthalate [27253-26-5]
1,3-Dimethylo1-5,5-dimethyl hydantoin [6440-58-0]
4,4’-Dioctyldiphenylamine [101-67-7]
Di-n-octyl phosphonate [1809-14-9] see also Di-n-butyl phosphonate
Diphenylamine [122-39-4]
Diphenylamine, octylated (Benzenamine, N-phenyl-, reaction products with 2,4,4-trimethylpentene) [68411-46-1]
Diphenylamine, reaction products with styrene and 2,4,4-trimethylpentene [68921-45-9]
Dipropylene glycol [25265-71-8]
Distillates (petroleum) [64742-47-8] hydrotreated light (aerosol)
Distillates (petroleum) [64742-47-8] hydrotreated light (vapour)
2,2'-Dithiobis(N-methylbenzamide) [2527-58-4]
Ditridecyl phthalate [119-06-2]
Dodecanedioic acid [693-23-2]
1-Dodecanol [112-53-8]
5-Ethyl-3,7-dioxa-1-azabicyclo[3.3.0]octane (EDAO) [7747-35-5]
releases formaldehyde
2-Ethyl-1,3-hexanediol [94-96-2]
★ 2-Ethylhexyl oleate [26399-02-0]
★ Fatty alcohol ethoxylates, C16–18 and C18-unsaturated [68920-66-1]
Glycerol [56-81-5]
1-Hexadecanol [36653-82-4]
Hexamethylene bis(3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)propionate) [35074-77-2]
releases formaldehyde
1-Hexanol [111-27-3]
2-Hexyl-1-decanol [2425-77-6]
Hexylene glycol [107-41-5]
1-Hydroxyethyl-2-heptadecenyl-imidazoline [21652-27-7]
1-Hydroxyethylidene-1,1-diphosphonic acid [2809-21-4] and its sodium and potassium salts
★ N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)piperidine [3040-44-6]
2-Hydroxymethyl-2-nitro-1,3-propanediol [126-11-4]
use forbidden as component of metal-working fluids and corrosion inhibitors: see “GefStoffV 2010, Anhang II (zu §16 Absatz 2), Nr. 4”
12-Hydroxystearic acid [106-14-9]
3-Iodo-2-propynyl butylcarbamate [55406-53-6]
Isodecyl oleate [59231-34-4]
Isononanoic acid [3302-10-1] [26896-18-4]
Isooctadecanol [27458-93-1]
Isotridecanol [27458-92-0]
Kerosine (petroleum) (aerosol) [8008-20-6]
Kerosine (petroleum) (vapour) [8008-20-6]
Lauric acid [143-07-7]
Lithium-12-hydroxystearate [7620-77-1]
Lithium stearate [4485-12-5]
2-Mercaptobenzothiazole [149-30-4]
Methenamine 3-chloroallylchloride [4080-31-3]
releases formaldehyde
Methyl-1H-benzotriazole [29385-43-1]
Methylidiethanolamine [105-59-9]
4-Methyl-1,3-dioxolan-2-one [108-32-7]
Methylene bis(dibutylthiocarbamate) [10254-57-6] (inhalable fraction)
Methylene bis(dibutylthiocarbamate) [10254-57-6] (respirable fraction)
4,4’-Methylenebis(2,6-di-tert-butylphenol) [118-82-1]
N,N’-Methylenebis(5-methylpyrazolidine) [66204-44-2]
4,4’-Methylenedimorpholine [5625-90-1]
releases formaldehyde
2-Methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one [2682-20-4]
Myristic acid [544-63-8]
Naphtha (petroleum) hydrotreated, heavy [64742-48-9]
Naphthenic acids and sodium, calcium, potassium napthenates [1338-24-5; 61790-13-4; 61789-36-4; 66072-08-0] (technical mixtures)
3-Nitrobenzoic acid [121-92-6]
4-(2-Nitrobutyl)morpholine (70% w/w) and 4,4’-(2-Ethyl-2-nitro-1,3-propandiyl)bis-morpholin (20% w/w) [2224-44-4; 1854-23-5] (mixture)
In this mixture formaldehyde can be released and nitrosamines formed. Use forbidden as component of metal-working fluids and corrosion inhibitors: see "GefStoffV 2010, Anhang II (zu §16 Absatz 2), Nr. 4”.
(4-Nonylphenoxy)acetic acid [3115-49-9]
1-Octadecanol [112-92-5]
1-Octanol [111-87-5]
2-Octyl-1-dodecanol [5333-42-6]
2-Octyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one [26530-20-1]
4-tert-Octylphenol [140-66-9]
Oleic acid [112-80-1]
Oleyl alcohol [143-28-2]
Oleyl sarcosine [110-25-8]
Palmitic acid [57-10-3]
Petroleum sulfonates, calcium salts (technical mixture in mineral oil) [61789-86-4]
Petroleum sulfonates, sodium salts [68608-26-4]
Phenoxyethanol [122-99-6]
1-Phenoxy-2-propanol [770-35-4]
2-Phenyl-1-ethanol [60-12-8]
N-Phenyl-1-naphthylamine [90-30-2]
o-Phenylphenol [90-43-7] see also Sodium o-phenylphenol
Piperazine [110-85-0]
Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted: see TRGS 611. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N,N’-dinitrosopiperazine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
Polyalphaolefins, several CAS Nos, e. g. [68649-11-6]
Polybutenes and Polyisobutenes
Polybutenes [9003-29-6]
Polyisobutenes [9003-27-4]
Polydimethyl siloxanes, linear [63148-62-9; 9006-65-9; 9016-00-6]
Polyethylen glycol (average molecular weight 200–600) [25322-68-3]
Because formation of a mist is possible, exposure should be minimized for reasons of occupational safety and hygiene.
Polyethylene glycol (average molecular weight > 600) [25322-68-3]
Polyethylene polypropylene glycol [9003-11-6]
Polyoxyethylene oleyl ether [9004-98-2]
Polypropylene glycol (PPG) [25322-69-4]
Poly(propylene glycol) n-butyl ether [9003-13-8]
Polytetrafluoroethene [9002-84-0] (inhalable fraction)
Polytetrafluoroethene [9002-84-0] (respirable fraction)
except for ultrafine particles; see section Vh
Propylene glycol [57-55-6]
Pyrrrolidine [123-75-1]
Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted; see TRGS 611. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosopyrrolidine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
Sebacic acid [111-20-6]
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate [148-18-5]
Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted; see TRGS 611. Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosodiethylamine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
Sodium o-phenylphenol [132-27-4]
Sodium pyrithione [3811-73-2; 15922-78-8]
Stearic acid [57-11-4]
Succinic acid [110-15-6]
Tall oil, distilled [8002-26-4]
Tartaric acid [87-69-4]
1-Tetradecanol [112-72-1]
Tetrahydrobenzotriazole [6789-99-7]
Thiabendazole [148-79-8]
★ 2,2ʹ-Thiobis(4-methyl-6-tert-butylphenol) [90-66-4]
2,2ʹ-Thiodiethylene Bis[3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)propionate]
 [41484-35-9]
Triazinetriyltriminotrishexanoic acid [80584-91-4]
Tricresyl phosphate, isomers, “free of o-isomers” [1330-78-5; 563-04-2; 78-32-0]
Triethanolamine [102-71-6]
Triethylene glycol n-butyl ether [143-22-6]
Triethylene glycol monomethyl ether [112-35-6]
1,3,5-Triethylhexahydro-1,3,5-triazine [7779-27-3]
releases formaldehyde
★ Triglycerides (lard oil, palm oil, rapeseed oil, soybean oil)
Triphenyl monothiophosphate [597-82-0]
Triphenyl phosphate [115-86-6]
Triphenyl phosphate, isopropylated [68937-41-7]
Tris(2,4-ditert-butylphenyl) phosphite [31570-04-4]
N,Nʹ,Nʺ-Tris(β-hydroxyethyl)hexahydro-1,3,5-triazine [4719-04-4]
releases formaldehyde
Tris[(2- or 4-)C9-C10-isoalkylphenyl]phosphorothioate [126019-82-7]
Tris(nonylphenyl) phosphite [26523-78-4]
White mineral oil (pharmaceutical) [8042-47-5]
Zinc, O,Oʹ-di-2-ethylhexyl dithiophosphate [4259-15-8]

d. Metals and metal compounds

In the List of MAK and BAT Values, metals are listed as the element “and its inorganic compounds”; the threshold value is then expressed consistently in terms of the metal content. For the individual compounds of most metals, the data available from animal studies or from known effects on man are insufficient for evaluation. Whenever analogy of various compounds of a metal and the element itself seems plausible, these substances
should be put in a single category. Therefore, it is necessary that the individual metal compounds be specified as exactly as possible. Generally organic metal compounds should be evaluated separately from the inorganic compounds with respect to the establishment of a MAK value and of carcinogenic potential.

And since the type and extent of metal-related damage depends markedly on the nature of the chemical bond, differences in water solubility of metal compounds can influence their acute and chronic toxicity. On principle, therefore, every metal compound should be tested individually and then categorized according to its toxicity and any carcinogenic potential. At present, sufficient data for such a classification is available for only a few metal compounds.

e. Radioactive materials

For procedures in handling radionuclides, reference is made to the special regulations of the “Strahlenschutzverordnung” (radiation protection guidelines). The current version of the guideline may be found in the relevant issue of the Bundesgesetzblatt.
Assessment Values in Biological Material

XI Significance and use of BAT values and BLW

Definition

The Commission establishes BAT values ("Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Toleranz-Werte": biological tolerance values) and BLW ("Biologische Leit-Werte") to enable the evaluation of the risk to an individual’s health which results from exposure to a substance at the workplace.

The BAT value describes the occupational-medical and toxicological derived concentration for a substance, its metabolites or an effect parameter in the corresponding biological material at which the health of an employee generally is not adversely affected even when the person is repeatedly exposed during long periods. BAT values are based on a relationship between external and systemic exposure or between the systemic exposure and the resulting effect of the substance. The derivation of the BAT value is based on the average of systemic exposures.

The BAT value is exceeded when, following several individual examinations, the average concentration of the parameter is greater than the BAT value; measured values greater than the BAT value must be evaluated in relation to occupational-medical and toxicological data. Adverse effects on health can not necessarily be deduced from one single excursion above the BAT value. This is not valid for acute toxicity, which must not be permitted at any time. The individual evaluations of substances include evidence of acute toxic effects. In addition, substances with a BAT value which targets an acute toxic effect are marked with an appropriate footnote in the List of MAK and BAT Values ("derivation of the BAT value as ceiling value because of acute toxic effects").

BLW are derived for carcinogenic substances and for substances without sufficient data: these are likewise established as averages (see Section XIV).

Prerequisites

By definition, BAT values can be established only for such substances which can be taken up by the body in substantial quantities via the lungs and/or other body surfaces (skin, gastrointestinal tract) during occupational exposure. Another prerequisite for the establishment of a BAT value is that sufficient occupational-medical and toxicological data are available for the substance and that these data are supported by observations in man. The data must have been obtained with reliable methods. For the establishment of new BAT values and the annual review of the list, the submission of suggestions and reports of experience with such substances in man is requested.

Derivation of BAT values

The derivation of a BAT value can be based on various constellations of scientific data which reveal a quantitative relationship between exposure concentration and body burden and therefore permit the linking of MAK and BAT values. These include...
– studies which reveal a direct relationship between concentrations of a substance, metabolite or adduct in biological material (body burden) and adverse effects on health,
– studies which reveal a relationship between a biological indicator (effect parameter) and adverse effects on health.

The following considerations of sex-specific factors apply for the establishment of BAT values:

1. The range of the variation in human anatomical and physiological differences which affect the toxicokinetics of a substance is very wide even for a single sex; the ranges for the two sexes overlap.
2. The resulting sex-specific differences in toxicokinetics vary in a range which is insignificant compared with the uncertainty involved in establishing threshold values.
3. Pregnancy can be associated with certain changes in the toxicokinetics of xenobiotics. In practice, however, the effects of these changes are limited so that for health protection at the workplace it is the effects on the embryo and foetus which are of particular importance (see Section VIII).

Documentation

The reasons why a BAT value was established at a particular level are documented by the Permanent Senate Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area in a loose-leaf collection entitled “Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Toleranz-Werte (BAT-Werte), Expositionsäquivalente für krebserzeugende Arbeitsstoffe (EKA), Biologische Leit-Werte (BLW) und Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Referenzwerte (BAR) – Arbeitsmedizinisch-toxikologische Begründungen” \(^{46}\). They combine a critical review of the available data with comments on the values for the parameters which have been shown in practice to make a useful contribution to occupational hygiene.

As a rule, the Commission makes its decisions only on the basis of data which have been published in the scientific literature. When necessary, other sources such as unpublished internal company reports are cited and are then identified as such in the reference list at the end of the documentation. The unabridged reports are made available to the Commission and are filed at the Commission’s scientific central office. Information required by a third party about the company reports cited in the Commission’s documentation is supplied in writing by the chair of the Commission at own discretion. Access to company reports is not made available to third parties. Copies, even of parts of reports, are not provided.

Purpose

In the context of specific occupational-medical check-ups, BAT values are intended to protect employees from impairment of health at work. They provide a basis for deciding whether the amount of a chemical substance taken up by the organism may be harmful or not. For substances that can be absorbed through the skin, individual exposures can be determined only by biological monitoring. BAT values are not suitable for the derivation

of biological threshold values for long-term non-occupational exposures such as from air pollution or contaminants in food by means of fixed conversion factors.

**Correlations between BAT and MAK values**

When a substance is inhaled under steady state conditions in controlled laboratory experiments, the relationship between the BAT and MAK values can be expressed in terms of pharmacokinetic functions. Under workplace conditions, however, it is not necessarily possible to deduce the level of a substance to which a particular person was exposed from its specific biological parameter in that person because a series of other factors in addition to the amount of the substance in the air can determine the extent of exposure of the organism. These factors include the level of physical activity (respiratory minute volume), absorption through the skin and individual variations in metabolic or excretory patterns. It is therefore particularly difficult to evaluate field studies which describe the relationship between internal and external exposure to substances which can be absorbed percutaneously. Experience has shown that studies of such substances frequently yield discrepant results. These discrepancies are attributed to different levels of dermal exposure under the different study conditions. When evaluating such results to determine relationships between MAK and BAT values, priority should be given to studies in which the data suggest that skin absorption played a minor role.

In general, for substances with low vapour pressure which are readily absorbed through the skin, there is no correlation between exposure concentration and body burden. For these substances a BAT value can often be established only on the basis of a relationship between body burden and effect.

In addition, the concentrations of substances in the workplace air may vary with time and the biological parameters may not vary to the same extent. Therefore, observance of BAT values does not make it unnecessary to monitor the concentrations of substances in the workplace air. This applies especially for local irritants and caustic substances. When evaluating macromolecular adducts of foreign substances it should be borne in mind that the persistence of such adducts can lead to discrepancies between the pattern of external exposure and the behaviour of the biological parameters. Similar considerations apply for all highly cumulative substances such as heavy metals and polyhalogenated hydrocarbons.

In spite of all these interfering factors and the consequent differences in the definitions of MAK and BAT values, the two thresholds are generally based on equivalent effects of substances on the organism. However, for substances for which the MAK value is not established on the basis of systemic effects but because of local irritation of skin and mucous membranes, a BAT value can still be based on “critical toxicity” resulting from systemic exposure. In such exceptional cases where the MAK and BAT values are based on different end points, the two values do not necessarily correspond.

**BAT values and pregnancy**

Observance of the BAT values does not guarantee the protection of the unborn child in every case, as for numerous hazardous substances at the workplace there are no or no adequate studies of their prenatal toxicity. On the basis of the prerequisites named in Section VIII, the Commission examines all hazardous substances at the workplace with MAK or BAT values with respect to whether prenatal toxicity can be excluded when the MAK or BAT value is observed (Group C), whether, according to the available
information, prenatal toxicity cannot be excluded (Group B) or whether prenatal toxicity has been demonstrated (Group A). For a number of substances at the workplace it is not possible to date, however, to make any statement as regards prenatal toxicity (Group D). For substances classified in Pregnancy Risk Group B, the Commission examines whether it is possible on the basis of the data to indicate which concentration would correspond to classification in Pregnancy Risk Group C (Group B with prerequisite for concerning Group C).

If there is a correlation between the MAK and BAT values, the pregnancy risk group for the MAK value usually applies also for the correlating BAT value.

If the BAT value was not derived in correlation with the MAK value, a procedure like that described in Section VIII is followed for the pregnancy risk group for the BAT value.

**Surveillance**

The protection of the health of the individual, which is the reason for establishing BAT values, can be monitored by periodic quantitative determination of the chemical compounds or their metabolites or of biological parameters in biological material. The methods used must be diagnostically specific and sensitive enough for the purpose, acceptable to the employee and practicable for the physician. The sampling time must take into account both the exposure conditions at the workplace and the pharmacokinetics of the substance (measurement “strategy”). As a rule, especially for substances which accumulate in the organism, this may be achieved by taking samples at the end of a working day after an extended period of work (working week).

During exposure to vapours and gases which have systemic effects and a blood/air distribution coefficient larger than 5, and exposure to aerosols which have systemic effects, it must be taken into account that the concentrations of the substances in blood and tissues are positively correlated with the level of physical activity.

Likewise, the concentrations of inhaled gaseous substances in blood and tissues of persons working under hyperbaric pressure have been shown to correlate positively with the pressure. In such cases the observance of the BAT value must be monitored more frequently as the BAT value is attained in such workers at lower exposure concentrations than in persons working at normal pressures.

Whole blood, serum and urine samples are used as assay materials, occasionally and under certain conditions, also samples of alveolar air. Saliva and hair samples are not suitable assay materials for occupational-medical biomonitoring.

The analytical methods must yield reliable results and meet the requirements of statistical quality control. In a loose-leaf collection the Commission’s working group “Analysen in biologischem Material (Analyses in Biological Materials)” has compiled a series of methods which may be considered reliable for this purpose\(^47\).

For workers who come into direct skin contact with substances which are designated with an “H”, it is necessary to check that the BAT value has not been exceeded or, in the case of carcinogenic substances, to assess the systemic dose in terms of the EKA.

Evaluation of analytical data

Like any results of laboratory investigations, toxicological analytical data can only be evaluated given knowledge of the whole situation. As well as other medical findings, especially

- the dynamics of pathophysiological processes,
- the short-term effects of exposure-free periods,
- the long-term effects of ageing,
- the specific workplace conditions,
- intensive physical activity and unusual conditions of atmospheric pressure and
- background exposures

must be individually taken into account.

In occupational-medical health practice analyses of urine specimens for the purpose of biological monitoring are carried out using spontaneously voided urine samples (spot samples). These are not suitable for an analysis if they have been highly concentrated or highly diluted through diuresis. In occupational-medical practice the creatinine content of the urine specimen is used as a criterion for the specimen’s acceptance while the specific weight or the osmolality is of little importance as a basis for evaluation. Creatinine concentrations < 0.3 g/l or > 3.0 g/l are criteria which would exclude the usability of the spot sample (see Addendum to Creatinine as Reference Parameter for the Concentration of Substances in Urine). This aspect should be considered even in the pre-analytical phase of biological monitoring.

Results from analyses of substances in biological material are subject to medical discretion. Only the physician who is responsible may interpret the results.

BAT values are established on the basis of the results of scientific studies and practical medical experience.

Allergenic substances

Depending on individual disposition, allergic reactions can be induced by various kinds of substances, more or less rapidly and in differing degrees of severity after sensitization of, for example, the skin or respiratory passages. The observance of BAT values cannot provide a guarantee that such reactions will not occur.

Carcinogenic substances

See Section XIII.

Biological reference values

See Section XV.

Mixtures of substances

BAT values apply as a rule for exposure to pure substances. They are not necessarily applicable for persons exposed to preparations containing more than one toxic substance (blends, mixtures, solutions). This is especially true for BAT values requiring
determination of the substance itself or its metabolites. For mixtures of components with similar effects, a BAT value based on a biological parameter can be helpful in the assessment of health risks, as long as it provides a measure of critical clinical-functional effects of the components. The Commission makes every effort to define and publish such criteria for the biological effects of interfering components of mixtures.
XII List of substances

For interpretation of the occupational-medical and experimental toxicological data, reference should also be made to the “Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Toleranz-Werte (BAT-Werte), Expositionsäquivalente für krebserzeugende Arbeitsstoffe (EKA), Biologische Leit-Werte (BLW) und Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Referenzwerte (BAR) – Arbeitsmedizinisch-toxikologische Begründungen”.

Abbreviations

- BV = assessment values in biological material (BAT/EKA/BLW/BAR)
- BAT = biological tolerance value (“Biologischer Arbeitsstoff-Toleranz-Wert”)
- EKA = exposure equivalents for carcinogenic substances (see Section XIII)
- BLW = biological guidance value (“Biologischer Leit-Wert”, see Section XIV)
- BAR = biological reference value (“Biologischer Arbeitsstoff-Referenzwert”, see Section XV)

In the table under Substance:

- H = danger from percutaneous absorption (see Sections VII and XI)
- Carc cat = Carcinogen category (see Section III)
- Preg(BAT) = Pregnancy Risk Group for BAT value (see Section XI)

Assay material:

- B = whole blood
- BE = erythrocyte fraction of whole blood
- U = urine
- P/S = plasma/serum

Sampling time:

- a = not fixed
- b = end of exposure or end of shift
- c = for long-term exposures: at the end of the shift after several previous shifts
- d = at the beginning of the next shift
- e = time after end of exposure: … hours
- f = after exposure for at least 3 months
- g = immediately after exposure
Substances which have been examined for possible biological monitoring and for which there is documentation in “Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Toleranz-Werte (BAT-Werte), Exposionsäquivalente für kreberzeugende Arbeitsstoffe (EKA), Biologische Leit-Werte (BLW) und Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Referenzwerte (BAR) – Arbeitsmedizinisch-toxikologische Begründungen“.

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| **4,4’-Methylenebis(2-chloroaniline) (MOCA) [101-14-4]** | | | |
| Perc abs: H | Carc cat: 2 | | |
| 4,4’-Methylenebis(2-chloroaniline) (MOCA) (after hydrolysis) | BAR < 1 μg/l | U | b |

| **4,4’-Methylene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI) [101-68-8] (inhalable fraction)** | | | |
| Perc abs: H | Carc cat: 4 | | |
| 4,4’-Diaminodiphenylmethane (after hydrolysis) | BLW 10 μg/l | U | b |

| **N-Methyl-2-pyrrolidone [872-50-4]** | | | |
| Perc abs: H | | | |
| 5-Hydroxy-N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone | BAT 150 mg/l | U | b |

| **Molybdenum [7439-98-7] and its compounds** | | | |
| Molybdenum | BAT not established | U, P | - |
| | BAR 150 μg/l | U | - |

| **Naphthalene [91-20-3]** | | | |
| Perc abs: H | Carc cat: 2 | | |
| 1-Naphthol plus 2-naphthol (after hydrolysis) | EKA see Section XIII.1 | U | b, c |
| | BAR 35 μg/l | U | b, c |
| 1,2-Dihydroxynaphthalene (after hydrolysis) | EKA see Section XIII.1 | U | b, c |
| 1-Naphthylmercapturic acid | EKA see Section XIII.1 | U | b, c |

| **2-Naphthylamine [91-59-8]** | | | |
| Perc abs: H | Carc cat: 1 | | |
| 2-Naphthylamine | EKA not established see Section XIII.2 | U | b |
| | BAR not established see Section XV.2 | U | b |
| 2-Naphthylamine adducts | EKA not established see Section XIII.2 | B_e | f |
| | BAR not established see Section XV.2 | B_e | f |

| **1,5-Naphthylene diisocyanate [3173-72-6]** | | | |
| Perc abs: H | Carc cat: 3 | | |
| 1,5-Diaminonaphthalene | BLW not established see Section XIV.2 | U | b |

| **Neuropathy target esterase inhibitors** | | | |
| Reduction of activity of neuropathy target esterase in lymphocytes | BAT not established see Section XII.2 | B | b, c |
| | Determination of individual pre-exposure values |

<p>| <strong>Nickel [7440-02-0] and its compounds</strong> | | | |
| Nickel | BAR 3 μg/l | U | c |</p>
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### Pyrethrum [8003-34-7] and Pyrethroids (e.g. allethrin, cyfluthrin, cypermethrin, deltamethrin, permethrin, resmethrin, phenothrin, tetrachemthrin)

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<td>Tetrachloroethylene</td>
<td>BAT 200 μg/l e 16 hours after end of exposure</td>
<td>B</td>
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<td>EKA see Section XIII.1</td>
<td>B e 16 hours after end of exposure</td>
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### Tetrachloromethane [56-23-5]

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<td>Tetrachloromethane</td>
<td>BAT 3.5 μg/l c</td>
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### Tetraethyllead [78-00-2]

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<td>Diethyllead</td>
<td>BAT 25 μg/l as Pb</td>
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<td>Total lead (also applies for mixtures of tetraethyllead with tetramethyllead)</td>
<td>BAT 50 μg/l</td>
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### Tetrahydrofuran [109-99-9]

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<td>Tetrahydrofuran</td>
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### Tetramethyllead [75-74-1]

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<td>Total lead</td>
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### Toluene (Toluol) [108-88-3]

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<td>o-Cresol (after hydrolysis)</td>
<td>BAT 75 μg/l U b</td>
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### 2,4-Toluenediamine (2,4-TDA) [95-80-7]

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<td>EKA see Section XIII.1</td>
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<td>Sum of 2,4- and 2,6-TDA (after hydrolysis)</td>
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<td>5 μg/g creatinine</td>
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<tr>
<td>2,4-TDA (after hydrolysis)</td>
<td>BAR</td>
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<td><strong>2,6-Toluene diisocyanate [91-08-7]</strong></td>
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<td>5 μg/g creatinine</td>
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<td><strong>Toluene diisocyanates, mixture [26471-62-5]</strong></td>
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<td><strong>o-Toluidine [95-53-4]</strong></td>
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<td>o-Toluidine (after hydrolysis)</td>
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<td><strong>Tributyl phosphate [126-73-8]</strong></td>
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<td>Di-n-butyl phosphate</td>
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<td>Trichloroacetic acid</td>
<td>EKA</td>
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<td>BAR</td>
<td>0.07 mg/l see Section XV.1</td>
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<td>b, c</td>
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<td><strong>Tricresyl phosphate, sum of all o-isomers [78-30-8]</strong></td>
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<td>Di-o-cresylphosphate</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Trimethylbenzene (all isomers) [25551-13-7]: 1,2,3-Trimethylbenzene [526-73-8], 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene [95-63-6], 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene [108-67-8]</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>Dimethyl benzoic acids (sum of all isomers after hydrolysis)</td>
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<td>400 mg/g creatinine</td>
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<td><strong>2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene [118-96-7] (and isomers in technical mixtures)</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>4-Amino-2,6-dinitrotoluene (after hydrolysis)</td>
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<td>&lt; 1 μg/l see Section XV.1</td>
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<tr>
<td>2-Amino-4,6-dinitrotoluene (after hydrolysis)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Uranium</td>
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<td>U</td>
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<td><strong>Uranium compounds, soluble inorganic</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Vanadium [7440-62-2] and its inorganic compounds</strong></td>
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<td>b, c</td>
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<td>Thiodiglycolic acid</td>
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<td>c</td>
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<td>BAR 1.5 mg/l see Section XV.1</td>
<td>U</td>
<td>d</td>
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<td><strong>Vitamin K antagonists</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>Quick value</td>
<td>BAT Reduction of activity to no less than 70% BAT value derived as ceiling value because of acute toxic effects.</td>
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<td><strong>Xylene (all isomers) [1330-20-7]</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>Perc abs: H</td>
<td>Bar: methylhippuric acid (toluric acid) (all isomers)</td>
<td>U</td>
<td>b</td>
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For the substances listed below, there is at present insufficient data for the derivation of a BAT value; however, documentation for these substances has been published in “Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Toleranz-Werte (BAT-Werte), Expositionsäquivalente für krebserzeugende Arbeitsstoffe (EKA), Biologische Leit-Werte (BLW) und Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Referenzwerte (BAR) – Arbeitsmedizinisch-toxikologische Begründungen”:

- Boric acid [10043-35-3] and tetraborates
- tert-Butyl methyl ether [1634-04-4]
- Copper [7440-50-8] and its inorganic compounds
- Cresol (all isomers) [1319-77-3]: o-cresol [95-48-7], m-cresol [108-39-4], p-cresol [106-44-5]
- 1-Ethoxy-2-propanol [1569-02-4]
- 1-Ethoxy-2-propyl acetate [54839-24-6]
- Ethylene glycol dinitrate [628-96-6]
- Formic acid methyl ester [107-31-3]
- Manganese [7439-96-5] and its inorganic compounds
- Methaemoglobin-forming substances
- Molybdenum [7439-98-7] and its compounds
- Neuropathy target esterase inhibitors
- Pyrethrum [8003-34-7] and Pyrethroids (e. g. allethrin, cyfluthrin, cypermethrin, deltamethrin, permethrin, resmethrin, phenothrin, tetramethrin)
- Tricresyl phosphate, sum of all o-isomers [78-30-8]

3 BAT values examined with regard to their Pregnancy Risk Group:

3.1 Substances at the workplace with a correlation between MAK and BAT value:

★ Acetone [67-64-1] Group B with notification of the prerequisite for Group C
  Carbon monoxide [630-08-0] Group B
  Chlorobenzene [108-90-7] Group C
★ 1,4-Dichlorobenzene [106-46-7] Group C
  N,N-Dimethylformamide [68-12-2] Group B with notification of the prerequisite for Group C
★ 1,4-Dioxane [123-91-1] Group C
★ Lead [7439-92-1] and its inorganic compounds (except lead arsenate and lead chromate)
  Methanol [67-56-1] Group C
  Toluene [108-88-03] Group C
  2,4-Toluene-diisocyanate [584-84-9] Group C
  2,6-Toluene-diisocyanate [91-08-7] Group C
  Toluene diisocyanate, mixture [26471-62-5] Group C
  1,1,1-Trichloroethane [71-55-6] Group C

3.2 Substances at the workplace with no correlation between MAK and BAT value:

Chlorinated biphenyls [53469-21-9] Group B with notification of the prerequisite for Group C
Lindane [58-89-9] Group C
XIII Carcinogenic substances

Chemical substances which, by their own action or by that of their reactive intermediates or metabolites, are known to cause cancer in man or for which there is good evidence of a human cancer risk (Carcinogen categories 1 and 2) or which cause concern because they are or could be carcinogenic (Carcinogen category 3) and for which no MAK value can be derived are not given BAT values because at present it is not possible to specify safe levels of such substances in biological materials. Therefore, the handling of such substances must take place under the conditions described in Section III of the List of MAK and BAT Values. The analysis of carcinogenic substances in biological material is not carried out for the application of BAT values in the strict sense but rather for the occupational-medical detection and quantification of the individual exposure to the substances. Concentrations of a substance or its metabolites in biological material which are higher than those known to correspond to the concentration of the substance in the workplace air are indicative of additional exposure by other routes, usually percutaneous.

For this reason the Commission investigates for carcinogenic substances the relationships between the concentration of the carcinogen in the workplace air and that of the substance or its metabolites in biological material (“Expositionsäquivalente für krebserzeugende Arbeitsstoffe”, EKA: exposure equivalents for carcinogenic substances). From these relationships, the body burden which results from uptake of the substance exclusively by inhalation may be determined.

In addition, the considerations expressed in Section XI “Correlations between MAK and BAT Values” apply to substances which may be absorbed percutaneously (“H” after the name of the substance indicates danger from percutaneous absorption).

1 Carcinogenic substances and suspected carcinogens for which correlations (“exposure equivalents for carcinogenic substances”, EKA) can be evaluated: (printed in italics: Equivalent Values according to ERB (=exposure-risk relationships as defined in “Risk-related concept of measures for activities involving carcinogenic hazardous substances (TRGS 910”))

### Acrylamide [79-06-1] H

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<tr>
<th>Air Acrylamide [mg/m³]</th>
<th>Erythrocyte fraction of whole blood N-(2-Carbonamideethyl)valine [pmol/g globin]</th>
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Sampling time: after exposure for at least 3 months
### Acrylnitril [107-13-1] H

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<th>Erythrocyte fraction of whole blood N-(2-Cyanoethyl)valine [pmol/g globin]</th>
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### Alkali chromates (Cr(VI))

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<th>Air CrO₃⁻ [mg/m³]</th>
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<th>Urine** Chromium [μg/l]</th>
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* not applicable for exposure to welding fumes
** also applicable for exposure to welding fumes

### Arsenic [7440-38-2] and inorganic arsenic compounds (apart from arsine) H

metallic arsenic and gallium arsenide are not designated with ‘H’

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Air Arsenic and inorganic arsenic compounds (apart from arsine) [mg/m³]</th>
<th>Urine Σ Arsenic(+III), arsenic(+V), monomethylarsonic acid and dimethylarsinic acid [μg/l]</th>
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### Benzene [71-43-2] H

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<th>Air</th>
<th>Benzene</th>
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<th>Urine trans, trans-Muconic acid</th>
<th>Benzene</th>
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<td>[ml/m³]</td>
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* evaluated for non-smokers

### 1-Bromopropane [106-94-5] H

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<td>[mg/g creatinine]</td>
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### 1,3-Butadiene [106-99-0]

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* synonym for N-acetyl-S-(3,4-dihydroxybutyl)cysteine
** synonym for N-acetyl-S-(2-hydroxy-3-butenyl)cysteine
### 1-Chlor-2,3-epoxypropane (Epichlorohydrin) [106-89-8] H

<table>
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<th>Air 1-Chlor-2,3-epoxypropane [ml/m³]</th>
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### Cobalt [7440-48-4] and cobalt compounds H

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### Cyclohexanone [108-94-1] H

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<th>Urine 1,2-Cyclohexanediol (after hydrolysis) [mg/l]</th>
<th>Urine Cyclohexanol (after hydrolysis) [mg/l]</th>
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Sampling time:
- end of exposure or end of shift;
- for long-term exposures: at the end of the shift after several previous shifts

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### Dichloromethane [75-09-2] H

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Sampling time:
- during exposure, at least 2 hours after beginning of exposure

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### Dimethyl sulfate [77-78-1] H

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<tr>
<td>[mg/m³]</td>
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Sampling time:
- after exposure for at least 3 months

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<th>17</th>
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<td>[μg/l whole blood]</td>
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### 1,2-Epoxypropane [75-56-9]

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<th>N-(2-Hydroxypropyl)valine</th>
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<td>[mg/m³]</td>
<td>[pmol/g globin]</td>
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**Sampling time:** after exposure for at least 3 months

### Ethylbenzene [100-41-4] H

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<th>Urine Mandelic acid plus phenyl glyoxylic acid</th>
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**Sampling time:** end of exposure or end of shift

### Ethylene oxide [75-21-8] H

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### Hydrazine [302-01-2] H

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**Sampling time:**
end of exposure or end of shift

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### *Naphthalene [91-20-3] H*

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<th>Urine 1-Naphthyl mercapturic acid [µg/l]</th>
<th>(1+2)-Naphthol (after hydrolysis) [µg/l]</th>
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**Sampling time:**
end of exposure or end of shift; for long-term exposures: at the end of the shift after several previous shifts

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### Nickel [7440-02-0] (nickel metal, nickel oxide, nickel carbonate, nickel sulfide, sulfidic ores)

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**Sampling time:**
for long-term exposures: at the end of the shift after several previous shifts
### Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) H

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<td>[µg/m³]</td>
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### Tetrachloroethylene [127-18-4] H

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<td>[ml/m³] [mg/m³]</td>
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<td>16 hours after end of exposure</td>
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### 2,4-Toluene diamine [95-80-7] H

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**Trichloroethylene** [79-01-6] H

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**Vanadium** [7440-62-2] and its inorganic compounds

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2 Carcinogenic substances and suspected carcinogens for which correlations (“exposure equivalents for carcinogenic materials”, EKA) cannot be evaluated, or only evaluated incompletely, but which are documented in “Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Toleranz-Werte (BAT-Werte), Expositionsäquivalente für krebserzeugende Arbeitsstoffe (EKA), Biologische Leit-Werte (BLW) und Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Referenzwerte (BAR) – Arbeitsmedizinisch-toxikologische Begründungen”:

- 4-Aminobiphenyl [92-67-1]
- Antimony [7440-36-0] and its inorganic compounds including stibine [7803-52-3]
- Benzidine [92-87-5]
- Beryllium [7440-41-7] and its inorganic compounds
- Ethylene [74-85-1]
  - Mercury, organic compounds
  - Methyl bromide [74-83-9]
  - 2-Naphthylamine [91-59-8]

Nickel (easily soluble nickel compounds, e.g. nickel acetate and similar soluble salts, nickel chloride, nickel sulfate)
Pentachlorophenol [87-86-5]
★ Vinyl chloride [75-01-4]
The BLW ("Biological guidance value") is the amount of a chemical substance or its metabolites or the deviation from the norm of biological parameters induced by the substance in exposed humans which serves as an indicator for necessary protective measures. BLW are assigned only for hazardous materials for which the available toxicological or occupational-medical data are insufficient for the establishment of BAT values (i.e. for carcinogenic substances and suspected carcinogens in the Categories 1 to 3 and for non-carcinogens for which the toxicological data are inadequate).

BLW are generally established on the assumption that persons are exposed at work for at most 8 hours daily and 40 hours weekly during their working lives.

The BLW is based on occupational-medical information as to the effects of handling the hazardous material together with toxicological data. Since observance of the BLW does not exclude a risk of adverse effects on health, it is necessary to extend our knowledge of the relationships between exposure to the substance, the systemic dose and the resulting risks for health so that BAT values may be derived. The BLW are intended to advance this aim by providing a basis for biomonitoring of exposed persons by the physician. By continual improvement of the industrial situation, occupational hygiene and the protective aspects of work planning, concentrations as far as possible below the BLW should be attained.

1 Substances for which BLW can be derived:

- Acrylamide [79-06-1]
- Aniline [62-53-3]
- Arsenic [7440-38-2] and inorganic arsenic compounds apart from arsine
- Bisphenol A (4,4′-Isopropylidenediphenol) [80-05-7]
- Cobalt [7440-48-4] and cobalt compounds
- Di(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP) [117-81-7]
- Methyl bromide [74-83-9]
- 4,4′-Methylene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI) [101-68-8] (inhaleable fraction)
- Nitrobenzene [98-95-3]
- Phenol [108-95-2]

2 For the substances listed below, there is at present insufficient data for the derivation of a BLW; however, documentations for these substances have been published in "Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Toleranz-Werte (BAT-Werte), Expositionsäquivalente für krebszerzeugende Arbeitsstoffe (EKA), Biologische Leit-Werte (BLW) und Biologische Arbeitsstoff-Referenzwerte (BAR) – Arbeitsmedizinisch-toxikologische Begründungen"52):

- 4-Aminobiphenyl [92-67-1]
- Cadmium [7440-43-9] and its inorganic compounds
- Cresol (all isomers) [1319-77-3]: o-cresol [95-48-7], m-cresol [108-39-4], p-cresol [106-44-5]
- 4,4′-Diaminodiphenylmethane [101-77-9]
- 1,5-Naphthylene diisocyanate [3173-72-6]
- Nitroglycerin [55-63-0]

XV BAR

BAR ("biological reference values") describe the background level of a substance which is present concurrently at a particular time in a reference population of persons of working age who are not occupationally exposed to this substance. The BAR are based on the 95th percentile without regarding effects on health. It must be taken into account that the reference level of the background exposure can be influenced by such factors as age, sex, social status, residential environment, life style and geographical region.

The reference level for a substance or its metabolite in biological material is derived with the help of the measured level in a random sample from a defined population group.

Occupational exposure can be assessed by comparing biomonitoring values in occupationally exposed persons with the BAR.

1 Substances for which BAR can be derived:

★ Acetone [67-64-1]
   Acrolein [107-02-8]
   Acrylamide [79-06-1]
   Acrylonitrile [107-13-1]
   Aluminium [7429-90-5]
   4-Aminobiphenyl [92-67-1]
   Antimony [7440-36-0] and its inorganic compounds including stibine [7803-52-3]
   Arsenic [7440-38-2] and inorganic arsenic compounds apart from arsine
   Barium compounds (soluble) (as Ba [7440-39-3])
   Benzene [71-43-2]
   Beryllium [7440-41-7] and its inorganic compounds
   Bisphenol S [80-09-1]
   1,3-Butadiene [106-99-0]
   Cadmium [7440-43-9] and its inorganic compounds
   Chlorinated biphenyls [53469-21-9]
   Chloroprene [126-99-8]
   Chromium [7440-47-3] and its compounds
   Cobalt [7440-48-4] and cobalt compounds
   4,4ʹ-Diaminodiphenylmethane [101-77-9]
   1,4-Dichlorobenzene [106-46-7]
   1,2-Epoxypropane [75-56-9]
★ Ethylene oxide [75-21-8]
   Glycidol (Glycide) [556-52-5]
   Lead [7439-92-1] and its inorganic compounds (except lead arsenate and lead chromate)
   Lithium [7439-93-2]
   Manganese [7439-96-5] and its inorganic compounds
   4,4ʹ-Methylenebis(2-chloroaniline) (MOCA) [101-14-4]
   Molybdenum [7439-98-7] and its compounds
   Naphthalene [91-20-3]
   Nickel [7440-02-0] and its compounds
   Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH)
   Selenium [7782-49-2] and its inorganic compounds
   o-Toluidine [95-53-4]
   Tributyl phosphate [126-73-8]
Trichloroethylene [79-01-6]
2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene [118-96-7] (and isomers in technical mixtures)
Vinyl chloride [75-01-4]

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- Benzidine [92-87-5]
- Copper [7440-50-8] and its inorganic compounds
- 1,2-Dichloropropane [78-87-5]
- Gadolinium [7440-54-2]
- Iodine [7553-56-2] and inorganic iodides
- 2-Naphthylamine [91-59-8]
- 2,4-Toluenediamine (2,4-TDA) [95-80-7]
- 2,4-Toluene diisocyanate [584-84-9]
- Tricresyl phosphate, sum of all o-isomers [78-30-8]
- Uranium [7440-61-1] and its hardly soluble inorganic compounds
- Uranium compounds, soluble inorganic

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Constitution and Procedures of the Permanent Senate Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area

I.
The activity of the Permanent Senate Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area is based on the following regulations of the statutes of the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft.

§ 1
Purpose of the Association

The Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (German Research Foundation, DFG) serves all branches of science and the humanities by funding research projects and facilitating national and international cooperation among researchers. It devotes particular attention to the education and advancement of young researchers. It promotes equality between men and women in the scientific and academic communities. It advises parliaments and public authorities on scientific matters and fosters relations with the private sector and between scientists and academics.

§ 11
Senate

1. The Senate is the central scientific body of the DFG. It shall deliberate and resolve, within the principles adopted by the General Assembly, all major matters of the DFG, unless they are reserved for the Joint Committee.

2. The Senate shall determine which review boards shall be formed and how they shall be structured. It shall ensure that the full range of fields in science and the humanities is covered by the review boards and that the review boards take their disciplinary research interests and interdisciplinary relationships duly into account.

3. The Senate shall consist of 39 members. The president of the German Rectors’ Conference, the president of the Union of the German Academies of Sciences and Humanities and the president of the Max Planck Society shall be ex officio members of the Senate. The remaining 36 members shall be elected by the General Assembly in a staggered rotation system. Researchers who work at institutions of higher education or other research institutions are eligible for election. The General Assembly may also elect other persons, in consideration of certain expertise relevant to the DFG. Voting shall be based on the person; elected members of the Senate shall not act as representatives of institutions. Adequate representation of the entire spectrum of research disciplines shall be sought in the composition of the elected membership.

4. For the elections, the Senate, upon recommendation by the Executive Committee and in consideration of proposals from the members of the DFG, shall prepare slates of nominations, which as a rule shall comprise three names for each vacant seat. Details shall be governed by rules of procedure.

5. If a member of the Senate leaves during his or her term of office, the Senate may coopt a replacement member from the previous slates of nominations to complete the departing member’s term of office.

6. Meetings of the Senate shall be convened and chaired by the President. The President shall convene the Senate at the request of at least one-third of its members. As a rule, the resolutions of the Senate shall be passed in the meetings. In individual cases, resolutions may also be passed by circulation (in writing, by fax or electronically) upon decision by the Executive Committee.

7. Within its mandate, the Senate may establish committees and commissions whose members need not be members of the Senate.
II.

The following principles apply for the Constitution and Procedure of the Permanent Senate Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area:

1. The Senate has assigned to the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft’s Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area the responsibility of investigating the scientific foundations for the protection of workers’ health from the effects of toxic chemicals at the workplace. The most important practical results of the Commission’s work are scientific recommendations for the establishment of MAK and BAT values, for the classification of carcinogenic substances and for the evaluation of embryotoxic and/or foetotoxic effects and of germ cell mutagens as well as the investigation and evaluation of analytical methods for controlling exposure and for examining observance of threshold values for health protection at the workplace. In addition, the Commission investigates further current problems of hazards to health caused by occupational exposures and proposes possible appropriate solutions.

A two-step procedure appears to be the best solution for the realization of health protection measures at the workplace which are in line with the current state of the science: The results of the Commission’s work already mentioned above are annually reviewed and published by the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft. At the same time they are handed to the Bundesminister für Arbeit und Soziales who examines the recommendations, also taking nonscientific viewpoints into account, and who then makes them legally binding in an appropriate form – altered or unaltered – as a basis for health protection.

2. The Commission works in scientific freedom and independence. It is not subject to instructions regarding selection or priority setting for the examination of substances and other matters to be investigated. It is the Commission’s duty, however, to take up suggestions, in so far as they are of scientific significance, from industrial users and as far as possible to treat with precedence suggestions from the Bundesminister für Arbeit und Soziales who is responsible for health protection at the workplace.

3. The complete transparency of the Commission’s work programme is guaranteed by means of the advance announcement of planned changes and additions on the homepage of the Commission at the DFG and in the Bundesanzeiger. A most comprehensive information basis for the Commission’s recommendations is ensured by the request to supply the Commission with information and commentaries and the associated possibility of involving appropriate scientific experts in the decision-making process.

The derivation of MAK and BAT values and the classification of carcinogenic substances or substances suspected of having carcinogenic potential and the evaluation of embryotoxic and/or foetotoxic effects and germ cell mutagens are published in the form of detailed scientific documentations (“Begründungen”).

4. The sole object of the Commission’s work is to protect, as far as possible and necessary, and in line with the most up to date scientific information, the health of workers and of their offspring. The Commission regards health as the highest value which it does not weigh up against other factors. Therefore, only scientific arguments regarding health at the workplace are considered in discussions and decision-making. Other aspects such as sociopolitical, economic, technological and other non-substance-related considerations are excluded.

5. For the reasons stated in 4., requests for participation of experts, other than those concerned with health aspects of protection at work, in the Commission’s discussions cannot be complied with.

6. At the same time the Commission does not undervalue the necessity for political decisions in the process of realizing protection at work. It does, however, reject mixing political with scientific judgements in its own work.

7. By publishing its recommendations, the Commission contributes to fulfilling the constitutional obligation of the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft to provide advice on scientific matters to parliaments and public authorities. Should the Bundesministerium für Arbeit und Soziales (see 1. above) deviate in
any particular case from the recommendations, the Commission considers it essential that it makes the reasons known.

8. The presidency and governing body of the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft can check observance of the rules of procedure, but ensure unchanged and immediate publication of the Commission’s results, in so far as there are no imperative opposing reasons.

III.

Newly appointed Members and Permanent Guest Contributors of the Permanent Senate Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area receive written notice from the President of the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft in which the following fundamentals of the Commission’s work are laid down:

In order to fulfil the statutory functions of the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft as advisers to the legislative and executive organs, the Senate has set up Commissions for various fields of knowledge, for example, for protection at work, protection of health and protection of the environment. The Commission in which you have been appointed is one of these.

The Commissions have the responsibility of ascertaining the current state of scientific data available in the respective field and of formulating it in such a way that the government authorities to be advised are in a position to reach competent decisions on their own responsibility. To this end it is desirable that in the individual Commissions the scientific position is elaborated so that it can be upheld by all members. Such a consensus is then represented in public as the standpoint of the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft.

In view of this responsibility of the Commission, scientists are appointed members ad personam in their capacity as authoritative experts and not as representatives of the institutions or companies in which they work.

As well as these members there are also permanent guest contributors working in the Commissions. Scientists and other experts from public authorities are appointed permanent guest contributors with advisory function and may take on research assignments as well as official responsibilities. As they belong to institutes potentially affected by the Commission’s advice they have no voting rights. In this way a possible conflict of interests should be avoided from the outset.

The Senate appoints the Commissions for periods of office lasting 3 years each. Members and permanent guest contributors are also appointed for three years and can be reappointed once. A further extension of a personal mandate is only possible in justified exceptional cases.

The strict division aimed at between recognition of a scientific standpoint and its “application” in the broadest sense, be it from the political, legal, economic or other social point of view, presupposes that extra-scientific problems of the government bodies the Commission is required to advise do not find admittance into the vote of the Commission. Political consequences of scientific facts, problems of realization, decisions about the reasonableness of particular risks, economic aspects, etc, do not belong within the responsibility of the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft nor its Commissions.

For the procedure of the Commissions, discussions as well as data and facts referred to in the discussions are dealt with in strict confidentiality up until their publication by the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft as a Report from the Commission concerned. Nobody, through appointment in a Commission, may gain a competitive advantage by exploiting advance information.

IV.

Procedure of the Commission for prospective new entries and changes to MAK values and Assessment Values in Biological Material

1. Prospective changes and new entries are announced one year in advance in the List of MAK and BAT Values, usually on 1st July. In addition, the new entries are published on the homepage of the
Commission at the DFG (https://www.dfg.de/download/pdf/dfg_im_profil/gremien/senat/arbeitststoffe/ankuendigungsliste.pdf). If necessary, in addition to the regular updates each year in July, further announcements of prospective changes and new entries can be made there at any time. In the case of changes, the type of prospective change is reported and the reason for it. On announcement of the changes the Commission requests that relevant information and comments be received.

2. Completed substance evaluations in the Sections MAK Values and Assessment Values in Biological Material are listed in detail in the “Changes and New entries” of the List of MAK and BAT Values (Appendix page I) and published on the homepage of the Commission at the DFG (List of changes and new entries in German; https://www.dfg.de/download/pdf/dfg_im_profil/gremien/senat/arbeitststoffe/aenderungen_neuaufnahmen.pdf) and made known in the Bundesanzeiger. The Commission has approved these suggestions, but presents them for discussion for the period of six months. Until this date new data or scientific comments can be sent to the secretarial office of the Commission; these will be examined by the Commission and as far as is necessary taken into account for the final ratification.
Substances in the lists of MAK values and assessment values in biological material reviewed in 2020/2021

MAK Values

a) alphabetical sorting:

Bis[O,O-bis(2-ethylhexyl) dithiophosphorato-S, S’]dioxodi-μ-thioxodimolybdenum [68958-92-9;
72030-25-2]
see section Iib and Xc
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: –
Sens: –
Carc cat: –
Muta cat: –

2-Butanethiol [513-53-1]
change
Previous MAK[ml/m³]: 2
Even if the MAK value is observed, "odour-associated" symptoms cannot be ruled out in individual cases, see Section I e.
MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 7.5
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: H
Sens: –
Carc cat: –
Muta cat: –

Chloroform [67-66-3]
Review of classification: no change
MAK[ml/m³]: 0.5
MAK[mg/m³]: 2.5
Peak lim: II(2)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: H
Sens: –
Carc cat: 4
Muta cat: –

2-Diethylaminoethanol [100-37-8]
change
Previous MAK[ml/m³]: 2
Previous MAK[mg/m³]: 9.7
A momentary value of 5 ml/m³ (24 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
MAK[ml/m³]: 2
MAK[mg/m³]: 9.7
Peak lim: I(1)
Preg gr: C
Perc abs: –
Sens: –
Carc cat: –
Muta cat: –

N,N-Dimethyl-p-toluidine [99-97-8]
new entry
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
MAK[ml/m³]: –
MAK[mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: H
Sens: –
Carc cat: 2
Muta cat: 3B
2-Ethylhexyl oleate [26399-02-0] new entry

see section Xc
MAK [mg/m³]: 5 R
Peak lim: II(4)
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: –
Sens: –
Carc cat: –
Muta cat: –

Fatty alcohol ethoxylates, C16–18 and C18-unsaturated [68920-66-1] new entry

see section IIb and Xc
MAK [ml/m³]: –
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: –
Sens: –
Carc cat: –
Muta cat: –

N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)piperidine [3040-44-6] new entry

The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol,
see section Xc
MAK [ml/m³]: 2
MAK [mg/m³]: 11
Peak lim: I(1)
A momentary value of 5 ml/m³ (27 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
Preg gr: D
Perc abs: –
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: –
Muta cat: –

Isoflurane [26675-46-7] change

previous MAK [ml/m³]: –
previous MAK [mg/m³]: –
previous Peak lim: –
previous Preg gr: –

Lead [7439-92-1] and its inorganic compounds (inhalable fraction) change

except lead arsenate and lead chromate
see section XII
MAK [mg/m³]: 0.004 I
Peak lim: II(8)
Preg gr: A
Perc abs: –
Sens: –
Carc cat: 4
Muta cat: 3A

previous MAK [mg/m³]: –
previous Peak lim: –
previous Preg gr: –
previous Carc cat: 2

2-Mercaptobenzothiazole [149-30-4] change

see section Xc
MAK [mg/m³]: –
Peak lim: –
Preg gr: –
Perc abs: –
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: 3
Muta cat: –

previous MAK [mg/m³]: 4 I
previous Preg gr: C
2-Methyl-2-propanethiol [75-66-1]

- MAK[ml/m³]: 1
- Even if the MAK value is observed, "odour-associated" symptoms cannot be ruled out in individual cases, see Section I e.
- MAK[mg/m³]: 3.7
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: Sh
- Carc cat: –
- Muta cat: –

Morpholine [110-91-8]

- Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted; see TRGS 611.
- Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosomorpholine, see Section III “Amines which form carcinogenic nitrosamines on nitrosation”.
- MAK[ml/m³]: 5
- MAK[mg/m³]: 18
- Peak lim: I(1)
  - A momentary value of 10 ml/m³ (36 mg/m³) should not be exceeded.
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: –
- Sens: –
- Carc cat: –
- Muta cat: –

Naphthalene [91-20-3]

- The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol. see Section III, “pyrolysis products of organic materials”
- MAK[ml/m³]: –
- MAK[mg/m³]: –
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: –
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: –
- Carc cat: 2
- Muta cat: 3B

Silica, amorphous a) synthetic colloidal

- amorphous silica [7631-86-9] including
- pyrogenic [112945-52-5] and wet process
- synthetic silica (precipitated silica, silica gel)
- [7631-86-9] and diatomaceous earth
- (uncalcined) [61790-53-2]

- see section V
- MAK[mg/m³]: 0.5 R
- Peak lim: II(8)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: –
- Sens: –
- Carc cat: –
- Muta cat: –

2,2′-Thiobis(4-methyl-6-tert-butylphenol)

- [90-66-4]

- see section Vf and g and Xc
- MAK[mg/m³]: 4 I
- Peak lim: –
- Preg gr: D
- Perc abs: –
- Sens: –
- Carc cat: –
- Muta cat: –
1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene [87-61-6]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

- MAK [ml/m³]: 0.5
- MAK [mg/m³]: 3.8
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: C

Perc abs: H
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: –
Muta cat: –

1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene [120-82-1]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

- MAK [ml/m³]: 0.5
- MAK [mg/m³]: 3.8
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: H
- Sens: –
- Carc cat: –
- Muta cat: –

1,3,5-Trichlorobenzene [108-70-3]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

- MAK [ml/m³]: 0.5
- MAK [mg/m³]: 3.8
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: C

Perc abs: H
Sens: –
Carc cat: –
Muta cat: –

Triglycerides (lard oil, palm oil, rapeseed oil, soybean oil)
see section Xc

- MAK [mg/m³]: 5 R
- Peak lim: II(4)
- Preg gr: C
- Perc abs: –
- Sens: –
- Carc cat: –
- Muta cat: –

Triphenyl phosphine [603-35-0]

- MAK [mg/m³]: 2 I
- Peak lim: II(2)
- Preg gr: D

Perc abs: –
Sens: Sh
Carc cat: –
Muta cat: –
b) sorting by MAK values and classifications:

### A. MAK value [mg/m³]

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Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted: see TRGS 611.

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### B. Peak limitation

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### B. Peak limitation

#### 3. Review of classification: no change

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C. Pregnancy risk group

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dioxodi-µ-thioxodimolybdenum [68958-92-9; 72030-25-2]
see section IIb and Xc

N,N-Dimethyl-p-toluidine [99-97-8]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

2-Ethylhexyl oleate [26399-02-0]
see section Xc

Fatty alcohol ethoxylates, C16-18 and C18-unsaturated
[68920-66-1]
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N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)piperidine [3040-44-6]
The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.
see section Xc

2,2’-Thiobis(4-methyl-6-tert-butylphenol) [90-66-4]
see section Vf and g and Xc

Triglycerides (lard oil, palm oil, rapeseed oil, soybean oil)
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C. Pregnancy risk group

3. Review of classification: no change

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Chloroform [67-66-3] C C

2-Diethylaminoethanol [100-37-8] C C

2-Methyl-2-propanethiol [75-66-1] C C

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3. Review of classification: no change

C. Pregnancy risk group

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D. Percutaneous absorption

1. change

2-Diethylaminoethanol [100-37-8] H –

D. Percutaneous absorption

2. new entry

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Isoflurane [26675-46-7] – –
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except lead arsenate and lead chromate see section XII

2-Mercaptobenzothiazole [149-30-4] Sh Sh
see section Xc

2-Methyl-2-propanethiol [75-66-1] Sh Sh
Morpholine [110-91-8] – –
Use in metal-working fluids is not permitted: see TRGS 611.
Reaction with nitrosating agents can result in the formation of carcinogenic N-nitrosomorpholine, see Section III

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The substance can occur simultaneously as vapour and aerosol.

1,3,5-Trichlorobenzene [108-70-3] – –
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Triphenyl phosphate [603-35-0] Sh Sh

F. Carcinogenicity

1. change

Lead [7439-92-1] and its inorganic compounds (inhalable fraction) 2 4
except lead arsenate and lead chromate see section XII

1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene [120-82-1] 3 –
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F. Carcinogenicity

2. new entry

Bis[(O,O-bis(2-ethylhexyl) dithiophosphorato-S,S’)] dioxdodi-μ-thiodimolybdenum [68958-92-9; 72030-25-2] see section I fb and Xc
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Part Assessment Values in Biological Material

**Biological Tolerance Values (BAT values)**

* **Acetone [67-64-1]**
  50 mg/l urine, parameter acetone
  previous 80 mg/l urine

* **Diethylene glycol dimethyl ether [111-96-6]**
  15 mg/l urine, parameter methoxyacetic acid
  no previous BAT value

* **Lead and its inorganic compounds (except lead arsenate and lead chromate) [7439-92-1]**
  150 μg/l blood, parameter lead
  previous BLW 200 μg/l blood for women > 45 years and for men

**Exposure Equivalents for Carcinogenic Substances (EKA)**

* **Ethylene [74-85-1]**
  not established
  previous EKA

* **Naphthalene [91-20-3]**
  parameter 1,2-dihydroxynaphthalene (after hydrolysis), 1- and 2-naphthol (after hydrolysis), 1-naphthyl mercapturic acid in urine
  no previous EKA

* **Vanadium [7440-62-2]**
  parameter vanadium in urine
  EKA confirmed

* **Vinyl chloride [75-01-4]**
  not established
  previous EKA

**Biological Guidance Values (BLW)**

* **Lead and its inorganic compounds (except lead arsenate and lead chromate) [7439-92-1]**
  not established (BAT value derived)
  previous BLW 200 μg/l blood for women > 45 years and for men

**Biological Reference Values (BAR)**

* **Acetone [67-64-1]**
  2.5 mg/l urine, parameter acetone
  no previous BAR

* **Ethylene oxide [75-21-8]**
  5 μg/g creatinine, parameter 2-hydroxyethyl mercapturic acid
  no previous BAR

  60 pmol/g globine, parameter N-(2-hydroxyethyl)valine

**Pregnancy Risk Groups at BAT value**

* **Acetone [67-64-1]**
  Group B with notification of the prerequisite for Group C

* **1,4-Dichlorobenzene [106-46-7]**
  Group C

* **N,N-Dimethylacetamide [127-19-5]**
  Group C

* **1,4-Dioxane [123-91-1]**
  Group C

* **Lead and its inorganic compounds (except lead arsenate and lead chromate) [7439-92-1]**
  Group A
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