

**SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING****1.1. Product identifier**

**Product Description:** Hexanal  
**Cat No. :** 151850000; 151850010; 151850020; 151855000  
**Synonyms** Caproaldehyde; Hexaldehyde  
**CAS No** 66-25-1  
**EC No** 200-624-5  
**Molecular Formula** C6 H12 O

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

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals  
**Uses advised against** No Information available

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

**Company**  
**UK entity/business name**  
Fisher Scientific UK  
Bishop Meadow Road,  
Loughborough, Leicestershire LE11 5RG, United Kingdom  
  
**EU entity/business name**  
Thermo Fisher Scientific  
Janssen Pharmaceuticalaan 3a, 2440 Geel, Belgium  
  
**E-mail address** begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com

**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

For information **US** call: 001-800-227-6701 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11  
Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99  
**CHEMTREC** Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

**SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****GHS Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567****Physical hazards**

Flammable liquids

Category 3 (H226)

**Health hazards**

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Skin Corrosion/Irritation  
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

Category 2 (H315)  
Category 2 (H319)

## **Environmental hazards**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

*Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16*

## **2.2. Label elements**



**Signal Word**

**Warning**

## **Hazard Statements**

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor  
H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

## **Precautionary Statements**

P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking  
P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower  
P332 + P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention  
P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
P337 + P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention  
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

## **2.3. Other hazards**

Substance is not considered persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) / very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB)

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

## **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

### **3.1. Substances**

Component	CAS No	EC No	Weight %	GHS Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567
Hexaldehyde	66-25-1	EEC No. 200-624-5	<=100	Flam. Liq. 3 (H226) Eye Irrit. 2 (H319) Skin Irrit. 2 (H315)

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Components	Reach Registration Number
Hexaldehyde	

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

<b>General Advice</b>	If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
<b>Self-Protection of the First Aider</b>	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

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

- . Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting

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

<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically.
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## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Chemical foam. Water mist may be used to cool closed containers.

#### **Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

No information available.

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

Flammable. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back. Containers may explode when heated. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

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## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

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

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

#### **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

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

Flammables area. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Containers should be dated when opened and tested periodically for the presence of peroxides.

Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances (TRGS) 510      Class 3  
Storage Class (LGK) (Germany)

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### **Exposure limits**

List source(s):

#### **Biological limit values**

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This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

## Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

## Derived Minimum Effect Level (DMEL)

See table for values

Component	Acute effects local (Dermal)	Acute effects systemic (Dermal)	Chronic effects local (Dermal)	Chronic effects systemic (Dermal)
Hexaldehyde 66-25-1 ( <=100 )				DNEL = 4.67mg/kg bw/day

Component	Acute effects local (Inhalation)	Acute effects systemic (Inhalation)	Chronic effects local (Inhalation)	Chronic effects systemic (Inhalation)
Hexaldehyde 66-25-1 ( <=100 )				DNEL = 16.46mg/m <sup>3</sup>

## Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

See values below.

Component	Fresh water	Fresh water sediment	Water Intermittent	Microorganisms in sewage treatment	Soil (Agriculture)
Hexaldehyde 66-25-1 ( <=100 )	PNEC = 71.6µg/L	PNEC = 0.49mg/kg sediment dw	PNEC = 71.6µg/L	PNEC = 6.7mg/L	PNEC = 55.8µg/kg soil dw

Component	Marine water	Marine water sediment	Marine water intermittent	Food chain	Air
Hexaldehyde 66-25-1 ( <=100 )	PNEC = 7.16µg/L	PNEC = 49µg/kg sediment dw	PNEC = 7.16µg/L		

## 8.2. Exposure controls

### Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

### Personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

**Hand Protection** Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments (minimum requirement)
Nitrile rubber	See manufacturers recommendations	-	EN 374	
Neoprene				
Natural rubber				
PVC				

**Skin and body protection** Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatibility, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

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Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.
<b>Large scale/emergency use</b>	Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced
<b>Small scale/Laboratory use</b>	Maintain adequate ventilation
<b>Environmental exposure controls</b>	Prevent product from entering drains.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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

<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid	
<b>Appearance</b>	Clear	
<b>Odor</b>	pungent	
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No data available	
<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	-56 °C / -68.8 °F	
<b>Softening Point</b>	No data available	
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	130 - 131 °C / 266 - 267.8 °F	@ 760 mmHg
<b>Flammability (liquid)</b>	Flammable	On basis of test data
<b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>	Not applicable	Liquid
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Flash Point</b>	32 °C / 89.6 °F	<b>Method</b> - No information available
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	220 °C / 428 °F	
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>pH</b>	4-5	4.8 g/l aq. sol
<b>Viscosity</b>	0.69 mPa s at 20 °C	
<b>Water Solubility</b>	No information available	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available	
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	<b>log Pow</b>	
<b>Component</b>	2.3	
<b>Hexaldehyde</b>		
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	10.5 mmHg @ 20 °C	
<b>Density / Specific Gravity</b>	0.815	
<b>Bulk Density</b>	Not applicable	Liquid
<b>Vapor Density</b>	3.45 (Air = 1.0)	(Air = 1.0)
<b>Particle characteristics</b>	Not applicable (liquid)	

### 9.2. Other information

<b>Molecular Formula</b>	C6 H12 O
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	100.16
<b>Explosive Properties</b>	explosive air/vapour mixtures possible

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>10.1. Reactivity</b>	None known, based on information available
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## 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions. May form explosive peroxides on prolonged storage.

## 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

### **Hazardous Polymerization**

### **Hazardous Reactions**

No information available.

None under normal processing.

## 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Exposure to air. Incompatible products.

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents. Ammonia. Amines.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

## **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

#### **Product Information**

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated

#### **(a) acute toxicity;**

Oral

Dermal

Inhalation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

No data available

No data available

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Hexaldehyde	LD50 = 4890 mg/kg ( Rat )	LD50 > 8100 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-

**(b) skin corrosion/irritation;** Category 2

**(c) serious eye damage/irritation;** Category 2

#### **(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;**

Respiratory

Skin

No data available

No data available

**(e) germ cell mutagenicity;** No data available

**(f) carcinogenicity;** No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

**(g) reproductive toxicity;** No data available

**(h) STOT-single exposure;** No data available

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**(i) STOT-repeated exposure;** No data available

**Target Organs** No information available.

**(j) aspiration hazard;** No data available

**Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed** Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

## 11.2. Information on other hazards

**Endocrine Disrupting Properties** Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### 12.1. Toxicity

#### **Ecotoxicity effects**

Contains a substance which is: Harmful to aquatic organisms. Do not empty into drains. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment.

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae
Hexaldehyde	LC50: 12 - 16.5 mg/L, 96h flow-through (Pimephales promelas)		

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

**Persistence**

Persistence is unlikely.

**Degradation in sewage treatment plant** Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation is unlikely

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
Hexaldehyde	2.3	No data available

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems. Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility. Highly mobile in soils

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Substance is not considered persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) / very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).

### 12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

### 12.7. Other adverse effects

**Persistent Organic Pollutant**  
**Ozone Depletion Potential**

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

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## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

<b>Waste from Residues/Unused Products</b>	Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.
<b>Contaminated Packaging</b>	Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point. Empty containers retain product residue, (liquid and/or vapor), and can be dangerous. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.
<b>European Waste Catalogue (EWC)</b>	According to the European Waste Catalog, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific.
<b>Other Information</b>	Do not flush to sewer. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations.

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### IMDG/IMO

<b>14.1. UN number</b>	UN1207
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>	HEXALDEHYDE
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>	3
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	III

### ADR

<b>14.1. UN number</b>	UN1207
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>	HEXALDEHYDE
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>	3
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	III

### IATA

<b>14.1. UN number</b>	UN1207
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>	HEXALDEHYDE
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>	3
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	III

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

No hazards identified

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

No special precautions required.

### 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable, packaged goods

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

### International Inventories

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Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), China (IECSC), Taiwan (TCSI), Korea (KECL), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Australia (AICS), New Zealand (NZIoC), Philippines (PICCS). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

Component	CAS No	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	IECSC	TCSI	KECL	ENCS	ISHL
Hexaldehyde	66-25-1	200-624-5	-	-	X	X	KE-18623	X	X

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	DSL	NDSL	AICS	NZIoC	PICCS
Hexaldehyde	66-25-1	X	ACTIVE	X	-	X	X	X

Legend: X - Listed '-' - Not Listed

KECL - NIER number or KE number (<http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do>)

## Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Not applicable

Component	CAS No	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances	REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
Hexaldehyde	66-25-1	-	-	-

## Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC)

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements
Hexaldehyde	66-25-1	Not applicable	Not applicable

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

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
Hexaldehyde	66-25-1	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

## Regulation (EC) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals

Not applicable

## Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluorooalkyl substance (PFAS)?

Not applicable

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work .

## National Regulations

UK - Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

WGK Classification See table for values

Component	Germany - Water Classification (AwSV)	Germany - TA-Luft Class
Hexaldehyde	WGK1	

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## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

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

H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation  
H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor

### Legend

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit

**TWA** - Time Weighted Average

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

**Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)**

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%

**NOEC** - No Observed Effect Concentration

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

**PBT** - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

**vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

**ADR** - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

**ICAO/IATA** - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

**MARPOL** - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

**VOC** - (Volatile Organic Compound)

### **Key literature references and sources for data**

<https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals>

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

### **Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

**Creation Date** 10-May-2010

**Revision Date** 12-Jan-2026

**Revision Summary** Not applicable.

**This safety data sheet complies with Regulation UK SI 2019/758 and UK SI 2020/1577 as amended.**

### **Disclaimer**

The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage,

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transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text

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