

**Safety Data Sheet (SDS)** According to the REACH Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1. Product identifier

**Product No** 12611  
**Product name** DMSO (Dimethyl Sulfoxide)

### Contains

Chemical name	Index No.	CAS No
dimethyl sulfoxide (90 - 100%)	Not Listed	67-68-5

<b>Formula</b>	C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>6</sub> OS
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	78.1 g/mol

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

**Identified uses** For Research Use Only. Not for Use in Diagnostic Procedures.

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

Importer	Manufacturer
Cell Signaling Technology Europe B.V. Dellaertweg 9b 2316 WZ Leiden The Netherlands TEL: +31 (0)71 7200 200 FAX: +31 (0)71 891 0019	Cell Signaling Technology, Inc. 3 Trask Lane Danvers, MA 01923 United States TEL: +1 978 867 2300 FAX: +1 978 867 2400

<b>Website</b>	www.cellsignal.com
<b>E-mail Address</b>	info@cellsignal.eu

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

**CHEMTREC** 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year  
+1 703 527 3887 (INTERNATIONAL) +1 800 424 9300 (NORTH AMERICA)

**Europe** 112

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

**Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008**

This substance is classified as not hazardous according to regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [CLP]

### 2.2. Label elements

**Signal word**

None

**Hazard statement(s)**

None.

**Precautionary statement(s)**

None.

**2.3. Other hazards**

Combustible liquid. May accelerate skin absorption of other materials. Special attention needed when toxic materials are present in dimethyl sulfoxide because of enhanced skin absorption.

For the full text of the H-phrases & EUH-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****3.1 Substances**

Formula  $C_2H_6OS$

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%	EC No	Classification (1272/2008)	REACH Registration Number
dimethyl sulfoxide	67-68-5	100	200-664-3	-	no data available

For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

**SECTION 4: First aid measures****4.1. Description of first aid measures**

<b>General advice</b>	Immediate medical attention is not required. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash skin with soap and water.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Clean mouth with water and afterwards drink plenty of water.
<b>Protection of first-aiders</b>	Use personal protective equipment.

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

No information available.

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

**Notes to physician** Treat symptomatically.

**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****5.1. Extinguishing media**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the

	surrounding environment
	Water spray
	Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )
	Dry chemical
	Alcohol-resistant foam
<b>Unsuitable Extinguishing Media</b>	No information available

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

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

### **5.3. Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit. Use personal protective equipment.

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

<b>For non-emergency personnel</b>	Use personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with the skin and the eyes. Remove all sources of ignition. Heat, flames and sparks. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.
<b>For emergency responders</b>	Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

### **6.2. Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas. Prevention of fire and explosion. A vapor suppressing foam may be used to reduce vapors. Try to prevent the material from entering drains or water courses. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Most vapors are heavier than air. They will spread along ground and collect in low or confined areas (sewers, basements, tanks). Beware of vapors accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapors can accumulate in low areas. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

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

<b>Methods for containment</b>	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
<b>Methods for cleaning up</b>	Soak up with inert absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. After cleaning, flush away traces with water. Prevent product from entering drains. Dam up.

### **6.4. Reference to other sections**

See Sections 8 & 13 for additional information.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### **7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

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

Keep away from direct sunlight.

### **7.3. Specific end use(s)**

Use as a laboratory reagent.

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limit values					
Chemical name	European Union	United Kingdom	France	Spain	Germany
dimethyl sulfoxide					TWA: 50 ppm TWA: 160 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Skin Ceiling / Peak: 100 ppm Ceiling / Peak: 320 mg/m <sup>3</sup> H*
Chemical name	Italy	Portugal	Netherlands	Finland	Denmark
dimethyl sulfoxide				TWA 50 ppm iho*	TWA 50 ppm TWA 160 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL 100 ppm STEL 320 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Chemical name	Austria	Switzerland	Poland	Norway	Ireland
dimethyl sulfoxide	H* TWA 50 ppm TWA 160 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	H* TWA 50 ppm TWA 160 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL 100 ppm STEL 320 mg/m <sup>3</sup>			

### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Showers, eyewash stations, and ventilation systems

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

##### Eye/face protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Face-shield.

##### Skin protection

Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.

##### Hand protection

Impervious gloves.

##### Other

Long sleeved clothing Apron Impervious gloves Wear suitable protective clothing. Antistatic boots

##### Respiratory protection

When using a mask or half mask : (vapor) Respirator with a vapor filter (EN 141) Type A (aerosol) Respirator with combination filter for vapor/particulate (EN 141). Type A/P2 The use of breathing apparatus must comply strictly with the manufacturer's instructions and the regulations governing their choices and uses.

#### Environmental Exposure Controls

Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

#### Physical state

Liquid - Clear

#### Color

Colorless

#### Odor

No information available

#### Property

#### Values

#### Remarks • Method

##### pH

No information available

No information available

##### Melting point/freezing point

No information available

No information available

<b>Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	189 °C	
<b>Flash point</b>	87 °C	Closed cup
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No information available	No information available
<b>Flammability</b>	No information available	No information available
<b>Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	Lower: 3.5 % / Upper: 42 %	No information available
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	0.55 hPa (0.41 mmHg)	@ 20 °C
<b>Relative vapor density</b>	2.7	
<b>Density and/or relative density</b>	1.1 g/ml	
<b>Solubility</b>	No information available.	No information available
<b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water</b>	No information available	No information available
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	No information available	No information available
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No information available	No information available.
<b>Viscosity</b>	No information available	No information available
<b>Explosive properties</b>	No information available	No information available
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	No information available	No information available
<b>9.2. Other information</b>		
<b>Softening point</b>	No information available	
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	78.1 g/mol	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available	
<b>VOC content</b>	No information available	
<b>Liquid Density</b>	No information available	

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No information available.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

**Hazardous polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  
**Hazardous reactions** Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air  
 Exothermic reaction possible with strong oxidizers

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Temperatures above 87 °C / 188.6 °F.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors: Sulfur oxides.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

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

This material should only be handled by, or under the close supervision of, those properly qualified in the handling and use of potentially hazardous chemicals. It should be borne in mind that the toxicological and physiological properties of this compound is not well defined.

Chemical name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
dimethyl sulfoxide	= 28300 mg/kg (Rat)	= 40000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 5.33 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

<b>Inhalation</b>	There is no data available for this product.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Contact with eyes may cause irritation.
<b>Skin contact</b>	May cause irritation.
<b>Ingestion</b>	There is no data available for this product.

**Symptoms** No information available.

**Skin corrosion/irritation** No information available.  
**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** No information available.  
**Sensitization** No information available.  
**Mutagenic effects** No information available.  
**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

**Reproductive toxicity** No information available.  
**STOT - single exposure** No information available.  
**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.  
**Aspiration Hazard** No information available.

#### 11.2. Information on other hazards

May accelerate skin absorption of other materials. Special attention needed when toxic materials are present in dimethyl sulfoxide because of enhanced skin absorption.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

No information available.

Chemical name	Toxicity to algae	Toxicity to fish	Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates
dimethyl sulfoxide	-	LC50 34000 mg/L (Pimephales promelas) 96 h LC50 33 - 37 g/L (Oncorhynchus mykiss) 96 h LC50 40 g/L (Lepomis macrochirus) 96 h LC50 41.7 g/L (Cyprinus carpio) 96 h	-

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No information available

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** Not likely to bioaccumulate.

Chemical name	Octanol-Water Partition Coefficient
dimethyl sulfoxide	-1.35

Bioconcentration factor (BCF) <1

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

Mobile.

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

No information available.

**12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties**

**12.7. Other adverse effects**

No information available

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

**13.1. Waste treatment methods**

<b>Waste from residues / unused products</b>	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>	Empty containers may contain flammable or explosive vapours. Do not burn, or use a cutting torch on, the empty drum. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.
<b>Other information</b>	According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used.

**SECTION 14: Transport information**

**IMDG/IMO**

14.1 UN number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not regulated
14.5 Environmental hazards	None
14.6 Special precautions for user	None
14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments	Not regulated

**ADR/RID**

14.1 UN number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not regulated
14.5 Environmental hazards	None
14.6 Special precautions for user	None

**IATA**

14.1 UN number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not regulated
14.5 Environmental hazards	None
14.6 Special precautions for user	None

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

#### Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH)

This product does not contain Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC).

#### SEVESO Directive Information

This product does not contain substances identified in the SEVESO Directive.

#### International inventories

<b>TSCA 8(b)</b>	Complies
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Complies
<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b>	Complies
<b>ENCS</b>	Complies
<b>IECSC</b>	Complies
<b>KECL</b>	Complies
<b>PICCS</b>	Complies
<b>AICS</b>	Complies

#### International inventories legend

<b>TSCA</b>	- United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	- Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b>	- European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances
<b>ENCS</b>	- Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
<b>IECSC</b>	- China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
<b>KECL</b>	- Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
<b>PICCS</b>	- Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
<b>AICS</b>	- Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

For this substance a chemical safety assessment has not been carried out

## 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

**Classification procedure:** Expert judgment and weight of evidence determination.

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