

Product Name: 2-hydroxymethyl benzoic acid Revision Date: 5/13/2021



# I. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name:

Product Catalog Number:

CAS Number:

Company:

2-hydroxymethyl benzoic acid

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## **II. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Emergency Overview OSHA Hazards:	No Specific Hazard	
III. COMPOSITION/DATA ON COMPONENTS		
Formula:	C8H8O3	
Molecular Weight :	152.15 PERMIN	
IV. FIRST AID MEASURES		

After Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove to fresh air; if breathing is difficult, give oxygen; if breathing stops, give artificial respiration.

After skin contact:

After eye contact:

After swallowing:

Flush with copious amounts of water; remove contaminated clothing and shoes; call a physician; Take victim to hospital immediately; call a physician.

Check for and remove contact lenses and flush with copious amounts of water; assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers; call a physician.

If swallowed, wash out mouth with copious amounts of water; call a physician

## **V. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Conditions of flammability:

Suitable extinguishing media:

Special protective equipment for firefighters:

Hazardous combustion products:



Not flammable or combustible.

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx), Sulphur oxides.

## VI. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions:

Environmental precautions:

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas.

Do not let product enter drains. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## VII. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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Precautions for safe handling:

Conditions for safe storage:

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Recommended storage temperature: Store at -20°C Keep in a dry place.

# **VIII. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Personal protective equipment as follows:

Respiratory protection:



Eye protection:



Skin and body protection:

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N99 (US) or type P2 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Hygiene measures:

General industrial hygiene practice.

# **IX. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance

b) Odour

- c) Odour Threshold
- d) pH
- e) Melting point/freezing point
- f) Initial boiling point and
- boiling range
- g) Flash point
- h) Evaporation rate
- i) Flammability (solid, gas)
- j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits
- k) Vapour pressure
- I) Vapour density
- m) Relative density
- n) Water solubility
- o) Partition coefficient
- p) Auto-ignition temperature
- q) Decomposition temperature

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**XII. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION** 

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X. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY	
No data available	
Other safety information	
t) Oxidizing properties	No data available

Possibility of hazardous reactions:

Conditions to avoid:

Materials to avoid:

r) Viscosity

s) Explosive properties

mended storage conditions.

No data available.

No data available.

Strong acids, Strong bases.

# **XI. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.





No data available

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Massachusetts Right To Know Components:

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components:

New Jersey Right To Know Components:

California Prop. 65 Components:

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

No components are subject to the New Jersey Right to Know Act.

No components are subject to the New Jersey Right to Know Act.

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

#### **XVI. OTHER INFORMATION**

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