MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Section 1 - Product and Company Information

Product Name PHENOL: CHLOROFORM: ISOAMYL ALCOHOL

25:24:1 INCLUDES BOTTLE OF

EQUILIBRATION BUFFER

Product Number P2069 Brand SIGMA

Company Sigma-Aldrich Address 3050 Spruce Street

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Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient

Substance Name CAS # SARA 313 PHENOL: CHLOROFORM: ISOAMYL None Yes

ALCOHOL 25:24:1 MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

REAGENT

Ingredient Name Percent SARA 313 CAS # 108-95-2 PHENOL 50 Yes CHLOROFORM 67-66-3 48 Yes 3-METHYL-1-BUTANOL 123-51-3 2 No TRIS EDTA BUFFER CONCENTRATE None 0.01 No

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Toxic.

Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. Causes burns. Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect. Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation and if swallowed.

Probable Carcinogen (US). Possible mutagen. Vesicant. Readily absorbed through skin. Target organ(s): Central nervous system. Cardiovascular system. Calif. Prop. 65 carcinogen.

HMIS RATING

HEALTH: 3*

FLAMMABILITY: 1 REACTIVITY: 1

NFPA RATING

HEALTH: 3

FLAMMABILITY: 1
REACTIVITY: 1

For additional information on toxicity, please refer to Section 11.

^{*}additional chronic hazards present.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

ORAL EXPOSURE

If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician. Do not induce vomiting.

INHALATION EXPOSURE

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

DERMAL EXPOSURE

In case of contact, immediately wash skin with soap and copious amounts of water.

EYE EXPOSURE

In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. Call a physician.

INFORMATION FOR PHYSICIAN

Contamination of the eyes should be treated by immediate and prolonged irrigation with copious amounts of water.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

FLASH POINT

N/A

AUTOIGNITION TEMP

N/A

FLAMMABILITY

N/A

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Suitable: Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, water spray, or appropriate foam.

FIREFIGHTING

Protective Equipment: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. Specific Hazard(s): Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED IN CASE OF LEAK OR SPILL Evacuate area.

PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus, rubber boots, and heavy rubber gloves. Wear disposable coveralls and discard them after use.

METHODS FOR CLEANING UP

Absorb on sand or vermiculite and place in closed containers for disposal. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

HANDLING

User Exposure: Do not breathe vapor. Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

STORAGE

Suitable: Keep tightly closed.

Store at 2-8°C

Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Use only in a chemical fume hood. Safety shower and eye bath.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Respiratory: Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU). Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks.

Hand: Compatible chemical-resistant gloves.

Eye: Chemical safety goggles.

Other: Faceshield (8-inch minimum).

GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Discard contaminated shoes. Wash thoroughly after handling.

EXPOSURE LIMITS

Country Source Type Value Poland NDS 50 MG/M3 Poland NDSCh 225 MG/M3 Poland NDSP

N/A

Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

Appearance	Physical State: Clear liquid Color: Colorless	
Property	Value	At Temperature or Pressure
Н	N/A	
BP/BP Range	N/A	
MP/MP Range	N/A	
Freezing Point	N/A	
Vapor Pressure	N/A	
Vapor Density	N/A	
Saturated Vapor Conc.	N/A	
Bulk Density	N/A	
Odor Threshold	N/A	
Volatile%	N/A	
VOC Content	N/A	
Water Content	N/A	
Solvent Content	N/A	
Evaporation Rate	N/A	
Viscosity	N/A	
Surface Tension	N/A	
Partition Coefficient	N/A	
Decomposition Temp.	N/A	
Flash Point	N/A	
Explosion Limits	N/A	
Flammability	N/A	
Autoignition Temp	N/A	

Refractive Index

Optical Rotation N/AMiscellaneous Data N/A Solubility N/A

N/A = not available

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

STABILITY

Stable: Stable.

Conditions of Instability: May decompose on exposure to light. Materials to Avoid: Strong oxidizing agents, Strong bases, Strong acids, Lithium, Magnesium, Sodium, Acid chlorides, Acid anhydrides, Reducing agents.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Phosgene gas, Chlorine.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

ROUTE OF EXPOSURE

Skin Contact: Vesicant. Causes burns.

Skin Absorption: Readily absorbed through skin. Toxic if

absorbed through skin. Eye Contact: Causes burns.

Inhalation: Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Toxic if

inhaled.

Ingestion: Toxic if swallowed.

TARGET ORGAN(S) OR SYSTEM(S)

Kidneys. Pancreas. Spleen. Cardiovascular system. Central nervous system. Blood. Liver.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Exposure to and/or consumption of alcohol may increase toxic effects. Gastrointestinal disturbances. Nausea, headache, and vomiting. Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin. Inhalation may result in spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynxand bronchi, chemical pneumonitis, and pulmonary edema. Symptoms of exposure may include burning sensation, coughing, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, headache, nausea, and vomiting. Exposure can cause:

CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE

May cause nervous system disturbances.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE - CARCINOGEN

Result: The National Cancer Institute (NCI) has found clear evidence for carcinogenicity. This product is or contains a component that has been reported to be probably carcinogenic based on its IARC, OSHA, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

IARC CARCINOGEN LIST

Rating: Group 2B Group 2B

NTP CARCINOGEN LIST

Rating: Clear evidence.

Species: Mouse/rat

Route: Gavage

CHRONIC EXPOSURE - MUTAGEN

Result: Laboratory experiments have shown mutagenic effects.

Section 12 - Ecological Information

No data available.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

APPROPRIATE METHOD OF DISPOSAL OF SUBSTANCE OR PREPARATION Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

DOT

Proper Shipping Name: Toxic, liquids, organic, n.o.s.

UN#: 2810 Class: 6.1

Packing Group: Packing Group III Hazard Label: Toxic substances.

PIH: Not PIH

IATA

Proper Shipping Name: Toxic liquid, organic, n.o.s.

IATA UN Number: 2810 Hazard Class: 6.1 Packing Group: III

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION

Symbol of Danger: T

Indication of Danger: Toxic.

R: 23/24/25-48/20/21/22-34-40-68

Risk Statements: Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation in contact with skin, and if swallowed. Causes burns. Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect. Possible risk of irreversible effects.

S: 26-36/37/39-45

Safety Statements: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, and eye/face protection. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

US CLASSIFICATION AND LABEL TEXT

Indication of Danger: Toxic.

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Safety Statements: After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap-suds. In case of contact with eyes, rinse

immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, and eye/face protection. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

US Statements: Probable Carcinogen (US). Possible mutagen. Vesicant. Readily absorbed through skin. Target organ(s): Central nervous system. Cardiovascular system. Calif. Prop. 65 carcinogen.

UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA LISTED: Yes

NOTES: This product is or contains a component that is subject to SARA313 reporting requirements.

UNITED STATES - STATE REGULATORY INFORMATION

CALIFORNIA PROP - 65

California Prop - 65: This product is or contains chemical(s) known to the state of California to cause cancer.

CANADA REGULATORY INFORMATION

WHMIS Classification: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

DSL: No NDSL: No

Section 16 - Other Information

DISCLAIMER

For R&D use only. Not for drug, household or other uses.

WARRANTY

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Inc., shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale. Copyright 2009 Sigma-Aldrich Co. License granted to make unlimited paper copies for internal use only.