# 1. PRODUCT

# **1.1 Product identifiers**

Name: -Propiolactone

CAS-No.: 57-57-8

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

# GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable liquids (Category 4), H227

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 2), H330

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315

Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319

Carcinogenicity (Category 1B), H350

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

# 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram	
Signal word	Danger
Hazard statement(s)	H227 Combustible liquid. H315 Causes skin irritation. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H330 Fatal if inhaled. H350 May cause cancer.
Precautionary statement(s)	<ul> <li>P201 Obtain special instructions before use.</li> <li>P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.</li> <li>P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.</li> <li>P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.</li> <li>P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.</li> <li>P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.</li> <li>P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.</li> <li>P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.</li> <li>P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.</li> <li>P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.</li> <li>P337 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.</li> <li>P337 + P313 I feye irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.</li> <li>P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.</li> <li>P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.</li> <li>P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.</li> <li>P405 Store locked up.</li> <li>P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.</li> </ul>

# 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

No data available

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

# 3.1 Substances

Synonyms:	3-Hydroxypropionic acid lactone Hydracrylic acid -lactone
Formula:	$C_3H_4O_2$
Molecular weight:	72.06 g/mol
CAS-No.:	57-57-8
EC-No.:	200-340-1

## Hazardous components

Component	Classification	Concentration
3-Propanolide		
	Flam. Liq. 4; Acute Tox. 2; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2/ 1B; H227, H315, H319, H330, H350	∧; Carc. <= 100 %

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

## 4.1 Description of first aid measures

eneral advice
nsult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.
nhaled
reathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.
case of skin contact
ash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.
case of eye contact
nse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.
swallowed
NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a ysician.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

### 4.2 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

### **5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

### Suitable extinguishing media

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

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

No data available

## 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

# 5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources

of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations.

Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

For personal protection see section 8.

### **6.2 Environmental precautions**

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

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in

container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

For precautions see section 2.2.

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

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully

resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Recommended storage temperature -20 °C

Hydrolyses readily.

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## 8.1 Control parameters

### Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
	Remarks	less than 1. this substar but shall no	.0 percent by weight nce is manufactured of apply to transship ts under paragraphs	tion shall not apply to solid or liquid mixtures containing t or volume This section applies to any area in which I, processed, repackaged, released, handled, or stored, ment in sealed containers, except for the labeling s (e)(2), (3) and (4) of this section. OSHA specifically
3-Propanolide	57-57-8	PEL	0.5 ppm 1.5 mg/m3	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)
		see Sectior	n 5209	

### 8.2 Exposure controls

### Appropriate engineering controls

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

## Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection	Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).
Skin protection	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.
Body Protection	Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.
Respiratory protection	Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi- purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) 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).
Control of environmen tal exposure	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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Appearance	Form: liquid
Odour	No data available
Odour Threshold	No data available
рН	No data available
Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: -33 °C (-27 °F) - lit.
Initial boiling point and boiling range	162 °C (324 °F) - lit.
Flash point	70 °C (158 °F) - closed cup
Evaporation rate	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Lower explosion limit: 2.9 %(V)
Vapour pressure	4.5 hPa (3.4 mmHg) at 25 °C (77 °F)
Vapour density	2.49 - (Air = 1.0)
Relative density	1.146 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)
Water solubility	soluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 0.46
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Decomposition temperature	No data available
Viscosity	No data available
Explosive properties	No data available
Oxidizing properties	No data available

# 9.2 Other safety information

Surface tension: 22 mN/m at 20 °C (68 °F)

Relative vapour density: 2.49 - (Air = 1.0)

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

# **10.1 Reactivity**

No data available

# 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agentsStrong oxidizing agents, Strong bases, Halogens, Thiocyanates, Thiosulfates

# **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity
No data available Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available No data available
Skin corrosion/irritation
No data available
Serious eye damage/eye irritation
No data available
Respiratory or skin sensitisation
No data available
Germ cell mutagenicity
No data available
Carcinogenicity
Possible human carcinogen IARC: 2B - Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans (3-Propanolide) NTP: Reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen (3-Propanolide) OSHA: OSHA specifically regulated carcinogen (3-Propanolide)
Reproductive toxicity
No data available No data available
Specific target organ toxicity -single exposure
No data available
Specific target organ toxicity -repeated exposure
No data available
Aspiration hazard
No data available
Additional Information
RTECS: RQ7350000 Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

## **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

# 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

No data available

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

# **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

This combustible material may be burned in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

#### **Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

### **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

### DOT (US)

UN number: 3382 Class: 6.1 Packing group: I

Proper shipping name: Toxic by inhalation liquid, n.o.s. (3-Propanolide)

Reportable Quantity (RQ): 10 lbs

Poison Inhalation Hazard: Hazard zone B

#### IMDG

UN number: 3382 Class: 6.1 Packing group: I EMS-No: F-A, S-A

Proper shipping name: TOXIC BY INHALATION LIQUID, N.O.S. (3-Propanolide)

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UN number: 3382 Class: 6.1

Proper shipping name: Toxic by inhalation liquid, n.o.s. (3-Propanolide)

IATA Passenger: Not permitted for transport

IATA Cargo: Not permitted for transport

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### SARA 302 Components

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 302:

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
3-Propanolide	57-57-8	2007-07-01

### SARA 313 Components

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
3-Propanolide	57-57-8	2007-07-01

# SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

# Massachusetts Right To Know Components

Component CAS-N	o. Revision Date
Component CAS-N	o. Revision Date

3-Propanolide	57-57-8	2007-07-01
Pennsylvania Right To Know Compon	ents	
Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
3-Propanolide	57-57-8	2007-07-01
New Jersey Right To Know Componer	nts	
Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date

WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
3-Propanolide	57-57-8	2007-09-28
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# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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

Acute Tox. Acute toxicity

Carc. Carcinogenicity

Eye Irrit. Eye irritation

Flam. Liq. Flammable liquids

H227 Combustible liquid.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H330 Fatal if inhaled.

H350 May cause cancer.

Skin Irrit. Skin irritation

# **HMIS** Rating

Health hazard: 4

Chronic Health Hazard: \*

Flammability: 2

Physical Hazard 0

## **NFPA Rating**

Health hazard: 4 Fire Hazard: 2

Reactivity Hazard: 0