#### SIGMA-ALDRICH

# Material Safety Data Sheet

# 1 - Product and Company Information

Product Name 1,3-DIMETHOXYBENZENE, 98+%

Product Number 126306

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# 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

Product Name CAS # EC no Annex I

Index Number

1,3-DIMETHOXYBENZENE 151-10-0 205-783-4 None

Formula C8H1002 Molecular Weight 138.17 AMU

Synonyms Benzene, 1,3-dimethoxy- \* m-Dimethoxybenzene \*

1,3-Dimethoxybenzene \* Dimethylether resorcinolu
(Czech) \* 3-Methoxyanisole \* Resorcinol dimethyl

ether

# 3 - Hazards Identification

SPECIAL INDICATION OF HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND THE ENVIRONMENT Not hazardous according to Directive 67/548/EEC.

## 4 - First Aid Measures

# AFTER INHALATION

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

# AFTER SKIN CONTACT

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

# AFTER EYE CONTACT

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes.

# AFTER INGESTION

If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician.

# 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

#### EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

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

## SPECIAL RISKS

Specific Hazard(s): Combustible liquid. Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

# SPECIAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT FOR FIREFIGHTERS

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

# 6 - Accidental Release Measures

PERSONAL PRECAUTION PROCEDURES TO BE FOLLOWED IN CASE OF LEAK OR SPILL Evacuate area.

# PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)

Wear respirator, chemical safety goggles, rubber boots, and heavy rubber gloves.

# METHODS FOR CLEANING UP

Cover with dry-lime, sand, or soda ash. Place in covered containers using non-sparking tools and transport outdoors. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

# 7 - Handling and Storage

## HANDLING

Directions for Safe Handling: Avoid breathing vapor. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

#### **STORAGE**

Conditions of Storage: Keep tightly closed. Keep away from heat and open flame.

## 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

# ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Safety shower and eye bath. Mechanical exhaust required.

## GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash thoroughly after handling.

## PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Respiratory Protection: Government approved respirator. Hand Protection: Compatible chemical-resistant gloves. Eye Protection: Chemical safety goggles.

# 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Physical State: Liq	uid
Property	Value	At Temperature or Pressure
pH BP/BP Range MP/MP Range Flash Point	N/A 85.0 - 87.0 °C N/A 88 °C	10 mmHg Method: closed cup

Flammability N/A Autoignition Temp N/AOxidizing Properties N/A Explosive Properties N/A Explosion Limits N/AVapor Pressure N/ASG/Density  $1.067 \, \text{g/cm}3$ Partition Coefficient N/A Viscosity N/AVapor Density N/A Saturated Vapor Conc. N/A Evaporation Rate N/ABulk Density N/A Decomposition Temp. N/ASolvent Content N/AWater Content N/ASurface Tension N/A

# 10 - Stability and Reactivity

## STABILITY

Conductivity

Solubility

Stable: Stable.

Miscellaneous Data

Materials to Avoid: Strong oxidizing agents.

N/A

N/A

N/A

## HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide.

## HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

# 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS NUMBER: CZ6474000

## ACUTE TOXICITY

LD50

Intraperitoneal

Mouse

900 MG/KG

Remarks: Behavioral:Ataxia. Behavioral:Somnolence (general

depressed activity). Behavioral: Tremor.

## SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

## ROUTE OF EXPOSURE

Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation.

Skin Absorption: May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Eye Contact: May cause eye irritation.

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material may be

irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

# 12 - Ecological Information

No data available.

# 13 - Disposal Considerations

#### SUBSTANCE DISPOSAL

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. This combustible material may be burned in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

# 14 - Transport Information

#### RID/ADR

Non-hazardous for road transport.

## **IMDG**

Non-hazardous for sea transport.

Non-hazardous for air transport.

# 15 - Regulatory Information

Not hazardous according to Directive 67/548/EEC.

## COUNTRY SPECIFIC INFORMATION

## Germany

WGK: 2

## 16 - Other Information

## WARRANTY

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