

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Australian statement of hazardous nature: Classified as hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia

### Section 1 - Identification

Product Name Methyl 3-(chloroformyl)benzoate

Product Code MO07998DA; MO07998DE; MO07998ZZ

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Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against

This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

This product does not contain any substance(s) subject to Prohibition, Authorization or Restriction. This product does not contain any substance(s) listed on the voluntary National

Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern.

# Section 2 - Hazard(s) Identification

#### Classification under Safe Work Australia

Classified as hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia

#### Physical hazards

E-mail address

No hazards identified

#### **Health hazards**

Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 1 B
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 1

#### **Environmental hazards**

No hazards identified

#### Label Elements



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Signal Word Danger

#### **Hazard Statements**

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

AUH014 - Reacts violently with water

AUH029 - Contact with water liberates toxic gas

#### **Precautionary Statements**

P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

P301 + P330 + P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower

P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Other information

# Section 3 - Composition and Information on Ingredients

| Component                       | CAS No    | Weight % |  |
|---------------------------------|-----------|----------|--|
| Methyl 3-(chloroformyl)benzoate | 3441-03-0 | > 97     |  |

### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Inhalation If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Remove from exposure, lie down. Do not use

> mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory

medical device. Call a physician immediately.

Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth to an Ingestion

unconscious person. Call a physician immediately.

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove and wash **Skin Contact** 

contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Call a physician

immediately.

**Eye Contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Immediate medical attention is required.

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is **General Advice** 

required.

Self-Protection of the First Aider Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

**First Aid Facilities** Eyewash, safety shower and washroom.

Most important symptoms and

effects

Causes burns by all exposure routes. Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue

and danger of perforation

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Treat symptomatically.

## Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Chemical foam. CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam.

#### Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

Contact with water liberates toxic gas. Water.

#### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Hydrogen chloride gas.

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Contact with water liberates toxic gas. Reacts violently with water.

#### Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

#### **Emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

#### Methods for Containment and Clean Up

#### Clean-up methods - small spillage

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Do not expose spill to water.

#### Clean-up methods - large spillage

Typically only supplied is small quantities as packaged goods.

If extremely toxic or used in larger quantities ensure a spillage action plan is in place. Evacuate area. Control the source and/or contain the spill if safe and able to do so. Use temporary diking, sand bags, dry sand, earth or proprietary booms/absorbent pads if available. Obtain advice on containment, neutralisation and clean-up from local emergency responders.

#### **Reference to Other Sections**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Use only under a chemical fume hood. Do not breathe mist/vapors/spray. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance. Do not allow contact with water. Handle under an inert atmosphere.

#### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep from any possible contact with water. Corrosives area. Keep away from water or moist air. Store under an inert atmosphere. Protect from moisture. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

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AS/NZS 2243.10:2004, Safety in laboratories - Storage of chemicals

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

#### **Exposure limits**

The product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established.

#### **Biological limit values**

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

#### **Exposure Controls**

#### **Engineering Measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

#### Personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** Goggles (Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye protectors for Industrial

applications)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

| Glove material | Breakthrough time | Glove thickness | AUS/NZ Standard | Glove comments        |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| Nitrile rubber | See manufacturers | -               | AS/NZS 2161     | (minimum requirement) |
| Neoprene       | recommendations   |                 |                 |                       |
| Natural rubber |                   |                 |                 |                       |
| PVC            |                   |                 |                 |                       |

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing

**Repiratory Protection** Use an AS/NZS 1716 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or

other symptoms are experienced. To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained in line with AS/NZS 1715 on the use

and maintenance of repiratory protective devices

Recommended Filter type: Organic gases and vapours filter Type A Brown conforming to EN14387 (or AUS/NZ

equivalent)

Recommended half mask:- Valve filtering: EN405 or Half mask: EN140 plus filter, EN 141 (or AUS/NZ equivalent)

When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

## Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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Method - No information available

Liquid

(Air = 1.0)

Liquid

Appearance Light yellow Physical State Liquid

Odor
Odor Threshold
PH
No data available

Boiling Point/Range No information available Flash Point No information available

Evaporation Rate No data available Flammability (solid,gas) Not applicable

Explosion Limits No data available

Vapor Pressure No data available

Vapor Density

No data available

Specific Gravity / Density

No data available

Bulk Density
Not applicable
Water Solubility
Reacts with water

Solubility in other solvents

No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Autoignition TemperatureNo data availableDecomposition TemperatureNo data availableViscosityNo data availableExplosive PropertiesNo information availableOxidizing PropertiesNo information available

Other information

Molecular Formula C9 H7 CI O3 Molecular Weight 198.6

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity Yes

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions. Moisture sensitive.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products, Exposure to moist air or water, Exposure to moisture.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Strong bases, Amines, Strong reducing agents, Acid

chlorides.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2). Hydrogen chloride gas.

**Hazardous Polymerization** No information available.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

#### Information on Toxicological Effects

Product Information No acute toxicity information is available for this product

(a) acute toxicity;

OralNo data availableDermalNo data availableInhalationNo data available

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; Category 1 B

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(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Category 1

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory No data available Skin No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

No data available (g) reproductive toxicity;

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

No data available (i) STOT-repeated exposure;

No information available. **Target Organs** 

No data available (i) aspiration hazard;

**Other Adverse Effects** The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

delayed

Symptoms / effects, both acute and Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes

severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity effects** Do not empty into drains. Reacts with water so no ecotoxicity data for the substance is

available

No information available Persistence and Degradability

Persistence Persistence is unlikely, based on information available.

Degradability Reacts with water. Degradation in sewage Water reactive.

treatment plant

**Bioaccumulative Potential** Product does not bioaccumulate due to reaction with water

Reacts with water. Is not likely mobile in the environment Mobility This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors **Endocrine Disruptor Information** 

**Persistent Organic Pollutant** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance **Ozone Depletion Potential** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

### Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Do not allow into drains or watercourses or dispose of where ground or surface waters may be affected. Wastes, including emptied containers, are controlled wastes and should be disposed of in accordance with all federal, E.P.A., state and local regulations. Assure conformity with all applicable regulations.

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point. **Contaminated Packaging** 

Other Information Chemical wastes should be disposed through a licensed commercial waste collection

> service. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not flush to sewer. Large amounts will

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affect pH and harm aquatic organisms.

## Section 14 - Transport Information

#### IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN3265

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Technical Shipping Name Methyl 3-(chloroformyl)benzoate

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group ||

**ADG** 

UN-No UN3265

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Technical Shipping Name Methyl 3-(chloroformyl)benzoate

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group ||

IATA

UN-No UN3265

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Technical Shipping Name Methyl 3-(chloroformyl)benzoate

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group ||

Environmental hazards No hazards identified

Special Precautions No special precautions required

Additional information None known

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

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

National Regulations Australia

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters.

#### Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

No poison schedule number allocated.

#### Australian - Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents Substance List

This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

#### **Chemicals of Security Concern**

This product does not contain any substance(s) listed on the voluntary National Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern

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National pollutant inventory Not applicable

#### Prohibition or notification/licensing requirements

Shown below are details of specific prohibition/notifications or licencing requirements when they apply.

This product does not contain any substance(s) subject to Prohibition, Authorization or Restriction.

#### **International Inventories**

Legend: X - Listed. '-' - Not Listed. KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

International Regulations

Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Persistent Organic Pollutant This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Rotterdam Convention (PIC) Not applicable

Basel convention on the control of transboundary movements of hazardous wastes and their dispoal Not applicable.

| Component                          | CAS No    | OECD HPV       | Restriction of<br>Hazardous<br>Substances (RoHS) | Seveso III Directive<br>(2012/18/EC) -<br>Qualifying Quantities<br>for Major Accident<br>Notification | Seveso III Directive<br>(2012/18/EC) -<br>Qualifying Quantities<br>for Safety Report<br>Requirements |
|------------------------------------|-----------|----------------|--|---|--|
| Methyl<br>3-(chloroformyl)benzoate | 3441-03-0 | Not applicable | Not applicable                                   | Not applicable  | Not applicable   |

Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Not applicable

## Section 16 - Other Information

#### Legend

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**ICAO/IATA** - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{MARPOL}}$  - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

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NZS 5433:2012 - Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50% WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit DNEL - Derived No Effect Level

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water **vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50% **ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

#### Key literature references and sources for data

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

#### **Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

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This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) is prepared in accordance to and complies with the requirements of Safe Work Australia - Work Health and Safety Regulations (WHS Regulations).

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