

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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1. Identification

Product Name 2-Mercapto-5-methylbenzimidazole

Cat No.: SB00799DA; SB00799EA; SB00799EE; SB00799SC; SB00799ZZ

CAS No 27231-36-3

**Synonyms** 5-Methyl-2-benzimidazolethiol

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Skin Corrosion/IrritationCategory 2Serious Eye Damage/Eye IrritationCategory 2Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)Category 3

Target Organs - Respiratory system.

#### Label Elements

# **Signal Word**

Warning

#### **Hazard Statements**

Causes skin irritation
Causes serious eye irritation

May cause respiratory irritation



#### **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

#### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

#### Skin

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

#### Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

### Storage

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

Store locked up

### Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %
2H-Benzimidazole-2-thione, 1,3-dihydro-5-methyl-	27231-36-3	99

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

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial

respiration. Get medical attention.

**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention.

Most important symptoms and

effects

No information available.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Chemical foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Explosion Limits** 

No information available

UpperNo data availableLowerNo data available

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

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

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2). Sulfur oxides.

### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

NFPA

HealthFlammabilityInstabilityPhysical hazards210N/A

# 6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust

formation.

**Environmental Precautions** Should not be released into the environment.

Methods for Containment and Clean Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

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# 7. Handling and storage

Handling

Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Wash hands

before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

Storage. Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Incompatible

Materials. Acids. Bases. Strong oxidizing agents. Acid chlorides.

### 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure

limitsestablished by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Engineering Measures** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

**Eye/face Protection** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by

OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard

EN166.

Skin and body protection Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard

EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

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

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Powder Solid **Physical State** Light red **Appearance** 

Odor No information available **Odor Threshold** No information available

No information available pН

Melting Point/Range 290 - 293 °C / 554 - 559.4 °F

**Boiling Point/Range** No information available Flash Point No information available **Evaporation Rate** No information available Flammability (solid,gas) No information available

Flammability or explosive limits

No data available Upper Lower No data available **Vapor Pressure** No information available

**Vapor Density** No information available **Specific Gravity** No information available Solubility No information available Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water No data available

No information available **Autoignition Temperature Decomposition Temperature** No information available **Viscosity** No information available

Molecular Formula C8 H8 N2 S **Molecular Weight** 164.23

# 10. Stability and reactivity

None known, based on information available **Reactive Hazard** 

Stable under normal conditions. Stability

**Conditions to Avoid** Incompatible products. Avoid dust formation.

Acids, Bases, Strong oxidizing agents, Acid chlorides **Incompatible Materials** 

Hazardous Decomposition Products Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Sulfur oxides

No information available. **Hazardous Polymerization** 

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

# 11. Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

**Product Information** No acute toxicity information is available for this product

**Component Information** 

**Toxicologically Synergistic** No information available

**Products** 

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

### 2-Mercapto-5-methylbenzimidazole

Irritation Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

Sensitization No information available

Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	CAS No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
2H-Benzimidazole-2-th	27231-36-3	Not listed				
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1,3-dihydro-5-methyl-						

**Mutagenic Effects** No information available

**Reproductive Effects** No information available.

No information available. **Developmental Effects** 

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

Respiratory system STOT - single exposure

STOT - repeated exposure None known

Aspiration hazard No information available

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available

delayed

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

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

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Do not empty into drains.

No information available Persistence and Degradability **Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available. No information available. **Mobility** 

# 13. Disposal considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a **Waste Disposal Methods** 

hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

Transport information

DOT Not regulated **TDG** Not regulated **IATA** Not regulated **IMDG/IMO** Not regulated

# 15. Regulatory information

# **United States of America Inventory**

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags
2H-Benzimidazole-2-thione, 1,3-dihydro-5-methyl-	27231-36-3	Х	ACTIVE	-

### 2-Mercapto-5-methylbenzimidazole

Legend:

TSCA US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

TSCA - Per 40 CFR 751, Regulation of Certain Chemical Substances & Mixtures, Under TSCA Section 6(h) (PBT)

Not applicable

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export

Not applicable

#### **International Inventories**

Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (KECL).

Component	CAS No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	IECSC	KECL
2H-Benzimidazole-2-thione,	27231-36-3	-	Х	248-350-5	-	Χ	Χ	Х	-	-
1,3-dihydro-5-methyl-										

KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

## U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

**OSHA** - Occupational Safety and

Health Administration

Not applicable

CERCLA Not applicable

**California Proposition 65** This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know

Regulations

Not applicable

### **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ):

N
DOT Marine Pollutant

N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant

N

U.S. Department of Homeland

Security

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH Not applicable

Component	CAS No	REACH (1907/2006) -	REACH (1907/2006) -	REACH Regulation (EC
-		Annex XIV - Substances	Annex XVII - Restrictions	1907/2006) article 59 -
		Subject to Authorization	on Certain Dangerous	Candidate List of
			Substances	Substances of Very High
				Concern (SVHC)

2H-Benzimidazole-2-thione,	27231-36-3	-	-	-
1,3-dihydro-5-methyl-				

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

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Persistent Organic Pollutant	Ozone Depletion Potential	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)
2H-Benzimidazole-2-thione, 1,3-dihydro-5-methyl-	27231-36-3	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)? Not applicable

#### Other International Regulations

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements	Rotterdam Convention (PIC)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
2H-Benzimidazole-2-thione, 1,3-dihydro-5-methyl-	27231-36-3	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

	16. Other information
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