

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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#### **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : β-Hydroxyisovaleric acid

Product Number : 55453
Brand : Aldrich
CAS-No. : 625-08-1

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

Uses advised against : The product is being supplied under the TSCA R&D Exemption

(40 CFR Section 720.36). It is the recipient's responsibility to comply with the requirements of the R&D exemption. The product may not be used for a non-exempt commercial purpose under TSCA unless appropriate consent is granted in writing by

MilliporeSigma.

# 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# GHS classification in accordance with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Skin irritation : Category 2

Eye irritation : Category 2A

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Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

: Category 3 (Respiratory system)

#### Other hazards

None known.

#### **GHS** label elements

Hazard pictograms



Signal Word : Warning

Hazard Statements : H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary Statements:

Prevention:

P261 Avoid breathing mist or vapors. P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face

protection.

Response:

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical

advice/ attention.

P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical

advice/ attention.

Storage:

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

container tightly closed. P405 Store locked up.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved

waste disposal plant.

# **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substance / Mixture : Substance

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## Components

Chemical name	CAS No./Unique ID	Concentration (% w/w)	Trade secret
Butanoic acid, 3- hydroxy-3-methyl-	625-08-1*	>= 80 - <= 100	TSC

<sup>\*</sup> Indicates that the identifier is a CAS No.

TSC- the actual concentration or concentration range is withheld as a trade secret

## **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

General advice : Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in

attendance.

If inhaled : After inhalation: fresh air.

In case of skin contact : In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all

contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

In case of eye contact : After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water.

Call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

If swallowed : After swallowing: immediately make victim drink

water (two glasses at most).

Consult a physician.

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

Protection of first-aiders : For personal protection see section 8.

Notes to physician : No data available

## **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing

media

: Foam

Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Dry powder

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of

extinguishing agents are given.

Specific hazards during

fire fighting

: Combustible.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along

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floors.

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

Hazardous combustion

products

: Carbon oxides

Specific extinguishing

methods

: No data available

Further information : Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating

surface water or the ground water system.

Special protective equipment for fire-

fighters

: Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

### **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols.

Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency

procedures, consult an expert. Advice for emergency responders: For personal protection see section 8.

Environmental precautions

: Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and

cleaning up

: Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills.
Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7

and 10).

Take up with liquid-absorbent material (e.g.

Chemizorb® ). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected

area.

# **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

For precautions see section 2.2.

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Further information on storage conditions

: Tightly closed.

Storage class

: 10, Combustible liquids

Recommended storage

temperature

: Recommended storage temperature see product label.

Further information on

storage stability

: Store under inert gas. Moisture sensitive.

#### **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

# Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

**Engineering measures** : No data available

# Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : required when vapours/aerosols are generated.

Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN

EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying

standards relating to the used respiratory protection

system.

Recommended Filter

type:

: Filter type ABEK

The entrepeneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

Hand protection

Remarks : required

Eye protection : Use equipment for eye protection tested and

approved under appropriate government standards

such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Safety glasses

Skin and body protection : protective clothing

Hygiene measures : Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply

preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face

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## **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance : clear, viscous liquid

Color : light yellow

Odor : unpleasant

Odor Threshold : No data available pH : No data available

Melting point/ range : -112 °F / -80 °C

Method: lit.

Boiling point/boiling range : 190 °F / 88 °C (1 hPa)

Method: lit.

Flash point :  $235 \, ^{\circ}\text{F} / 113 \, ^{\circ}\text{C}$ 

Method: closed cup

Evaporation rate : No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available

Flammability (liquids) : No data available

Burning rate : No data available

Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit

: No data available

Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit : No data available

Vapor pressure : No data available

Relative vapor density : No data available

Relative density : No data available

Density : 0.938 g/mL (77 °F / 25 °C)

Method: lit.

Water solubility : No data available

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Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: No data available

Autoignition temperature : No data available

Decomposition temperature

: No data available

Viscosity, dynamic : No data available

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Flow time : No data available

Explosive properties : No data available

Oxidizing properties : No data available

Molecular weight : 118.13 g/mol

Particle characteristics

Particle size : No data available

# **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity : Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

A range from approx. 15 Kelvin below the flash point

is to be rated as critical.

Chemical stability : The product is chemically stable under standard

ambient conditions (room temperature) .

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

: No data available

Conditions to avoid : Strong heating.

Incompatible materials : Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition

products

: In the event of fire: see section 5

# **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** 

Oral: No data available Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available

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No data available

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Remarks: No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Remarks: No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is

identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is

identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is

on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

Reproductive toxicity

No data available No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

**Aspiration hazard** 

No data available

#### 11.2 Additional Information

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

#### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity** 

**Components:** 

Butanoic acid, 3-hydroxy-3-methyl-:

Toxicity to fish : Remarks: No data available

Persistence and degradability

**Components:** 

Butanoic acid, 3-hydroxy-3-methyl-:

Biodegradability : Remarks: No data available

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# **Bioaccumulative potential**

# **Components:**

# Butanoic acid, 3-hydroxy-3-methyl-:

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: No data available

## Mobility in soil

## **Components:**

# Butanoic acid, 3-hydroxy-3-methyl-:

Stability in soil : Remarks: No data available

#### Other adverse effects

# **Product:**

Ozone-Depletion Potential: Regulation: 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part

82 Protection of Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section

602 Class I Substances

Remarks: This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR

82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

#### **Components:**

# Butanoic acid, 3-hydroxy-3-methyl-:

Additional ecological

information

: No data available

#### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

# **Disposal methods**

Waste from residues : Waste material must be disposed of in accordance

with the national and local regulations. Leave

chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product

itself.

# **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# **International Regulations**

# **IATA-DGR**

UN/ID No. : UN 3334

Proper shipping name : Aviation regulated liquid, n.o.s.

(Butanoic acid, 3-hydroxy-3-methyl-)

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Packing group : III

Labels : Class 9 - Miscellaneous dangerous substances and

articles

Packing instruction (cargo: 964

aircraft)

Packing instruction : 964

(passenger aircraft)

## **IMDG-Code**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

#### Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable for product as supplied.

# **National regulation**

#### 49 CFR Road

Not regulated as a dangerous good

Poison Inhalation Hazard : No

# Special precautions for user

The transport classification(s) provided herein are for informational purposes only, and solely based upon the properties of the unpackaged material as it is described within this Safety Data Sheet. Transportation classifications may vary by mode of transportation, package sizes, and variations in regional or country regulations.

#### **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## **CERCLA Reportable Quantity**

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

# **SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity**

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

## SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

SARA 311/312

Hazards

: Acute Health Hazard

**SARA 313** : This material does not contain any chemical

components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by

SARA Title III, Section 313.

#### Clean Air Act

This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B). This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

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This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCMI Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489).

#### **Clean Water Act**

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A.

This product does not contain any Hazardous Chemicals listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3.

This product does not contain any toxic pollutants listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Section 307

This product does not contain any priority pollutants related to the U.S. Clean Water Act

# **US State Regulations**

# **Massachusetts Right To Know**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

# **Maine Chemicals of High Concern**

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

# **Vermont Chemicals of High Concern**

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

# **Washington Chemicals of High Concern**

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

# The ingredients of this product are reported in the following inventories:

TSCA : Product contains substance(s) not listed on TSCA

inventory.

## **TSCA list**

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

#### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

## Full text of other abbreviations

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DOT - Department of Transportation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; EHS - Extremely Hazardous Substance; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; HMIS - Hazardous Materials Identification System; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory

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concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO -International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO -International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; MSHA - Mine Safety and Health Administration; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NFPA - National Fire Protection Association; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; RCRA -Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RQ - Reportable Quantity; SADT - Self-Decomposition Temperature; SARA Superfund Amendments Accelerating Reauthorization Act; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

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