SIGMA-ALDRICH

Material Safety Data Sheet

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : α-Methylbenzylamine

Product Number : M31104 Brand : Aldrich

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Synonyms : (\pm) - α -Methylbenzylamine

(±)-1-Phenylethylamine

Formula : C₈H₁₁N Molecular Weight : 121.18 g/mol

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
DL-α-Methylbenzylamine			
618-36-0	210-545-8	612-107-00-5	-

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

OSHA Hazards

Combustible Liquid, Corrosive

HMIS Classification

Health Hazard: 3 Flammability: 2 Physical hazards: 0

NFPA Rating

Health Hazard: 3 Fire: 2 Reactivity Hazard: 0

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the

mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.

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Eyes Causes eye burns.

Ingestion May be harmful if swallowed. Causes burns.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eve contact

Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital. Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable properties

Flash point 70 °C (158 °F) - closed cup

Ignition temperature no data available

Suitable extinguishing media

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

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

Methods for cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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.

Storage

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.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multipurpose 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).

Hand protection

Handle with gloves.

Eye protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum).

Skin and body protection

Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance

Form liquid

Safety data

pH no data available

Melting point no data available

Boiling point 185 °C (365 °F) at 1,008 hPa (756 mmHg) - lit.

Flash point 70 °C (158 °F) - closed cup

Ignition temperature no data available
Lower explosion limit no data available
Upper explosion limit no data available

Density 0.94 g/mL at 25 °C (77 °F)

Water solubility no data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Storage stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Materials to avoid

Strong oxidizing agents, Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx)

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

no data available

Irritation and corrosion

no data available

Sensitisation

no data available

Chronic exposure

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

probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

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

a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component 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 identified as

a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Elimination information (persistence and degradability)

no data available

Ecotoxicity effects

no data available

Further information on ecology

no data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product

This combustible material may be burned in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. 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: 2735 Class: 8 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Amines, liquid, corrosive, n.o.s. (DL-α-Methylbenzylamine)

Marine pollutant: No

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG

UN-Number: 2735 Class: 8 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-A, S-B Proper shipping name: AMINES, LIQUID, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (DL-α-Methylbenzylamine)

Marine pollutant: No

IATA

UN-Number: 2735 Class: 8 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Amines, liquid, corrosive n.o.s. (DL-α-Methylbenzylamine)

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

OSHA Hazards

Combustible Liquid, Corrosive

DSL Status

All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL list.

SARA 302 Components

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components

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.

SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard. Acute Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

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

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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New Jersey Right To Know Components

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California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Further information

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