# SIGMA-ALDRICH

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## **Emergency Overview**

**OSHA Hazards** Flammable liquid, Target Organ Effect, Irritant

# **Target Organs**

Nerves., Liver

# GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word	Danger
Hazard statement(s) H225 H316 H318 H333 H371	Highly flammable liquid and vapour. Causes mild skin irritation. Causes serious eye damage. May be harmful if inhaled. May cause damage to organs.
Precautionary statement(s) P210 P260 P280 P305 + P351 + P338	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces No smoking. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
HMIS Classification Health hazard: Chronic Health Hazard: Flammability: Physical hazards:	2 * 3 0
NFPA Rating Health hazard: Fire: Reactivity Hazard:	2 3 0

**Potential Health Effects** 

Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation. Vapours may cause
	drowsiness and dizziness.
Skin	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
Eyes	Causes eye irritation.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed.

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Synonyms	: Propyl alcohol		
Formula	: C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O		
Molecular Weight	: 60.1 g/mol		
CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
N-Propanol			
71-23-8	200-746-9	603-003-00-0	-

## 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

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

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**

## Suitable extinguishing media

For small (incipient) fires, use media such as "alcohol" foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide. For large fires, apply water from as far as possible. Use very large quantities (flooding) of water applied as a mist or spray; solid streams of water may be ineffective. Cool all affected containers with flooding quantities of water.

#### Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### **Further information**

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### **Personal precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

#### **Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

#### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# Precautions for safe handling

Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

#### Conditions for safe 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. Store in cool place.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Update	Basis
N-Propanol	71-23-8	TWA	100 ppm	2007-01-01	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
Remarks	cause conce conclusively	Eye & Upper Respiratory Tract irritation Not classifiable as a human carcinogen: Agents which cause concern that they could be carcinogenic for humans but which cannot be assessed conclusively because of a lack of data. In vitro or animal studies do not provide indications of carcinogenicity which are sufficient to classify the agent into one of the other categories.			
		TWA	200 ppm 500 mg/m3	1989-01-19	USA. OSHA - TABLE Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants - 1910.1000
		STEL	250 ppm 625 mg/m3	1989-01-19	USA. OSHA - TABLE Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants - 1910.1000
		TWA	200 ppm 500 mg/m3	1997-08-04	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
	The value ir	n mg/m3 is	approximate.	•	

# Personal protective equipment

## **Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose 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

Face shield and safety glasses

## 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	clear, liquid
Colour	colourless
Safety data	
рН	8.5 at 200 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F)
Melting point	-127 °C (-197 °F) - lit.
Boiling point	97 °C (207 °F) - lit.
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Flash point	22 °C (72 °F) - closed cup
Ignition temperature	395 °C (743 °F)
Lower explosion limit	2.1 %(V)
Upper explosion limit	13.7 %(V)
Vapour pressure	19.3 hPa (14.5 mmHg) at 20 °C (68 °F)
Density	0.804 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)
Water solubility	completely soluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 0.25 - 0.34
Relative vapour density	2.07 - (Air = 1.0)
Evaporation rate	1

## **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

#### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

**Conditions to avoid** Heat, flames and sparks.

Materials to avoid Strong oxidizing agents

#### Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - rat - 8,038 mg/kg

LC50 Inhalation - rat - 1 h - 20000 ppm

LC50 Dermal - rabbit - 4,000 mg/kg

## Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - rabbit - Mild skin irritation

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** Eyes - rabbit - Severe eye irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitization no data available

## Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

#### Carcinogenicity

- 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.
- 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.

#### **Reproductive toxicity**

no data available

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (GHS)

May cause damage to organs.

# Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (GHS)

no data available

## Aspiration hazard

no data available

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## Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Central nervous system depression, prolonged or repeated exposure can cause:, narcosis, Skin irritation

#### Additional Information RTECS: UH8225000

## **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## Toxicity

Toxicity to fish	LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 1,000 mg/l - 96 h
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates.	EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 3,642 mg/l - 48 h

## Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability

# **Bioaccumulative potential** no data available

#### Mobility in soil no data available

**PBT and vPvB assessment** no data available

## Other adverse effects

no data available

# **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

# Product

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. 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: 1274 Class: 3 Proper shipping name: n-Propanol Marine pollutant: No Poison Inhalation Hazard: No Packing group: II

Packing group: II

# IMDG

UN-Number: 1274 Class: 3 Proper shipping name: PROPANOL

## ΙΑΤΑ

UN-Number: 1274 Class: 3 Proper shipping name: n-Propanol Packing group: II

# **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### **OSHA Hazards**

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#### **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, Chronic Health Hazard

## Massachusetts Right To Know Components

N-Propanol	CAS-No. 71-23-8	Revision Date 1993-04-24
Pennsylvania Right To Know Components		
N-Propanol	CAS-No. 71-23-8	Revision Date 1993-04-24
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 defects, or any other reproductive harm.

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

## **Further information**

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