

according to the (US) Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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## **SECTION 1. Identification**

## **Product identifier**

Product number 821152

Product name 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene for synthesis

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

Identified uses Chemical for synthesis

# Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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## SECTION 2. Hazards identification

## **GHS Classification**

Acute toxicity, Category 4, Oral, H302

Skin irritation, Category 2, H315

Acute aquatic toxicity, Category 1, H400 Chronic aquatic toxicity, Category 1, H410

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## **GHS-Labeling**

Hazard pictograms





Signal Word Warning

Hazard Statements
H302 Harmful if swallowed.

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H315 Causes skin irritation.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

#### **OSHA Hazards**

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

#### Other hazards

None known.

## SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Formula  $C_6H_3-1,2,4-(CI)_3$   $C_6H_3CI_3$  (Hill)

CAS-No. 120-82-1 Molar mass 181.45 g/mol

#### Hazardous ingredients

Chemical Name (Concentration)

CAS-No.

1,2,4-trichlorobenzene ( >= 90 % - <= 100 % )

120-82-1

## **SECTION 4. First aid measures**

#### **Description of first-aid measures**

Inhalation

After inhalation: fresh air.

Skin contact

After skin contact: wash off with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing.

Eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water with the eyelid held wide open. Call in ophthalmologist if necessary.

Ingestion

After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult a physician.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

# Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

irritant effects

Shortness of breath, agitation, Nausea, Vomiting, CNS disorders, narcosis

#### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

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#### **SECTION 5. Fire-fighting measures**

## Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Water, Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO2), Dry powder

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

## Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

Fire may cause evolution of:

Hydrogen chloride gas, Phosgene

#### Advice for firefighters

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.

Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapors/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

## 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: Protective equipment 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

## Precautions for safe handling

Observe label precautions.

## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Tightly closed. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.

Store at +15°C to +25°C (+59°F to +77°F).

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## SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Exposure limit(s)

Ingredients

Basis Value Threshold Remarks

limits

1,2,4-trichlorobenzene 120-82-1

ACGIH Ceiling Limit Value: 5 ppm

NIOSH/GUIDE Ceiling Limit Value and 5 ppm
Time Period (if 40 mg/m³

specified):

Z1A Ceiling Limit Value: 5 ppm 40 mg/m³

## **Engineering measures**

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

#### Individual protection measures

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be inquired at the respective supplier.

## Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply skin- protective barrier cream. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses

#### Hand protection

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

#### Other protective equipment:

protective clothing

## Respiratory protection

required when vapors/aerosols are generated.

Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

## SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state liquid

Color colorless

Odor aromatic

Odor Threshold No information available.

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pH No information available.

Melting point 17 °C

Boiling point/boiling range 416.3 °F ( 213.5 °C)

at 1,013 hPa

Flash point 210 °F ( 99 °C)

Method: c.c.

Evaporation rate No information available.

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available.

Lower explosion limit 2.5 %(V)

Upper explosion limit 6.6 %(V)

Vapor pressure 1.3 hPa

at 68 °F (20 °C)

Relative vapor density 6.26

Relative density 1.45 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

at 68 °F (20 °C)

Water solubility 0.049 g/l

at 68 °F (20 °C)

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

log Pow: 4.02 (experimental)

(Lit.) Potential bioaccumulation

Autoignition temperature No information available.

Decomposition temperature  $> 415 \, ^{\circ}\text{F} \, (> 213 \, ^{\circ}\text{C})$ 

Viscosity, dynamic No information available.

Explosive properties Not classified as explosive.

Ignition temperature 1060 °F ( 571 °C)

## SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

## Reactivity

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

## Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature).

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## Possibility of hazardous reactions

Exothermic reaction with:

Oxidizing agents, Alkali metals, Alkaline earth metals

Risk of explosion with:

fire-promoting substances

#### Conditions to avoid

Strong heating.

A range from approx. 15 Kelvin below the flash point is to be rated as critical.

## Incompatible materials

no information available

## Hazardous decomposition products

in the event of fire: See section 5.

## SECTION 11. Toxicological information

# Information on toxicological effects

Likely route of exposure

Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact

Target Organs

Eyes

Skin

Respiratory system

Liver

reproductive system

Acute oral toxicity

LD50 rat: 550 mg/kg (External MSDS)

absorption

Symptoms: Nausea, Vomiting

Acute inhalation toxicity

Symptoms: After a latency period:, Lung edema

Acute dermal toxicity LD50 rat: 6,139 mg/kg

(RTECS)

absorption

Skin irritation

rabbit

Result: slight irritation (External MSDS)

Causes skin irritation.

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Eye irritation

rabbit

Result: slight irritation (External MSDS)

Causes serious eye irritation.

Sensitization

Sensitization test: guinea pig

Result: negative

(IUCLID)

Genotoxicity in vitro

Ames test

Salmonella typhimurium

Result: negative

(IUCLID)

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - single exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - repeated exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard

Regarding the available data the classification criteria are not fulfilled.

## 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.

OSHA No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by OSHA.

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.

ACGIH No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by ACGIH.

## **Further information**

Systemic effects: After absorption:

Shortness of breath, agitation, CNS disorders, narcosis

Damage to: Liver, Kidney

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## SECTION 12. Ecological information

#### **Ecotoxicity**

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Toxicity to fish

LC50 Leuciscus idus (Golden orfe): 0.7 mg/l; 48 h (External MSDS)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

EC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 1.2 mg/l; 24 h (External MSDS)

Toxicity to bacteria

microtox test EC50 Photobacterium phosphoreum: 4 mg/l; 30 min (Lit.)

EC50 activated sludge: 500 mg/l; 3 h OECD Test Guideline 209 (IUCLID)

## Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability

0 %; 14 d

OECD Test Guideline 301C Not readily biodegradable.

## Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

log Pow: 4.02 (experimental)

(Lit.) Potential bioaccumulation

## Mobility in soil

Distribution among environmental compartments

Adsorption/Soil log Koc: 3.22 (experimental)

Moderately mobile in soils

#### Other adverse effects

Additional ecological information

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## SECTION 13. Disposal considerations

The information presented only applies to the material as supplied. The identification based on characteristic(s) or listing may not apply if the material has been used or otherwise contaminated. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

## SECTION 14. Transport information

Land transport (DOT)

UN number UN 2321

Proper shipping name TRICHLOROBENZENES, LIQUID

Class 6.1
Packing group III
Environmentally hazardous --

Air transport (IATA)

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UN number UN 2321

Proper shipping name TRICHLOROBENZENES, LIQUID

Class 6.1
Packing group III
Environmentally hazardous -Special precautions for user no

Sea transport (IMDG)

UN number UN 2321

Proper shipping name TRICHLOROBENZENES, LIQUID

Class 6.1
Packing group III
Environmentally hazardous -Special precautions for user yes

EmS F-A S-A

## SECTION 15. Regulatory information

#### **United States of America**

## OSHA Hazards

Harmful if swallowed.

Skin irritant Eve irritant

Target organ effects

This information is based on 29 CFR 1910.1200 criteria prior to adoption of the GHS, and may deviate from the GHS information on the label and in section 2.

## SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard Chronic Health Hazard

#### **SARA 313**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

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#### **SARA 302**

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

#### 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

#### **DEA List I**

Not listed

#### **DEA List II**

Not listed

## Massachusetts Right To Know

Ingredients

1,2,4-trichlorobenzene

## Pennsylvania Right To Know

Ingredients

1,2,4-trichlorobenzene

## New Jersey Right To Know

Ingredients

1,2,4-trichlorobenzene

# Notification status

TSCA: On TSCA Inventory

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

## SECTION 16. Other information

# Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

# Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

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## Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Used abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at www.wikipedia.org.

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