# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Pyrogallol

Product Number : 254002

Brand : Sigma-Aldrich Index-No. : 604-009-00-6

CAS-No. : 87-66-1

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : (314) 776-6555

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3), H301

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332

Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4), H312

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315

Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319

Germ cell mutagenicity (Category 2), H341

Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 3), H402

Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 3), H412

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

# 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

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Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H301 Toxic if swallowed.

H312 + H332 Harmful in contact with skin or if inhaled.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and

understood.

P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.
P280 Wear eye protection/ face protection.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing.
P281 Use personal protective equipment as required.

P301 + P310 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Rinse

mouth.

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

P302 + P352 + P312 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Call a POISON

CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.

P304 + P340 + P312 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.

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

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.
P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : 1,2,3-Trihydroxybenzene

 Molecular weight
 : 126.11 g/mol

 CAS-No.
 : 87-66-1

 EC-No.
 : 201-762-9

 Index-No.
 : 604-009-00-6

**Hazardous components** 

Component	Classification	Concentration
1,2,3-Trihydroxybenzene		
	Acute Tox. 4; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2A; Muta. 2; Aquatic Acute 3; Aquatic Chronic 3;	<= 100 %

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H302 + H312 + H332, H315,	
H319, H341, H412	

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

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 Description of 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. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.

## In case of eye contact

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

### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

## 4.2 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

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

No data available

### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

## 5.1 Extinguishing media

### Suitable extinguishing media

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

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

## 5.4 Further information

No data available

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

# 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Handle and store under inert gas. Air and light sensitive.

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1D: Non-combustible, acute toxic Cat.3 / toxic hazardous materials or hazardous materials causing chronic effects

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

## Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### 8.2 Exposure controls

## Appropriate engineering controls

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

# Personal protective equipment

### Eye/face protection

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method:

EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

# **Body Protection**

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) 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).

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# Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: crystalline

Colour: white

b) Odourc) Odour ThresholdNo data available

d) pH 5.8 at 10 g/l

e) Melting point/freezing

point

j)

Melting point/range: 133 - 134 °C (271 - 273 °F) - lit.

f) Initial boiling point and

boiling range

309 °C (588 °F) - lit.

g) Flash point No data available
h) Evaporation rate No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas) No data available

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

No data available

k) Vapour pressure 3 - 5 hPa at 140 °C (284 °F)

13 hPa at 167.7 °C(333.9 °F)

I) Vapour density No data available

m) Relative density 1.450 g/cm3 at 20 °C (68 °F)

n) Water solubility soluble

o) Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

No data available

p) Auto-ignition temperature

No data available

q) Decomposition

temperature

No data available

r) Viscosity No data available
 s) Explosive properties No data available
 t) Oxidizing properties No data available

t) Oxidizing propertiesOther safety information

Bulk density 0.60 g/l

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

## 10.1 Reactivity

9.2

No data available

# 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

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### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - 790 mg/kg

Remarks: (RTECS)

LDLo Oral - Human - 28 mg/kg

Remarks: (RTECS)

Skin corrosion/irritation

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

## Respiratory or skin sensitisation

## Germ cell mutagenicity

Suspected of causing genetic defects.

Ames test

Salmonella typhimurium

Result: positive

(National Toxicology Program)

### 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.

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 on OSHA's

list of regulated carcinogens.

### Reproductive toxicity

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

### **Aspiration hazard**

## **Additional Information**

RTECS: UX2800000

Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea, Vomiting, Absorption into the body leads to the formation of methemoglobin which in sufficient concentration causes cyanosis. Onset may be delayed 2 to 4 hours or longer.

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish LC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - 41.8 mg/l - 96 h(1,2,3-Trihydroxybenzene)

Remarks: (External MSDS)

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Toxicity to daphnia and EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 47.8 mg/l - 24 h(1,2,3-

other aquatic Trihydroxybenzene)

invertebrates Remarks: (External MSDS)

Toxicity to bacteria EC50 - Pseudomonas putida - 3.8 mg/l - 16 h(1,2,3-Trihydroxybenzene)

Remarks: (External MSDS)

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability Result: > 90 % - Easily eliminable.

(OECD Test Guideline 302B)

Theoretical oxygen 1,520 mg/g(1,2,3-Trihydroxybenzene)

demand Remarks: (Lit.)

Ratio BOD/ThBOD 1 %(1,2,3-Trihydroxybenzene)

Remarks: (Lit.)

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal. Harmful to aquatic life.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### **Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

**IMDG** 

Not dangerous goods

### IATA

Not dangerous goods

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## **SARA 302 Components**

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

## **SARA 313 Components**

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

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic 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 defects, or any other reproductive harm.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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

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## **HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 3
Chronic Health Hazard: \*
Flammability: 0
Physical Hazard 0

## **NFPA Rating**

Health hazard: 3
Fire Hazard: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 0

## **Further information**

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