Phenolphthalein



Section 1 Product Description

Product Name: Phenolphthalein

Recommended Use: Science education applications

Synonyms: 3,3-Bis-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-1-(3H)-isobenzofuranone, 2,2-Bis(P-hydroxyphenyl)phthalide, 3,3-Bis-(4-hydroxyphenyl)

Hydroxyphenyl)phthalide, alpha-(P-Hydroxyphenyl)-alpha-(4-oxo-2,5-cyclohexadien-1-ylidine)-O-

Toluic Acid

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1-800-227-1150

Chemical Information: 800-227-1150 (8am-5pm (ET) M-F)

Chemtrec: 800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24 hours)

Section 2 Hazard Identification

Classification of the chemical in accordance with paragraph (d) of §1910.1200;





Suspected of causing genetic defects. May cause cancer. Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

GHS Classification:

Carcinogenicity Category 1B, Germ Cell Mutagenicity Category 2, Reproductive Toxicity Category 2

Other Safety Precautions: IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

 Chemical Name
 CAS #
 %

 Phenolphthalein
 77-09-8
 100

Section 4 First Aid Measures

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

Inhalation: In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest.

Eyes: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

Skin Contact: After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

Ingestion: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

Section 5 Firefighting Procedures

Extinguishing Media: Use dry chemical, CO2 or appropriate foam.

Fire Fighting Methods and Protection: Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained

breathing apparatus.

Fire and/or Explosion Hazards: Fire or excessive heat may produce hazardous decomposition products.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide

Section 6 Spill or Leak Procedures

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Steps to Take in Case Material Is Released or Spilled:

Exposure to the spilled material may be irritating or harmful. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section 8 of this SDS. Additional precautions may be necessary based on special circumstances created by the spill including; the material spilled, the quantity of the spill, the area in which the spill occurred. Also consider the expertise of employees in the area responding to the spill.

Prevent the spread of any spill to minimize harm to human health and the environment if safe to do so. Wear complete and proper personal protective equipment following the recommendation of Section 8 at a minimum. Dike with suitable absorbent material like granulated clay. Gather and store in a sealed container pending a waste disposal evaluation.

Section 7

Handling and Storage

Handling: Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Use personal protective equipment as required. Do not breathe dust.

Storage: Store locked up. Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Storage Code: Green - general chemical storage

Section 8 Protection Information

 ACGIH
 OSHA PEL

 Chemical Name
 (TWA)
 (STEL)
 (TWA)
 (STEL)

 Phenolphthalein
 N/A
 N/A
 N/A
 N/A

Control Parameters

Respirator Type(s):

Skin Protection:

Engineering Measures: No exposure limits exist for the constituents of this product. Use local exhaust ventilation

or other engineering controls to minimize exposures and maintain operator comfort.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

Respiratory Protection: Respiratory protection may be required to avoid overexposure when handling this

product. General or local exhaust ventilation is the preferred means of protection. Use a respirator if general room ventilation is not available or sufficient to eliminate symptoms. None required where adequate ventilation is provided. If airborne concentrations are above the applicable exposure limits, use NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection.

Eye Protection: Wear chemical splash goggles when handling this product. Have an eye wash station

available.

Wear protective gloves. Inspect gloves for chemical break-through and replace at regular

intervals. Clean protective equipment regularly. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, and when leaving work

Gloves: Butyl rubber, Neoprene, Nitrile, Polyvinyl chloride

Section 9

Physical Data

Formula: C20H14O4 Molecular Weight: 318.3

Appearance: White to off-white Solid

Odor: No data available

Odor Threshold: No data available

pH: 7.4

Melting Point: 258 - 262 C Boiling Point: No data available Flash Point: No data available

Flammable Limits in Air: No data available

Vapor Pressure: No data available

Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): No data available

Vapor Density (Air=1): No data available

Specific Gravity: 1.299

Solubility in Water: Slightly Soluble

Log Pow (calculated): 2.41

Autoignition Temperature: No data available Decomposition Temperature: No data available

Viscosity: No data available

Percent Volatile by Volume: No data available

Section 10

Reactivity Data

Reactivity: Not generally reactive under normal conditions.

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid: None known.

Incompatible Materials: Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Section 11

Toxicity Data

Routes of Entry Ingestion.

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Symptoms (Acute): Allergies, Laxative effect

Delayed Effects: Gastrointestinal,

Blood disorders Pulmonary Edema Liver disorders

Impaired Kidney Function

Acute Toxicity:

Chemical NameCAS NumberOral LD50Dermal LD50Inhalation LC50Phenolphthalein77-09-8Not determinedNot determinedNot determined

Carcinogenicity:

Chemical Name CAS Number IARC NTP OSHA

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Chronic Effects:

Mutagenicity: Evidence of a mutagenic effect.

Teratogenicity: Evidence of a teratogenic effect (birth defect).

Sensitization: No evidence of a sensitization effect. **Reproductive:** Evidence of negative reproductive effects.

Target Organ Effects:

Acute: Kidneys, Liver, Gastrointestinal tract Chronic: Kidneys, Liver, Gastrointestinal tract

Section 12 Ecological Data

Overview: This material is not expected to be harmful to the ecology.

Mobility: This material is expected to have moderate mobility in soil. It absorbs to most soil types.

Persistence: Adsorbs to soil/solids
Bioaccumulation: Bioconcentration may occur.

Degradability: No data **Other Adverse Effects:** No data

Chemical Name CAS Number Eco Toxicity

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Section 13 Disposal Information

Disposal Methods: Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always

contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.

Waste Disposal Code(s): Not Determined

Section 14 Transport Information

Ground - DOT Proper Shipping Name:

Not regulated for ground transport by US DOT.

Air - IATA Proper Shipping Name:

Not regulated for air transport by IATA.

Section 15 Regulatory Information

TSCA Status: All components in this product are on the TSCA Inventory.

Chemical Name CAS § 313 Name § 304 RQ CERCLA RQ § 302 TPQ CAA 112(2)

Number TQ

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California Prop 65: WARNING: Cancer – www.P65Warnings.ca.gov

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Section 16	Additional
	Information

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The information provided in this (Material) Safety Data Sheet represents a compilation of data drawn directly from various sources available to us. Carolina Biological Supply makes no representation or guarantee as to the suitability of this information to a particular application of the substance covered in the (Material) Safety Data Sheet.

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental	NTP	National Toxicology Program
	Industrial Hygienists	OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service Number	PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response,	ppm	Parts per million
	Compensation, and Liability Act	RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation	SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	TLV	Threshold Limit Value
N/A	Not Available	TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
		IDLH	Immediately dangerous to life and health

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