

1 Identification

Product identifier

Product name: Resorcinol

Stock number: L04378

CAS Number:
108-46-3

EC number:
203-585-2

Index number:
604-010-00-1

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

Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:

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Thermo Fisher Scientific Chemicals, Inc.
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Email: tech@alfa.com
www.alfa.com

Information Department: Health, Safety and Environmental Department

Emergency telephone number:

During normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 8am-7pm EST), call (800) 343-0660. After normal business hours, call Carechem 24 at (866) 928-0789.

2 Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Hazards not otherwise classified No information known.

Label elements

GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Hazard pictograms



GHS07

Signal word

Warning

Hazard statements

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Precautionary statements

P280 Wear protective gloves / protective clothing.

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P308+P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

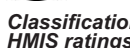
P410 Protect from sunlight.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

WHMIS classification

D1B - Toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects

D2B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects



Classification system

HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)

(Hazardous Materials Identification System)

HEALTH 2 Health (acute effects) = 2

FIRE 1 Flammability = 1

REACTIVITY 1 Physical Hazard = 1

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Substances

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4 First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures
After inhalation
Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm.
Seek immediate medical advice.
After skin contact
Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Seek immediate medical advice.
After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
After swallowing Seek medical treatment.
Information for doctor
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.
Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing agents Carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Advice for firefighters
Protective equipment:
Wear self-contained respirator.
Wear fully protective impervious suit.

6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation
Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
Prevention of secondary hazards: No special measures required.
Reference to other sections
See Section 7 for information on safe handling
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

Handling
Precautions for safe handling
Handle under dry protective gas.
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.
Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.
Information about protection against explosions and fires: No information known.
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Storage
Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.
Information about storage in one common storage facility:
Store away from oxidizing agents.
Store away from air.
Store in the dark.
Further information about storage conditions:
Store under dry inert gas.
This product is air sensitive.
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.
Protect from exposure to light.
Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:
Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.
Control parameters
Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

Resorcinol	
ppm	
ACGIH TLV	10; 20-STEL
Australia TWA	10; 20-STEL
Austria MAK	10
Belgium TWA	10; 20-STEL
Denmark TWA	10
Finland TWA	10; 20-STEL
France VME	10
Hungary TWA	10; 20-STEL (skin)
Netherlands MAC-TGG	10
Poland TWA	10; 20-STEL
Russia	1.1-STEL (skin)
Sweden NGV	10 (skin)
Switzerland MAK-W	10
United Kingdom TWA	10; 20-STEL

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REL (USA)	Short-term value: 90 mg/m³, 20 ppm Long-term value: 45 mg/m³, 10 ppm
TLV (USA)	Short-term value: 90 mg/m³, 20 ppm Long-term value: 45 mg/m³, 10 ppm

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EL (Canada)	Short-term value: 20 ppm Long-term value: 10 ppm
EV (Canada)	Short-term value: 90 mg/m ³ , 20 ppm Long-term value: 45 mg/m ³ , 10 ppm

Additional information: No data

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.

Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.

Protection of hands:

Impervious gloves

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Penetration time of glove material (in minutes) Not determined

Eye protection: Safety glasses

Body protection: Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form:	Flakes
Color:	White
Odor:	Phenol-like
Odor threshold:	Not determined.

pH-value (100 g/l) at 20 °C (68 °F): 4-6

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range:	109-112 °C (228-234 °F)
Boiling point/Boiling range:	280-281 °C (536-538 °F)
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined

Flash point:	171 °C (340 °F)
Flammability (solid, gaseous)	Not determined.
Ignition temperature:	608 °C (1126 °F)
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined
Auto igniting:	Not determined.

Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.

Explosion limits:

Lower:	1.4 Vol %
Upper:	Not determined
Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):	0.1 hPa
Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	1.272 g/cm ³ (10.615 lbs/gal)
Relative density	Not determined.
Vapor density	Not applicable.
Evaporation rate	Not applicable.

Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water at 20 °C (68 °F):	1000 g/l
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.

Viscosity:

dynamic:	Not applicable.
kinematic:	Not applicable.
Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity No information known.

Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions No dangerous reactions known

Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials:

Oxidizing agents

Air

Light

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity: Harmful if swallowed.

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data

Skin irritation or corrosion: Causes skin irritation.

Eye irritation or corrosion: Causes serious eye irritation.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known.

Carcinogenicity:

IARC-3: Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

ACGIH A4: Not classifiable as a human carcinogen: Inadequate data on which to classify the agent in terms of its carcinogenicity in humans and/or animals.

Reproductive toxicity: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known.

Aspiration hazard: No effects known.

Other information (about experimental toxicology): Tumorigenic effects have been observed on tests with laboratory animals.

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USA

Product name: Resorcinol	
(Contd. of page 3) Subacute to chronic toxicity: Resorcinol is primarily a skin and eye irritant. It can be absorbed through the skin especially if carried by a suitable solvent. Exposure may cause edema and lymph gland enlargement, methemoglobinemia, cyanosis, convulsions, tachycardia, dyspnea and death. Local symptoms include hyperemia, itching and dermatitis. Subacute to chronic toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) reports the following effects in laboratory animals: Behavioral - convulsions or effect on seizure threshold. Behavioral - excitement. Behavioral - tetany. Behavioral - coma. Blood - methemoglobinemia-carboxyhemoglobin. Gastrointestinal - changes in structure or function of salivary glands. Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration - dyspnea. Peripheral Nerve and Sensation - spastic paralysis with or without sensory change. Nutritional and Gross Metabolic - weight loss or decreased weight gain. Skin and Appendages - primary irritation (after topical exposure). Endocrine - changes in thymus weight. Endocrine - changes in adrenal weight. Endocrine - thyroid weight (goiter). Endocrine - evidence of thyroid hypofunction. Related to Chronic Data - death. Skin and Appendages - tumors. Liver - changes in liver weight. Tumorigenic - active as anti-cancer agent. Tumorigenic - equivocal tumorigenic agent by RTECS criteria. Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.	
12 Ecological information	
Toxicity Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available. Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available. Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available. Mobility in soil No further relevant information available. Ecotoxicological effects: Remark: Very toxic for aquatic organisms Additional ecological information: General notes: Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system. Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits. Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground. Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies. Avoid transfer into the environment. Very toxic for aquatic organisms Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable. vPvB: Not applicable. Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.	
13 Disposal considerations	
Waste treatment methods Recommendation Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal. Uncleaned packagings: Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.	
14 Transport information	
UN-Number DOT, IMDG, IATA	UN2876
UN proper shipping name DOT IMDG IATA	RQ Resorcinol RESORCINOL, MARINE POLLUTANT RESORCINOL
Transport hazard class(es) DOT	
 	
Class Label Class Label IMDG	6.1 Toxic substances. 6.1 6.1 (T2) Toxic substances 6.1
 	
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Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA	III
Environmental hazards:	Environmentally hazardous substance, solid; Marine Pollutant

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Marine pollutant (IMDG):	Symbol (fish and tree)
Special precautions for user EMS Number:	Warning: Toxic substances F-A,S-A
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.	
Transport/Additional information:	
DOT	
Hazardous substance:	5000 lbs, 2270 kg
Marine Pollutant (DOT):	No
Remarks:	Special marking with the symbol (fish and tree).
UN "Model Regulation":	UN2876, Resorcinol, 6.1, III

15 Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
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National regulations

All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory.

All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL).

SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings)

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California Proposition 65

Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.

Information about limitation of use:

For use only by technically qualified individuals.

This product is subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act of 1986 and 40CFR372.

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations

Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.

The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the

market and use must be observed.

Substance is not listed.

Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.

Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

Department issuing SDS: Global Marketing Department

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)

NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)