



# AccuStandard<sup>®</sup>, Inc.

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## SAFETY DATA SHEET

### SECTION 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### 1.1 - Product Identifiers

Catalog Name: B-103N

Description: 2,2',4,5',6-Pentabromobiphenyl

CAS No.: 59080-39-6

#### 1.2 - Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture

Laboratory Chemical Reference Material

#### 1.3 - Supplier Details

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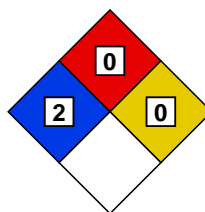
#### 1.4 - Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Phone #: AccuStandard, Inc.  
1-203-502-7070 (USA)  
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24 hours / 7 days a week

### SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 - GHS Label Elements



2	HEALTH
0	FLAMMABILITY
0	PHYSICAL HAZARD

**Signal Word: Warning**

#### Hazard Codes:

H302 - Harmful if swallowed. (Acute toxicity, oral, category 4)

H315 - Irritating to skin. (Skin corrosion/irritation, category 2)

H317 - May cause allergic skin reaction. (Sensitization, skin, category 1)

H320 - Irritating to eyes. (Eye damage/irritation, category 2B)

H332 - Harmful if inhaled. (Acute toxicity, inhalation, category 4)

H351 - This product is or contains a component that is classified (ACGIH, IARC, NTP, OSHA) as a suspect cancer hazard. (Carcinogenicity, category 2)

H360, H350 - California Proposition 65 Warning: This product contains a component (or components) that may cause cancer and genetic effects in a concentration greater than or equal to 0.1%.

H371 - May cause blood, kidney, and liver damage. (Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure) Category 2

**SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION** - continued**2.1 - GHS Label Elements** - continued**Precautionary Codes:**

P202 - This product should only be used by persons trained in the safe handling of hazardous chemicals.

P233 - Store in a tightly closed container. (P404)

P260 - Do not breathe dust.

P262 - Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing.

P264 - Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not take internally. Eye wash and safety equipment should be readily available.

P284 - Respiratory Protection: If workplace exposure limit(s) of product or any component is exceeded (see TLV/PEL), or a risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate, use of a NIOSH/MSHA approved air supplied respirator is advised. Use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN14387) respirator cartridges in absence of proper environmental control. Always use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU). Engineering and/or administrative controls should be implemented to reduce exposure.

P310 - Ingestion: Call a physician or poison control center immediately. If conscious, give water freely.

P338 - Eye contact: Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove and contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers.

P340 - Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

P360 - Skin contact: Immediately wash skin with soap and plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Wash clothing before reuse.

**2.2 - Other Hazards****2.2.1 - Symptom of Exposure Health/Environment**

Harmful.

May cause blood, kidney, and liver damage. (Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure) Category 2

May cause allergic skin reaction. (Sensitization, skin, category 1)

May cause eye damage.

**2.2.2 - Potential Health Effects**

Irritating to eyes. (Eye damage/irritation, category 2B)

Irritating to skin. (Skin corrosion/irritation, category 2)

May be harmful if absorbed through the skin. (Acute toxicity, dermal, category 5)

Irritating to mucous membrane and upper respiratory system.

Harmful if inhaled. (Acute toxicity, inhalation, category 4)

Harmful if swallowed. (Acute toxicity, oral, category 4)

**2.2.3 - Routes of Entry**

Inhalation, ingestion or skin contact.

**2.2.4 - Carcinogenicity**

California Proposition 65 cancer hazard.

California Proposition 65 Warning: This product contains a component (or components) that may cause cancer and genetic effects in a concentration greater than or equal to 0.1%.

This product is or contains a component that is classified (ACGIH, IARC, NTP, OSHA) as a suspect cancer hazard. (Carcinogenicity, category 2)

**SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION / ANALYTES DATA**

Description: 2,2',4,5',6-Pentabromobiphenyl

Synonyms: N/A

Molecular Weight: 548.69

Molecular Formula: C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>5</sub>Br<sub>5</sub>

Analyte	CAS Number	% Concentration	ACGIH -TLV (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )			OSHA -PEL (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )		
			TWA	STEL	Skin	TWA	STEL	Skin
2,2',4,5',6-Pentabromobiphenyl	59080-39-6	100.000						

**SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES****4.1 - First Aid Procedures - General**

Get medical assistance for all cases of overexposure.

**4.2 - Eye Contact**

Eye contact: Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove and contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. (P338)

**4.3 - Skin Contact**

Skin contact: Immediately wash skin with soap and plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Wash clothing before reuse. (P360)

**4.4 - Inhalation**

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention. (P340)

**4.5 - Ingestion**

Ingestion: Call a physician or poison control center immediately. If conscious, give water freely. (P310)

**SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES****5.1 - Flammable Properties**

During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

**5.2 - Extinguishing Media**

Use any extinguishing media suitable for adjacent material.

**5.3 - Protection of Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

Fire fighting equipment should be thoroughly cleaned and decontaminated after use.

**SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****6.1 - Spill Response**

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and appropriate Personal protection. Prevent contact with skin or eyes. Ventilate area. Avoid raising dust. Take up and containerize for proper disposal. Flush spill area with water. Comply with Federal, State, and local regulations.

**SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Store in a tightly closed container. (P404)

Store at controlled room temperature.

Do not breathe dust. (P260)

Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing. (P262)

"Empty" containers retain product residue and can be very dangerous.

This product should only be used by persons trained in the safe handling of hazardous chemicals. (P202)

**SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS****8.1 - Engineering Controls/PPE**

Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not take internally. Eye wash and safety equipment should be readily available. (P264)

**8.2 - General Hygiene Considerations**

Respiratory Protection: If workplace exposure limit(s) of product or any component is exceeded (see TLV/PEL), or a risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate, use of a NIOSH/MSHA approved air supplied respirator is advised. Use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN14387) respirator cartridges in absence of proper environmental control. Always use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU). Engineering and/or administrative controls should be implemented to reduce exposure.

Material must be handled or transferred in an approved fume hood or with equivalent ventilation.

Compatible chemical-resistant protective gloves must be worn to prevent skin contact. Inspect gloves prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique to avoid contact with product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash hands thoroughly and dry.

Safety glasses with side shields must be worn at all times.

Impervious protective clothing should be worn to prevent skin contact.

**SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance: White crystalline powder

Odor: N/A

Odor Threshold: N/A

pH: N/A

Melting Point: N/A

Boiling Point: N/A

Flash Point: None

Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate=1): N/A

Flammability Class: N/A

Lower Flammability Level: N/A

Upper Flammability Level: N/A

Vapor Pressure: N/A

Vapor Density (Air = 1): N/A

Specific Gravity: N/A

Solubility in Water: Insoluble

Partition Coefficient: N/A

Autoignition Temperature: N/A

**SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES** - continued

Decomposition Temperature: N/A

Viscosity: N/A

VOC Content: N/A

Percent Volatile: N/A

**SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Stability: Stable

Materials to Avoid: None indicated

Hazardous Decomposition: Oxides of carbon; Hydrogen bromide

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Condition to Avoid: None indicated

**SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Human Health Toxicity**

See section 2 for specific toxicological information for the ingredients of this product.

LD50 (Oral): N/A

LD50 (Dermal) : N/A

LC50 (Inhalation): N/A

Gastrointestinal absorption of PBBs varies according to the degree of bromination, the lower brominated compounds being more easily absorbed. Toxicology is affected by the number and position of the bromine atoms, as substitution in the ortho position hinders the rotation of the rings.

WARNING: This product contains chemical(s) known to the state of California to cause cancer and to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

No other information related to the toxicological properties of this product is available at this time.

**SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Environmental Toxicity**

By complying with sections 6 and 7 there should be no release to the environment.

LC50 (Fish): N/A

EC50 (Aquatic Invertebrate): N/A

BCF: N/A

All available data indicate that PBBs have a marked tendency to bioaccumulate and persist.

No other information related to the ecological properties of this product is available at this time.

**SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Recycle or incinerate at any EPA approved facility or dispose in compliance with Federal, State and local regulations. Empty containers must be triple-rinsed prior to disposal.

**SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Transportation Information (DOT/IATA)

UN Number: UN3152

**SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION** - continued

Class: 9

Packing Group: II

Proper Shipping Name: Polyhalogenated biphenyls, solid

Poison by Inhalation: No

Marine Pollutant: No

**SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

WARNING: This product contains chemical(s) known to the state of California to cause cancer and to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

The CAS number of this product is NOT listed on the TSCA Inventory.

This product is subject to SARA section 313 reporting requirements.

**For laboratory, research and development use only. Not for manufacturing or commercial purposes.**

In addition to federal and state regulations, local regulations may apply. Check with your local regulatory authorities.

**SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

This document has been designed to meet the requirements of OSHA, ANSI, GHS and CHIPs regulations. Chemicals are classified using the Globally Harmonized System for Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.

The statements contained herein are offered for informational purposes only and are based on technical data that we believe to be accurate. The manufacturer will not assume any liability for the accuracy and completeness of this information. Final determination of the suitability of the material is the responsibility of the user. Although certain hazards are described herein, the user should not presume that these are the only hazards that exist. Since conditions and manner of use are outside of the manufacturers control, we make

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**HMIS/NFPA HAZARD INDEX**

- 0 - Minimal
- 1 - Slight
- 2 - Moderate
- 3 - Serious
- 4 - Severe

\* - Additional Hazard

**GHS HAZARD INDEX**

- Category 1 - Most Severe
- Category 5 - Least Severe

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