

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Tetrahydrolinalool

CAS-No. : 78-69-3

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

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

Flammable liquids (Category 4), H227

Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 2), H401

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

#### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram none

Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H227 Combustible liquid.

H401 Toxic to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction.

P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

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 : 3,7-Dimethyl-3-octanol

Formula : C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O  
Molecular weight : 158.28 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 78-69-3  
EC-No. : 201-133-9

#### Hazardous components

| Component                     | Classification                               | Concentration |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------------|
| <b>3,7-Dimethyloctan-3-ol</b> |                                              |               |
|                               | Flam. Liq. 4; Aquatic Acute 2;<br>H227, H401 | <= 100 %      |

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## 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. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. 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

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## 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

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

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## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas. 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

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). 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 inhalation of vapour or mist.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

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.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Combustible liquids

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

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

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## 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

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

#### Personal protective equipment

##### Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 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.

##### Body Protection

impervious clothing, 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 respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) 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).

##### 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.

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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- |                    |                                    |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| a) Appearance      | Form: liquid<br>Colour: colourless |
| b) Odour           | No data available                  |
| c) Odour Threshold | No data available                  |

|                                                 |                                                     |
|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| d) pH                                           | No data available                                   |
| e) Melting point/freezing point                 | -22.99 °C (-9.38 °F) at 1,013 hPa (760 mmHg) - lit. |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | 71 - 73 °C (160 - 163 °F) at 8 hPa (6 mmHg)         |
| g) Flash point                                  | 76 °C (169 °F) - closed cup                         |
| h) Evaporation rate                             | No data available                                   |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available                                   |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available                                   |
| k) Vapour pressure                              | 0.111 hPa (0.083 mmHg) at 19.6 °C (67.3 °F)         |
| l) Vapour density                               | 5.46 - (Air = 1.0)                                  |
| m) Relative density                             | 0.827 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 25 °C (77 °F)            |
| n) Water solubility                             | 0.32 g/l at 25 °C (77 °F)                           |
| o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water       | log Pow: 3.3 at 20 °C (68 °F)                       |
| p) Auto-ignition temperature                    | 360 °C (680 °F) at 1,013 hPa (760 mmHg)             |
| q) Decomposition temperature                    | No data available                                   |
| r) Viscosity                                    | No data available                                   |
| s) Explosive properties                         | No data available                                   |
| t) Oxidizing properties                         | No data available                                   |

## 9.2 Other safety information

Relative vapour density 5.46 - (Air = 1.0)

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## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents, Acid chlorides, Acid anhydrides, Strong acids, Strong bases

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available  
In the event of fire: see section 5

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## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 8,270 mg/kg

LC0 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 8 h - 0.885 mg/l

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - > 5,000 mg/kg

No data available

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

No data available

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

No data available

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

No data available

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

Tests on bacterial or mammalian cell cultures did not show mutagenic effects.

S. typhimurium

Result: negative

**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 identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available

**Additional Information**

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - No observed adverse effect level - 160 mg/kg  
RTECS: RH0905000

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

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## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

|                                                     |                                                                                                                |
|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Toxicity to fish                                    | semi-static test LC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - 8.9 mg/l - 96 h<br>(OECD Test Guideline 203)                |
| Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates | Immobilization EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 14.2 mg/l - 48 h<br>(OECD Test Guideline 202)               |
| Toxicity to algae                                   | Growth inhibition EC50 - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - 13.2 mg/l - 72 h<br>(OECD Test Guideline 201) |

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability aerobic - Exposure time 28 d

Result: 60 - 70 % - Readily biodegradable  
(OECD Test Guideline 301)

**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

**12.4 Mobility in soil**

No data available

**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.  
Toxic to aquatic life.

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**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**13.1 Waste treatment methods**

**Product**

This combustible material may be burned in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**DOT (US)**

NA-Number: 1993      Class: NONE      Packing group: III  
Proper shipping name: Combustible liquid, n.o.s. (3,7-Dimethyloctan-3-ol)  
Reportable Quantity (RQ):

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

**IATA**

Not dangerous goods

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**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**

Fire Hazard

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

|                        | CAS-No. | Revision Date |
|------------------------|---------|---------------|
| 3,7-Dimethyloctan-3-ol | 78-69-3 |               |

**New Jersey Right To Know Components**

|                        | CAS-No. | Revision Date |
|------------------------|---------|---------------|
| 3,7-Dimethyloctan-3-ol | 78-69-3 |               |

**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.

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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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

|               |                        |
|---------------|------------------------|
| Aquatic Acute | Acute aquatic toxicity |
| Flam. Liq.    | Flammable liquids      |
| H227          | Combustible liquid.    |
| H401          | Toxic to aquatic life. |

### HMIS Rating

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Health hazard:         | 0 |
| Chronic Health Hazard: |   |
| Flammability:          | 2 |
| Physical Hazard        | 0 |

### NFPA Rating

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| Health hazard:     | 0 |
| Fire Hazard:       | 2 |
| Reactivity Hazard: | 0 |

### Further information

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