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## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### 1.1. Product identifier

**Product Description:** Methyl 4-(chloroformyl)butyrate  
**Cat No. :** 126540000; 126540050; 126540100; 126540250; 126540500  
**Synonyms** Methyl glutaryl chloride  
**CAS-No** 1501-26-4  
**EC-No.** 216-115-6  
**Molecular Formula** C6 H9 Cl O3

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

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals  
**Uses advised against** No Information available

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

**Company** Acros Organics BVBA  
Janssen Pharmaceuticaaan 3a  
2440 Geel, Belgium  
**E-mail address** begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

For information **US** call: 001-800-ACROS-01 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11  
Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99  
**CHEMTREC** Tel. No.**US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

##### Physical hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

##### Health hazards

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Category 1 B

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

Category 1

##### Environmental hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

**Symbol(s)**

C - Corrosive

**R-phrases(s)**

R34 - Causes burns

For the full text of the R-phrases and H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

### 2.2. Label elements



Signal Word

Danger

**Hazard Statements**

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

**Precautionary Statements**

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician

P280 - Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection

**2.3. Other hazards**

No information available.

**SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Component	CAS-No	EC-No.	Weight %	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	DSD Classification - 67/548/EEC
Pentanoic acid, 5-chloro-5-oxo-, methyl ester	1501-26-4	EEC No. 216-115-6	>95	Skin Corr. 1B (H314) Eye Dam. 1 (H318)	C; R34

For the full text of the R-phrases and H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

**SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES****4.1. Description of first aid measures****General Advice**

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Eye Contact**

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Call a physician immediately.

**Ingestion**

Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Clean mouth with water. Call a physician immediately.

**Inhalation**

Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with a respiratory medical device.

**Protection of First-aiders**

Use personal protective equipment.

**4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

Causes burns by all exposure routes. . Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation.

**4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

**SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES****5.1. Extinguishing media****Suitable Extinguishing Media**

CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.

**Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

No information available.

**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Combustible material. Containers may explode when heated.

**Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors, Hydrogen chloride.

**5.3. Advice for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

**SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Use personal protective equipment. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

**6.2. Environmental precautions**

Should not be released into the environment.

**6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Remove all sources of ignition.

**6.4. Reference to other sections**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

**SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE****7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use only under a chemical fume hood. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not ingest. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

**7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Keep refrigerated. Store under an inert atmosphere.

**7.3. Specific end use(s)**

Use in laboratories

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Exposure limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

#### Biological limit values

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

#### Monitoring methods

BS EN 14042:2003 Title Identifier: Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents.

MDHS70 General methods for sampling airborne gases and vapours

**Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)** No information available.

<u>Route of exposure</u>	<b>Acute effects (local)</b>	<b>Acute effects (systemic)</b>	<b>Chronic effects (local)</b>	<b>Chronic effects (systemic)</b>
Oral Dermal Inhalation				

**Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)** No information available.

### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source.

#### Personal protective equipment

##### Eye Protection

Safety glasses with side-shields Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

##### Hand Protection

Protective gloves

<b>Glove material</b>	<b>Breakthrough time</b>	<b>Glove thickness</b>	<b>EU standard</b>	<b>Glove comments</b>
Natural rubber	See manufacturers recommendations	-	EN 374	(minimum requirement)
Nitrile rubber				
Neoprene				
PVC				

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatibility, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

##### Skin and body protection

Long sleeved clothing

##### Respiratory Protection

Wear a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved full-facepiece airline respirator in the positive pressure mode with emergency escape provisions.

To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained properly.

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**Large scale/emergency use** Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.  
**Recommended Filter type:** Organic gases and vapours filter, Type A, Brown, conforming to EN14387.

**Small scale/Laboratory use** Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.  
**Recommended half mask:-** Valve filtering: EN405 or Half mask: EN140 plus filter, EN 141  
 When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Appearance</b>	Colorless to yellow	
<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid.	
<b>Odor</b>	No information available	
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No data available	
<b>pH</b>	No information available.	
<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	No data available	
<b>Softening Point</b>	No data available	
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	110°C / 230°F	@ 17 mmHg
<b>Flash Point</b>	82°C / 179.6°F	<b>Method -</b> No information available.
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	No data available	
<b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>	Not applicable	Liquid
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	No data available.	
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	No information available.	
<b>Vapor Density</b>	5.68	(Air = 1.0)
<b>Specific Gravity / Density</b>	1.191	
<b>Bulk Density</b>	Not applicable	Liquid
<b>Water Solubility</b>	No information available.	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available.	
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>		
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Viscosity</b>	No data available	
<b>Explosive Properties</b>	No information available.	explosive air/vapour mixtures possible
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	No information available.	

### 9.2. Other information

**Molecular Formula** C6 H9 Cl O3  
**Molecular Weight** 164.59

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**10.1. Reactivity** None known, based on information available.

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### 10.2. Chemical stability

Moisture sensitive.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

#### **Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous Reactions**

No information available  
None under normal processing.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible products, Excess heat, Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition, Exposure to moist air or water.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong bases. Alcohols. Strong oxidizing agents.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors, Hydrogen chloride.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### **Product Information**

No acute toxicity information is available for this product

#### **(a) acute toxicity;**

**Oral**

No data available

**Dermal**

No data available

**Inhalation**

No data available

#### **(b) skin corrosion/irritation;**

Category 1 B

#### **(c) serious eye damage/irritation;**

No data available

#### **(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;**

**Respiratory**

No data available

**Skin**

No data available

#### **(e) germ cell mutagenicity;**

No data available

#### **(f) carcinogenicity;**

No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

#### **(g) reproductive toxicity;**

No data available

#### **(h) STOT-single exposure;**

No data available

#### **(i) STOT-repeated exposure;**

No data available

**Target Organs**

No information available.

#### **(j) aspiration hazard;**

No data available

#### **Other Adverse Effects**

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

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**Symptoms / effects,  
both acute and delayed**

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**SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****12.1. Toxicity****Ecotoxicity effects**

Do not empty into drains.

**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

No information available

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

No information available.

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

No information available.

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB  
assessment**

No data available for assessment

**12.6. Other adverse effects****Endocrine Disruptor Information  
Persistent Organic Pollutant  
Ozone Depletion Potential**

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

**SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****13.1. Waste treatment methods****Waste from Residues / Unused  
Products**

Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging**

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point..

**European Waste Catalogue (EWC)**

According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific.

**Other Information**

Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not dispose of waste into sewer. Large amounts will affect pH and harm aquatic organisms.

**SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION****IMDG/IMO****14.1. UN number**

UN3265

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

8

**14.4. Packing group**

II

**ADR****14.1. UN number**

UN3265

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

8

**14.4. Packing group**

II

**IATA****14.1. UN number**

UN3265

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

8

**14.4. Packing group**

II

**14.5. Environmental hazards**

No hazards identified

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**14.6. Special precautions for user** No special precautions required**14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable, packaged goods**SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION****15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****International Inventories** X = listed

Component	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	CHINA	AICS	KECL
Pentanoic acid, 5-chloro-5-oxo-, methyl ester	216-115-6	-		-	X	-	-	-	-	-	-

**National Regulations**

Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

**15.2. Chemical safety assessment**

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

**SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION****Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3**

R34 - Causes burns

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

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

**Legend****CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances**KECL** - Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances**WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit**ACGIH** - American Conference of Industrial Hygiene**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%**NOEC** - No Observed Effect Concentration**PBT** - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic**ADR** - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals**TWA** - Time Weighted Average**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer**PNEC** - Predicted No Effect Concentration**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water**vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative**ICAO/IATA** - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association**MARPOL** - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships**ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate**VOC** - Volatile Organic Compounds

**Key literature references and sources for data**

Suppliers safety data sheet,  
Chemadvisor - LOLI,  
Merck index,  
RTECS

**Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

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**This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006**

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