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#### 1 Identification

Product identifier

Product name: 4-(Difluoromethoxy)benzyl bromide

Stock number: B24052

**CAS Number:** 3447-53-8

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:

Alfa Aesar

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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)



**GHS05 Corrosion** 

Skin Corr. 1B H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage. Hazards not otherwise classified Lachrymator

Label elements

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

Hazard pictograms



GHS05

Signal word Danger

Hazard statements H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statements

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P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P309 IF exposed or if you feel unwell:
P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/...

WHMIS classification

D2B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects

E - Corrosive material



Classification system HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)

(Hazardous Materials Identification System)



Health (acute effects) = 3 Flammability = 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 CAS# Description: 3447-53-8 4-(Difluoromethoxy)benzyl bromide

# 4 First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

General information Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

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 immédiate 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 Causes severe skin burns.

Causes serious eye damage.

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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

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#### 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 Hydrogen fluoride (HF) Hydrogen bromide (HBr)

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: Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Use neutralizing agent.

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Prevention of secondary hazards: No special measures required.

Reference to other sections
See Section 7 for information on safe handling

Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

#### 7 Handling and storage

Handling Precautions for safe handling

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 strong bases.

Further information about storage conditions: Keep container tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

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: Not required.

Additional information: No data

Exposure controls

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 eves and stipe.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.

Breathing equipment:
Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.
Use suitable respiratory protective device in case of insufficient ventilation.

Protection of hands:

Impervious gloves

The sprotective 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.

Eye protection: Tightly sealed goggles Full face protection\_

**Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

#### 9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties General Information

Appearance: Form: Liquid Color: Colorless Odor **Pungent** Odor threshold: Not determined.

pH-value: Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range:

Not determined. Not determined

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Boiling point/Boiling range: Sublimation temperature / start:	64-66 °C (147-151 °F) (0.3mm Hg) Not determined	
Flash point: Flammability (solid, gaseous) Ignition temperature: Decomposition temperature: Auto igniting:	Not determined Not determined. Not determined Not determined Not determined.	
Danger of explosion: Explosion limits: Lower:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.  Not determined	

Upper: Not determined Vapor pressure: Density: Not determined Not determined Relative density Not determined. Vapor density Evaporation rate Solubility in / Miscibility with Not determined. Not determined.

Not miscible or difficult to mix Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.

Viscosity: dynamic: kinematic: Not determined. Not determined.

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

Hazardous decomposition products:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Hydrogen fluoride Hydrogen bromide

#### 11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity: Swallowing will lead to a strong corrosive effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach. LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data

Skin irritation or corrosion: Causes severe skin burns. Eye irritation or corrosion:

This product is a lachrymator.
Causes serious eye damage.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.
Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known.

Carcinogenicity: No classification data on carcinogenic properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.

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.
Subacute to chronic toxicity: No effects known.
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.

Additional ecological information:

General notes: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Avoid transfer into the environment.

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 UN3265

UN proper shipping name

ĬMDG, IATA

Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s. (4-(Difluoromethoxy)benzyl bromide) CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (4-(Difluoromethoxy)benzyl bromide)

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# Product name: 4-(Difluoromethoxy)benzyl bromide (Contd. of page 3) Transport hazard class(es) DOT Class 8 Corrosive substances. Label (C3) Corrosive substances Class IMDG, IATA Class 8 Corrosive substances. Label Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA Environmental hazards: Not applicable. Special precautions for user Warning: Corrosive substances EMS Number: F-A,S-B Segregation groups Acids Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

No

UN3265, Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s. (4-(Difluoromethoxy)benzyl

## 15 Regulatory information

Marine Pollutant (DOT):

UN "Model Regulation":

Transport/Additional information:

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) Hazard pictograms



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This product is not listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory. Use of this product is restricted to research and development only. This product must be used by or directly under the supervision of a technically qualified individual as defined by TSCA. This product must not be used for commercial purposes or in formulations for commercial purposes. SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings) Substance is not listed. California Proposition 65

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

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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.
Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.
Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals.
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. market and use must be observed.

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.

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.

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RID: Reglement 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
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
UPWB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)