## Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification of the substance Identification of the substance		
Identification of the substance	L-2-Hydroxybutyric acid	
Additional identification	(S)-alpha-Hydroxybutyric acid	
Biosynth catalog no.	H-3956	
REACH No.	A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its uses are exempted from registration, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.	
Use of the substance/pre	eparation	
Identified uses	basic Intermediates	
Restriction on use	not for food or drug use, for laboratory use only	
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## 2 Hazards identification

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Additional Information

Caution! To the best of our knowledge the toxicological properties of this material have not been thoroughly investigated.

## 3 Composition/information on ingredients

Substance related information	
L-2-Hydroxybutyric acid	
(S)-alpha-Hydroxybutyric acid	
[3347-90-8]	
$C_4H_8O_3$	

## 4 First aid measures

## First Aid: Eye

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart. Consult an ophthalmologist.

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#### First Aid: Skin

Wash immediately with plenty of water and soap for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash contaminated clothes before reuse. Call a physician.

#### First Aid: Ingestion

Wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician.

#### **First Aid: Inhalation**

Remove casualty to fresh air and keep warm and atrest. If breathing is irregular or stopped, administerartificial respiration. Call a physician.

#### **Hints for Physician: Treatment**

Treat symptomatically.

#### 5 Firefighting measures

#### **Extinguishing Media**

#### Suitable

foam, dry extinguishing powder, carbon dioxide (CO2), water spray jet

#### **Hazards During Fire-Fighting**

toxic fumes

#### **Protective Equipment for Fire-Fighting**

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

#### **Fire-Fighting/Further Advice**

Do not inhale explosion and combustion gases. Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains. Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area if it can be done safely.

## 6 Accidental release measures

#### **Personal Precautions**

Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dusts/aerosols. Provide adequate ventilation.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil. Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Ensure all waste water is collected and treated via a waste water treatment plant.

## Methods for Cleaning or Taking Up

not available

#### **Further Accidental Release Measures**

Collect in closed and suitable containers for disposal. Clear contaminated areas thoroughly. Ventilate affected area.

## 7 Handling and storage

#### Handling

## Handling advice

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash thoroughly after handling.

#### Storage

## 8 Exposure controles/personal protection

### **Exposure controles**

#### Industrial Hygiene

Mechanical exhaust required. Safety shower and eye shower.

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## **Personal Protective Equipment**

**Respiratory Protection** 

Wear NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator.

#### Hand Protection

Wear compatible chemical-resistant gloves to prevent skin exposure.

#### **Eye Protection**

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA.

#### **Body Protection**

Wear compatible chemical-resistant gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

#### Advice on Safe Handling

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent exposure.

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## 9 Physical and chemical properties

Form powder

Molar Mass 104,11 g/mol

#### **10 Stability and reactivity**

**Conditions to Avoid** incompatible materials

Substances to Avoid strong oxidizers

#### **Decomposition Products**

carbon dioxide (CO2), carbon monoxide

## **11** Toxicological information

**Other Relevant Toxicity Information** We are not aware of any toxicology data.

#### **12 Ecological Information**

**Biodegradation** no data available

#### **Bioaccumulation** no data available

**Distribution in Environment** no data available

## 13 Disposal considerations

## Advice on Disposal and Packaging

Advice on Disposal Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in achemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and, Dispose of waste according to laws applicable.

Advice on Packaging not available

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# 14 Transport information

Road Transport (ADR/GGVS) not regulated

Air Transport (IATA) not regulated

## **15 Other regulations**

**Other Regulations** 

not available

## **16 Additional information**

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