# SIGMA-ALDRICH

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : 2-Chlorobutyric acid

Product Number : 24008 Brand : Aldrich

Company : Sigma-Aldrich

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### 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula :  $C_4H_7CIO_2$ Molecular Weight : 122.55 g/mol

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
2-Chlorobutyric a	cid		
4170-24-5	224-029-5	-	-

### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### **Emergency Overview**

**OSHA Hazards** 

Corrosive

Other hazards which do not result in classification

Lachrymator.

**HMIS Classification** 

Health Hazard: 3 Flammability: 0 Physical hazards: 0

**NFPA Rating** 

Health Hazard: 3 Fire: 0 Reactivity Hazard: 0

**Potential Health Effects** 

**Inhalation** May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the

mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

**Skin** May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.

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**Eyes** Causes eye burns.

**Ingestion** May be harmful if swallowed. Causes burns.

### 4. 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

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital. Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

### **5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

### Flammable properties

Flash point no data available Ignition temperature no data available

### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

### Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

### **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

### Personal precautions

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

### **Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

# Methods for cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Handling

Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

### Storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### Personal protective equipment

### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multipurpose 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).

### Hand protection

Handle with gloves.

# **Eye protection**

Safety glasses

### Skin and body protection

Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

# Hygiene measures

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

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### **Appearance**

Form clear, liquid Colour colourless

# Safety data

pH no data available

Melting point no data available

Boiling point 90 - 92 °C (194 - 198 °F) at 16 hPa (12 mmHg)

Flash point no data available Ignition temperature no data available Lower explosion limit no data available Upper explosion limit no data available

Density 1.19 g/mL at 20 °C (68 °F)

Water solubility no data available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

# Storage stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Acute toxicity**

no data available

#### Irritation and corrosion

no data available

#### Sensitisation

no data available

### Chronic exposure

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.

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### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Elimination information (persistence and degradability)

no data available

### **Ecotoxicity effects**

no data available

# Further information on ecology

no data available

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **Product**

Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

UN-Number: 3265 Class: 8 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s. (2-Chlorobutyric acid)

Marine pollutant: No

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN-Number: 3265 Class: 8 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-A, S-B Proper shipping name: CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (2-Chlorobutyric acid)

Marine pollutant: No

**IATA** 

UN-Number: 3265 Class: 8 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic n.o.s. (2-Chlorobutyric acid)

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **OSHA Hazards**

Corrosive

#### **DSL Status**

This product contains the following components that are not on the Canadian DSL nor NDSL lists.

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### **SARA 302 Components**

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

### **SARA 313 Components**

SARA 313: 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

Acute Health Hazard

### **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

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

### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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### **New Jersey Right To Know Components**

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### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

### **Further information**

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