

## Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH)  
Classifications according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.  
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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### 1.1. Product name:

Benz[a]anthracene

### 1.1. Catalog No.:

681139

### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture

Identified: Laboratory chemical  
uses: R&D

### 1.3. Uses advised against:

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### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture  
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008  
Flammable liquids (Category 2), H225  
Skin irritation (Category 2), H315  
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Central nervous system, H336  
Aspiration hazard (Category 1), H304  
Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H400  
Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H410

### 2.2. Label elements

#### 2.2.1. Pictogram



#### 2.2.2.

Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)  
H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.  
H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.  
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.  
Precautionary statement(s)  
P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.  
P261 Avoid breathing vapours.  
P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
P301 + P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.  
P331 Do NOT induce vomiting.  
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.  
Supplemental Hazard Statements  
none  
2.3 Other hazards - none

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances  
Formula : C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>12</sub>  
Molecular Weight : 84,16 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 110-82-7  
EC-No. : 203-806-2  
Index-No. : 601-017-00-1  
Registration number : 01-2119463273-41-XXXX  
Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008  
Component Classification Concentration  
Cyclohexane  
CAS-No.  
EC-No.  
Index-No.  
110-82-7  
203-806-2  
601-017-00-1  
Flam. Liq. 2; Skin Irrit. 2;  
STOT SE 3; Asp. Tox. 1;  
Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic  
Chronic 1; H225, H304, H315,  
H336, H410  
≤ 100 %  
Hazardous ingredients according to Directive 1999/45/EC  
Component Classification Concentration  
Cyclohexane  
CAS-No.  
EC-No.  
Index-No.  
110-82-7  
203-806-2  
601-017-00-1  
F, Xn, N, R11 - R20 - R38 -  
R65 - R67 - R50/53  
≤ 100 %

#### 3.1.1. Formula

C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>12</sub>

### 3.1.2. Molecular Weight (g/mol)

228.29

### 3.1.3. CAS-No.

56-55-3

## 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.

#### 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

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.

### 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

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING 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 fire fighting if necessary.

### 5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

**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).

**6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

## **7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

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

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

Store in cool place. 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.

Store under inert gas.

**7.3 Specific end uses**

no data available

## **8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**8.1 Control parameters**

Components with workplace control parameters

**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

Face shield and safety glasses 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.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective 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).

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- a) Appearance Form: liquid  
Colour: colourless
  - b) Odour no data available
  - c) Odour Threshold no data available
  - d) pH no data available
  - e) Melting point/freezing point  
Melting point/range: 4 - 7 °C - lit.
  - f) Initial boiling point and boiling range  
80,7 °C - lit.
  - g) Flash point -18,0 °C - closed cup
  - h) Evaporation rate no data available
  - i) Flammability (solid, gas) no data available
  - j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits  
Upper explosion limit: 9 %(V)  
Lower explosion limit: 1 %(V)
  - k) Vapour pressure 225,0 hPa at 37,7 °C  
102,7 hPa at 20,0 °C
  - l) Vapour density no data available
  - m) Relative density 0,779 g/cm<sup>3</sup> at 25 °C
  - n) Water solubility no data available
  - o) Partition coefficient: noctanol/water  
log Pow: 3,44
  - p) Auto-ignition temperature  
260,0 °C
  - 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
- no data available

## 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. Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.
- 10.5 Incompatible materials  
Strong oxidizing agents
- 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products  
Other decomposition products - no data available  
In the event of fire: see section 5

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity  
LD50 Oral - rat - 12.705 mg/kg  
LC50 Inhalation - rat - 4 h - 34.000 mg/l  
(OECD Test Guideline 403)  
LD50 Dermal - rabbit - > 2.000 mg/kg  
Skin corrosion/irritation  
Skin - rabbit  
Result: No skin irritation  
Remarks: Classified according to Regulation (EU) 1272/2008, Annex VI (Table 3.1/3.2)  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation  
Eyes - rabbit  
Result: Mild eye irritation  
Respiratory or skin sensitisation  
no data available  
Germ cell mutagenicity  
no data available  
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.  
Reproductive toxicity  
no data available  
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure  
May cause drowsiness or dizziness.  
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure  
no data available  
Aspiration hazard  
May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.  
Additional Information  
RTECS: GU6300000  
Central nervous system depression, Drowsiness, Irritability, Dizziness, Gastrointestinal disturbance, Lung irritation, chest pain, pulmonary edema

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity  
no data available  
12.2 Persistence and degradability  
no data available  
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  
Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods  
Product  
Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.  
Contaminated packaging  
Dispose of as unused product.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN number  
ADR/RID: 1145 IMDG: 1145 IATA: 1145  
14.2 UN proper shipping name  
ADR/RID: CYCLOHEXANE, SOLUTION  
IMDG: CYCLOHEXANE, SOLUTION  
IATA: Cyclohexane, SOLUTION  
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)  
ADR/RID: 3 IMDG: 3 IATA: 3  
14.4 Packaging group  
ADR/RID: II IMDG: II IATA: II  
14.5 Environmental hazards  
ADR/RID: no IMDG Marine pollutant: no IATA: no  
14.6 Special precautions for user  
no data available

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.  
15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture  
no data available  
15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment  
For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide.  
The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. For lab use only!