

Material Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1. ----- CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION-----

CATALOG #: 1700-9-12

NAME: 4-BROMO-1,2-DIMETHYLBENZENE

SYNONYM: 4-BROMO-o-XYLENE * 4-BROMO-ortho-XYLENE

SECTION 2. ---- COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS -----

CAS #: 583-71-1 MF: C₈H₉Br = 185.06

SECTION 3. ----- HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION -----

LABEL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

IRRITANT.

IRRITATING TO EYES, RESPIRATORY SYSTEM AND SKIN.

HARMFUL.

HARMFUL BY INGESTION.

COMBUSTIBLE.

SEE SECTION 11 FOR MORE INFORMATION.

SECTION 4. ----- FIRST-AID MEASURES-----

RESPIRATORY EXPOSURE

IF BREATHED IN, MOVE PERSON INTO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

DERMAL EXPOSURE

WASH OFF WITH SOAP AND PLENTY OF WATER. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

EYE EXPOSURE

RINSE THOROUGHLY WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES AND CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

ORAL EXPOSURE

NEVER GIVE ANYTHING BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON. RINSE MOUTH WITH WATER. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

SECTION 5. ----- FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES -----

FLASH POINT

80 °C / 176 °F METHOD: CLOSED CUP

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.

SECTION 6. ----- ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES-----

PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED IN CASE OF LEAK OR SPILL EVACUATE AREA.

PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)

WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS, RUBBER BOOTS, AND HEAVY RUBBER GLOVES. AVOID BREATHING VAPORS, MIST OR GAS. ENSURE ADEQUATE VENTILATION.

METHODS FOR CLEANING UP

ABSORB ON SAND OR VERMICULITE AND PLACE IN CLOSED CONTAINERS FOR DISPOSAL. VENTILATE AREA AND WASH SPILL SITE AFTER MATERIAL PICKUP IS COMPLETE.

SECTION 7. ----- HANDLING AND STORAGE-----

HANDLING

AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. AVOID INHALATION OF VAPOR OR MIST. KEEP AWAY FROM SOURCES OF IGNITION - NO SMOKING. TAKE MEASURES TO PREVENT THE BUILD UP OF ELECTROSTATIC CHARGE.

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.

SECTION 8. - - - - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION - - - -

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

SAFETY SHOWER AND EYE BATH. MECHANICAL EXHAUST REQUIRED.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EOUIPMENT

OTHER: WEAR APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT APPROVED RESPIRATOR, CHEMICAL-RESISTANT GLOVES, SAFETY GOGGLES, OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING.

GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES

WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING. WASH CONTAMINATED CLOTHING BEFORE REUSE.

SECTION 9. ----- PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES -----

APPEARANCE AND ODOR

LIQUID

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

BOILING POINT: 215 °C

FLASH POINT: 80 °C / 176 °F METHOD: CLOSED CUP

DENSITY: 1.37 g/cm³ @ 25 °C

REFRACTIVE INDEX: 1.555

SECTION 10. -----STABILITY AND REACTIVITY -----

STABILITY

MATERIALS TO AVOID: STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS, STRONG BASES.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

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SECTION 11. ----- TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION -----

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

INHALATION

MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. CAUSES RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. SKIN

MAY BE HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION. EYES

CAUSES EYE IRRITATION.

INGESTION

TOXIC IF SWALLOWED.

SECTION 12. ----- ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION -----

VERY TOXIC TO AQUATIC ORGANISMS, MAY CAUSE LONG-TERM ADVERSE EFFECTS IN THE AQUATIC ENVIRONMENT.

SECTION 13. ----- DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS -----

APPROPRIATE METHOD OF DISPOSAL OF SUBSTANCE OR PREPARATION DISSOLVE OR MIX THE MATERIAL WITH A COMBUSTIBLE SOLVENT AND BURN IN A CHEMICAL INCINERATOR EQUIPPED WITH AN AFTERBURNER AND SCRUBBER. OBSERVE ALL FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS.

SECTION 14. ----- TRANSPORT INFORMATION -----

DOT

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID

UN#: NA1993

HAZARD LABEL: COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID

SECTION 15. ----- REGULATORY INFORMATION -----

EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION

SYMBOL OF DANGER: Xn, N

INDICATION OF DANGER: HARMFUL. DANGEROUS FOR THE ENVIRONMENT.

R: 22

RISK STATEMENT: HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED

R: 36/37/38

RISK STATEMENTS: IRRITATING TO EYES, RESPIRATORY SYSTEM AND SKIN.

R: 50/53

RISK STATEMENTS: VERY TOXIC TO AQUATIC ORGANISMS, MAY CAUSE

LONG-TERM ADVERSE EFFECTS IN THE AQUATIC ENVIRONMENT

S: 26

SAFETY STATEMENT: IN CASE OF CONTACT WITH EYES, RINSE

IMMEDIATELY WITH PLENTY OF WATER AND SEEK MEDICAL ADVICE.

S: 60

SAFETY STATEMENT: THIS MATERIAL AND/OR ITS CONTAINER MUST BE DISPOSED OF AS HAZARDOUS WASTE

S: 61

SAFETY STATEMENT: AVOID RELEASE TO THE ENVIRONMENT.

US CLASSIFICATION AND LABEL TEXT

INDICATION OF DANGER: HARMFUL. DANGEROUS FOR THE ENVIRONMENT.

RISK STATEMENTS: HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. IRRITATING TO THE EYES RESPIRATORY

SYSTEM AND SKIN. HARMFUL TO THE ENVIRONMENT.

SAFETY STATEMENTS: IN CASE OF CONTACT WITH EYES, RINSE

IMMEDIATELY WITH PLENTY OF WATER AND SEEK MEDICAL ADVICE. WEAR

SUITABLE GLOVES AND EYE/FACE PROTECTION.

UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA LISTED: NO

SECTION 16. ----- OTHER INFORMATION-----

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