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1 Identification of substance:

Product details:

Product name: 2-Chloro-2-methylpropane

Stock number:

A13004 L08867

Manufacturer/Supplier:

Alfa Aesar, A Johnson Matthey Company Johnson Matthey Catalog Company, Inc. 30 Bond Street

Ward Hill, MA 01835-8099

Emergency Phone: (978) 521-6300 CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300

Web Site: www.alfa.com

Information Department: Health, Safety and Environmental Department

Emergency information:

During normal hours the Health, Safety and Environmental Department. After normal hours call

Chemtrec at (800) 424-9300.

2 Composition/Data on components:

Chemical characterization:

Description: (CAS#)

2-Chloro-2-methylpropane (CAS# 507-20-0); 100%

Identification number(s): **EINECS Number:** 208-066-4

3 Hazards identification

Hazard description:



F Highly flammable

Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment

R 11 Highly flammable.

Classification system

HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)

(Hazardous Materials Identification System)



Health (acute effects) = 1 Flammability = 4Reactivity = 1

GHS label elements



Danger

2.6/2 - Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

Prevention:

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

Keep container tightly closed.

Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/ equipment.

Use only non-sparking tools.

Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Response:

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

In case of fire: Use for extinction: CO2, powder or water spray.

Storage:

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

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4 First aid measures

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 immediate medical advice.

After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

After swallowing Seek immediate medical advice.

5 Fire fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing agents

In case of fire, use sand, carbon dioxide or powdered extinguishing agent. Never use water.

For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents Water

Special hazards caused by the material, its products of combustion or resulting gases:

In case of fire, the following can be released:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Hydrogen chloride (HCl)

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained respirator.

Wear fully protective impervious suit.

6 Accidental release measures

Person-related safety precautions:

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

Keep away from ignition sources

Measures for environmental protection:

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

Measures for cleaning/collecting:

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

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Do not flush with water or aqueous cleansing agents

Keep away from ignition sources.

Additional information:

See Section 7 for information on safe handling See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

Handling

Information 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:

Keep ignition sources away.

Protect against electrostatic charges.

Fumes can combine with air to form an explosive mixture.

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: Store in a cool location.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from oxidizing agents.

Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

8 Exposure controls and 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.

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: Not required. Additional information: No data

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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.

Breathing equipment:

Use suitable respiratory protective device in case of insufficient ventilation.

Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.

Protection of hands: Impervious gloves

Eye protection: Safety glasses

Body protection: Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties:

General Information	
Form:	Clear liquid
Color:	Colorless
Odor:	Mild
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	-26°C (-15°F)
Boiling point/Boiling range:	50-52°C (122-126°F)
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined
Flash point:	-27°C (-17°F)
Ignition temperature:	540°C (1004°F)
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined
Explosion limits:	
Lower:	1.8 Vol %
Upper:	10.1 Vol %
Vapor pressure at 20°C (68°F):	350 hPa (263 mm Hg)
Density at 20°C (68°F):	0.846 g/cm³
Solubility in / Miscibility with	
Water at 20°C (68°F):	3.4 g/l
Alcohols:	Highly soluble
Organic solvents:	Soluble in ether.
Viscosity:	
dynamic at 20°C (68°F):	0.51 mPas

10 Stability and reactivity

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

Materials to be avoided: Oxidizing agents

Dangerous reactions No dangerous reactions known

Dangerous products of decomposition:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Hydrogen chloride (HCl)

11 Toxicological information

Acute toxicity:

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

Oral LD50 2900 mg/kg (rat)

Primary irritant effect:

on the skin: Causes mild irritant effect.

on the eye: May cause irritation

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

Other information (about experimental toxicology):

Tumorigenic effects have been observed on tests with laboratory animals.

Additional toxicological information:

To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

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The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains tumorigenic and/or carcinogenic and/or neoplastic data for components in this product.

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

12 Ecological information:

General notes:

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

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

13 Disposal considerations

Product:

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

DOT regulations:



Hazard class: Identification number: UN1127

Packing group: II

Proper shipping name (technical name): CHLOROBUTANES .3

Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)



ADR/RID class: 3 (F1) Flammable liquids

Danger code (Kemler): 3.3 UN-Number: 1127 Packaging group: TT

Description of goods: 1127 CHLOROBUTANES

Maritime transport IMDG:



IMDG Class: 3 UN Number: 1127 Label 3 Packaging group: II

Proper shipping name: CHLOROBUTANES

Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:



TCAO/TATA Class: .3 UN/ID Number: 1127 Label 3 Packaging group: II

Proper shipping name: CHLOROBUTANES

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15 Regulations

Product related hazard informations:

Hazard symbols:

F Highly flammable

Risk phrases:

11 Highly flammable.

Safety phrases:

- 9 Keep container in a well-ventilated place.
- 16 Keep away from sources of ignition No smoking.
- 29 Do not empty into drains.
- 33 Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

National regulations

All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory.

All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL).

Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals.

16 Other information:

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

Department issuing MSDS: Health, Safety and Environmental Department.

Contact: Zachariah Holt

Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)

IATA-USK: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (International Civil Aviation Organization ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO) GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society) HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

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