# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : 2-Butanol

Product Number : 294810
Brand : Sigma-Aldrich
Index-No. : 603-127-00-5

CAS-No. : 78-92-2

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich

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SAINT LOUIS MO 63103

USA

Telephone : +1 800-325-5832 Fax : +1 800-325-5052

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +1-703-527-3887 (CHEMTREC)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

## GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable liquids (Category 3), H226 Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, Central nervous system, H335, H336

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H226
 H319
 H335
 H336
 Flammable liquid and vapour.
 Causes serious eye irritation.
 May cause respiratory irritation.
 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

P233 Keep container tightly closed.

P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment.

P242 Use only non-sparking tools.

P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

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P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray. Wash skin thoroughly after handling. P264 P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection. P280 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. P303 + P361 + P353 Rinse skin with water/shower. P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing, Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention. P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. P405 Store locked up. P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

May form explosive peroxides.

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

## 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : sec-Butyl alcohol

Hazardous components

Component	Classification	Concentration
Butan-2-ol		
	Flam. Liq. 3; Eye Irrit. 2A; STOT SE 3; H226, H319, H335, H336	90 - 100 %

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## 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. 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

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

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## 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

#### 5. FIREFIGHTING 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

No data available

## 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting 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 vapours, 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.

For personal protection see section 8.

## 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

## 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. For precautions see section 2.2.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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.

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control	Basis	
			parameters		
Butan-2-ol	78-92-2	TWA	100 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values	
				(TLV)	
	Remarks	Central Nervous System impairment			
		Upper Respiratory Tract irritation			
		TWA	100.000000	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values	
			ppm	(TLV)	
		Central Nervous System impairment			

Upper Respiratory Tract irritation			
TWA	150.000000 ppm 450.000000	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants	
	mg/m3		
The value in mg/m3 is approximate.			
TWA	100.000000 ppm	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits	
	305.000000 mg/m3		
ST	150.000000 ppm 455.000000 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits	
ST	150 ppm 455 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits	
TWA	100 ppm 305 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits	
TWA	150 ppm 450 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants	
The value in mg/m3 is approximate.			
PEL	100 ppm 305 mg/m3	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)	

## 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.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Camatril® (KCL 730 / Aldrich Z677442, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nature latex/chloroprene Minimum layer thickness: 0.6 mm Break through time: 30 min

Material tested:Lapren® (KCL 706 / Aldrich Z677558, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method:

EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

## **Body Protection**

Impervious clothing, 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.

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## 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).

## Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: liquid

b) Odourc) Odour Thresholdd) pHNo data availableNo data available

e) Melting point/freezing

point

Melting point/range: -115 °C (-175 °F) - lit.

f) Initial boiling point and boiling range

98 °C (208 °F) - lit.

g) Flash point

27 °C (81 °F) - closed cup

h) Evaporation rate No data availablei) Flammability (solid, gas) No data available

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits Upper explosion limit: 9.8 %(V) Lower explosion limit: 1.7 %(V)

Vapour pressure

15.3 hPa (11.5 mmHg) at 20 °C (68 °F) 24.4 hPa (18.3 mmHg) at 25 °C (77 °F)

I) Vapour density 2.56 - (Air = 1.0)

m) Relative density 0.808 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)

n) Water solubility soluble

o) Partition coefficient: noctanol/water log Pow: 0.146

p) Auto-ignition

No data available

temperature q) Decomposition

No data available

 d) Decomposition temperature

r) Viscosity No data available
 s) Explosive properties No data available
 t) Oxidizing properties No data available

9.2 Other safety information

Surface tension 23 mN/m at 20 °C (68 °F)

Relative vapour density 2.56 - (Air = 1.0)

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

# 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

## 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

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## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

## 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

## 10.5 Incompatible materials

acids, Acid chlorides, Acid anhydrides, Oxidizing agents, Halogens, Peroxides

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

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 - male and female - 2,193 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 423)

Inhalation: No data available

LD50 Dermal - Rat - male and female - > 2,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 402)

No data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation - 4 h (OECD Test Guideline 404)

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

## Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Maximisation Test - Guinea pig

Result: Does not cause skin sensitisation.

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

# Germ cell mutagenicity

Ames test S. typhimurium Result: negative

## 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.

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.

## Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - Rat - Inhalation

Effects on Fertility: Post-implantation mortality (e.g., dead and/or resorbed implants per total number of implants). Effects on Embryo or Fetus: Fetal death. Specific Developmental Abnormalities: Musculoskeletal system.

Developmental Toxicity - Rat - Inhalation

Effects on Embryo or Fetus: Fetotoxicity (except death, e.g., stunted fetus).

## Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

## Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

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# **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

## **Additional Information**

RTECS: EO1750000

Nausea, Dizziness, Headache, To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 3,670 mg/l - 96 h

static test LC50 - Leuciscus idus melanotus - 3,520 - 3,540 mg/l - 48 h

Toxicity to daphnia and

other aquatic invertebrates

EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 4,227 mg/l - 48 h

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability aerobic - Exposure time 5 d

Result: 86 % - Readily biodegradable.

## 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

No data available

# 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. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

## Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

UN number: 1120 Class: 3 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Butanols Reportable Quantity (RQ): Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG

UN number: 1120 Class: 3 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-E, S-D

Proper shipping name: BUTANOLS

**IATA** 

UN number: 1120 Class: 3 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Butanols

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## **SARA 302 Components**

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

## **SARA 313 Components**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

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## SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard

## **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

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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 defects, or any other reproductive harm.

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

## Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

Eye Irrit. Eye irritation Flam. Liq. Flammable liquids

H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.
 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.
 H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

STOT SE Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

## **HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 2
Chronic Health Hazard:
Flammability: 3
Physical Hazard 0

# **NFPA Rating**

Health hazard: 2
Fire Hazard: 3
Reactivity Hazard: 0

#### **Further information**

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