SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Butyraldehyde
Product Number : W221910
Brand : Aldrich
Index-No. : 605-006-00-2
CAS-No. : 123-72-8

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 Inc.
3050 SPRUCE ST
ST. LOUIS MO  63103
UNITED STATES
Telephone : +1 314 771-5765
Fax : +1 800 325-5052

1.4 Emergency telephone

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)
Flammable liquids (Category 2), H225
Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319
Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 3), H402

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 Danger
Hazard statement(s)
H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
H402 Harmful to aquatic life.

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.
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P273 Avoid release to the environment.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.
P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
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 extinguish.
P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances
Synonyms : Butanal

Formula : C₄H₈O
Molecular weight : 72.11 g/mol
CAS-No. : 123-72-8
EC-No. : 204-646-6
Index-No. : 605-006-00-2

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first-aid measures

General advice
Consult a physician. Show this material 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

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
No data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media
Dry powder Dry sand

Unsuitable extinguishing media
Do NOT use water jet.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
Carbon oxides

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.

SECTION 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 vapors accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapors 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. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

6.3 **Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**
Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).

6.4 **Reference to other sections**
For disposal see section 13.

**SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

7.1 **Precautions for safe handling**

**Advice on safe handling**
Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist.

**Advice on protection against fire and explosion**
Use explosion-proof equipment. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

**Hygiene measures**
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. For precautions see section 2.2.

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

**Storage conditions**
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.

**Storage stability**
Recommended storage temperature 2 - 8 °C
Stench. Dry residue is explosive.
Storage class (TRGS 510): 3: Flammable liquids

7.3 **Specific end use(s)**
Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

8.1 **Control parameters**

**Ingredients with workplace control parameters**
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<td>TWA</td>
<td>25 ppm 75 mg/m³</td>
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### 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.

Splash contact
Material: butyl-rubber
Minimum layer thickness: 0.3 mm
Break through time: 30 min
Material tested: Butoject® (KCL 897 / Aldrich Z677647, 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 EC 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.

**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).

**Control of environmental exposure**
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.
SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance  
   Form: clear, liquid  
   Color: colorless

b) Odor  
   Pungent

c) Odor Threshold  
   No data available

d) pH  
   6 - 7 at 71 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F)

e) Melting point/freezing point  
   Melting point/range: -96 °C (-141 °F) - lit.

f) Initial boiling point and boiling range  
   75 °C 167 °F - lit.

g) Flash point  
   < 10 °C (< 50 °F) - Pensky-Martens closed cup - ASTM D 93

h) Evaporation rate  
   No data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas)  
   No data available

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits  
   Upper explosion limit: 11.1 % (V)  
   Lower explosion limit: 1.7 % (V)

k) Vapor pressure  
   144 hPa at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 104

l) Vapor density  
   No data available

m) Relative density  
   0.81 at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 109

n) Water solubility  
   50 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 105 - completely soluble

o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water  
   log Pow: 1.3 at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 107 - Bioaccumulation is not expected.

p) Autoignition temperature  
   190 °C (374 °F) at 1,013 hPa - ASTM E-659

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

   Surface tension  
   70 mN/m at 1g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 115

SECTION 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
Vapors may form explosive mixture with air.

10.4 Conditions to avoid
Heat, flames and sparks.

10.5 Incompatible materials
Oxidizing agents, Strong bases, Strong reducing agents, Strong acids

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products
In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity
LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 5,890 mg/kg
(OECD Test Guideline 401)
LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - > 5.46 mg/l
(OECD Test Guideline 403)
Symptoms: Possible damages:, mucosal irritations, Lung edema, Symptoms may be delayed.
LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - 3,560 mg/kg
No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation
Skin - Rabbit
Result: No skin irritation - 4 h
(OECD Test Guideline 404)
Repeated or prolonged exposure may cause skin irritation and dermatitis, due to degreasing properties of the product.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Eyes - Rabbit
Result: Irritating to eyes. - 24 h
(Directive 67/548/EEC, Annex V, B.5.)

Respiratory or skin sensitization
Buehler Test - Guinea pig
Result: negative
(OECD Test Guideline 406)

Germ cell mutagenicity
Ames test
Salmonella typhimurium
Result: negative
Remarks:
(ECHA)

Mouse - Bone marrow
Result: positive
Remarks:
(ECHA)

Carcinogenicity

Aldrich - W221910
IARC: No ingredient 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 ingredient 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 on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

**Reproductive toxicity**
No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**
No data available
Acute inhalation toxicity - Possible damages: mucosal irritations, Lung edema, Symptoms may be delayed.

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**
No data available

**Aspiration hazard**
No data available

### 11.2 Additional Information
**RTECS:** ES2275000

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

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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**SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1 Toxicity

**Toxicity to fish**
static test LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 25.8 mg/l - 96 h (US-EPA)

**Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates**
static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 195 mg/l - 24 h (DIN 38412)

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

**Biodegradability**
aerobic - Exposure time 5 d
Result: 46 - 57 % - Readily biodegradable. (OECD Test Guideline 301C)

**Ratio BOD/ThBOD**
28 - 43 %

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No bioaccumulation is to be expected (log Pow ≤ 4).

#### 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
An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.
Harmful to aquatic life.
No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods
Product
Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable.

Contaminated packaging
Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US)
UN number: 1129  Class: 3  Packing group: II
Proper shipping name: Butyraldehyde
Reportable Quantity (RQ):
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG
UN number: 1129  Class: 3  Packing group: II EMS-No: F-E, S-D
Proper shipping name: BUTYRALDEHYDE

IATA
UN number: 1129  Class: 3  Packing group: II
Proper shipping name: Butyraldehyde

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

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components
butyraldehyde  CAS-No.  Revision Date
123-72-8        2007-03-01

SECTION 16: Other information

Further information
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