

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Naphthalene

Product Number : 147141 Brand : Aldrich

Index-No. : 601-052-00-2 CAS-No. : 91-20-3

# 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 Street ST. LOUIS MO 63103

UNITED STATES

Telephone : +1 314 771-5765 Fax : +1 800 325-5052

## 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +1-703-527-3887

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

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

Flammable solids (Category 2), H228 Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302 Carcinogenicity (Category 2), H351

Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 1), H400 Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard (Category 1), H410

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

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Hazard statement(s) H228 H302 H351 H410	Flammable solid. Harmful if swallowed. Suspected of causing cancer. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
Precautionary statement(s)	
P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.
P240	Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting equipment.
P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301 + P312 + P330	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.
P308 + P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
P370 + P378	In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.
P391	Collect spillage.
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 - none

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

# 3.1 Substances

Molecular weight : 128.17 g/mol CAS-No. : 91-20-3 EC-No. : 202-049-5 Index-No. : 601-052-00-2

Component	Classification	Concentration
Naphthalene		
	Flam. Sol. 2; Acute Tox. 4; Carc. 2; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1; H228, H302, H351, H400, H410	<= 100 %

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

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#### **SECTION 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

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### 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

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 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 dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

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.

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## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel. 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). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Contain spillage, pick up with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and transfer to a container for disposal according to local 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

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. 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. Storage class (TRGS 510): 4.1B: Flammable solid hazardous materials

## 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

Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Naphthalene	91-20-3	TWA	10 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Remarks	Hemolytic anemia Upper Respiratory Tract irritation Cataract Substances for which there is a Biological Exposure Index or Indices (see BEI® section) Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to humans Danger of cutaneous absorption		

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TWA	10 ppm 50 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
ST	15 ppm 75 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
TWA	10 ppm 50 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
The value in mg/m3 is approximate.		
PEL	0.1 ppm 0.5 mg/m3	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)
Skin	•	•

**Biological occupational exposure limits** 

Component	CAS-No.	Parameters	Value	Biological specimen	Basis
Naphthalene	91-20-3	1-Naphthol + 2- Naphthol			ACGIH - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI)
	Remarks	End of shift (As soon as possible after exposure ceases)			

## 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

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 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: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, 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

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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**

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 particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) 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: flakes, granules

Colour: white

b) Odour aromatic

c) Odour Threshold No data availabled) pH No data available

e) Melting point/range: 80 - 82 °C (176 - 180 °F) - lit.

point/freezing point

f) Initial boiling point 218 °C 424 °F - lit. and boiling range

g) Flash point 80.0 °C (176.0 °F) - closed cup

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

j) Upper/lower Upp flammability or Low explosive limits

er Upper explosion limit: 5.9 %(V) ty or Lower explosion limit: 0.9 %(V)

k) Vapour pressure 1.3 hPa at 53.0 °C (127.4 °F)

0.04 hPa at 25.0 °C(77.0 °F)

I) Vapour density No data available

m) Relative density 1.085 g/cm3 at 24.7 °C (76.5 °F)

n) Water solubility 0.0308 g/l at 25 °C (77 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 105 - slightly

soluble

o) Partition coefficient: log Pow: 3.4 at 25 °C (77 °F)

n-octanol/water

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p) Auto-ignition 526.0 °C (978.8 °F)

temperature

q) Decomposition No data available

temperature

r) Viscosity 1.05 mm2/s at 81.5 °C (178.7 °F) -

s) Explosive properties No data availablet) Oxidizing properties No data available

# 9.2 Other safety information

Surface tension 31.8 mN/m at 100.0 °C (212.0 °F)

# **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

No data available

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

# 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

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

## **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Mouse - male - 533 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 401)

LD50 Oral - Mouse - female - 710 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 401)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - > 0.4 mg/l

(OECD Test Guideline 403)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - 20,000 mg/kg

Remarks: (RTECS) No data available

# Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation - 24 h

Remarks: (ECHA)

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## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation - 24 h

Remarks: (ECHA)

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Maximisation Test - Guinea pig

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

## **Germ cell mutagenicity**

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

Chinese hamster ovary cells

Result: positive Ames test

Salmonella typhimurium

Result: negative

OECD Test Guideline 486 Rat - male - Liver cells

Result: negative

**US-EPA** 

Mouse - male and female - Bone marrow

Result: negative

(ECHA)

## Carcinogenicity

IARC: 2B - Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans (Naphthalene)

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.

(Naphthalene)

NTP: RAHC - Reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen (Naphthalene)

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. (Naphthalene)

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

# Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

# Aspiration hazard

No data available

# **Additional Information**

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - 91 Days - No observed adverse effect level - 200 mg/kg - Lowest observed adverse effect level - 400 mg/kg

Repeated dose toxicity - Mouse - male and female - Oral - 90 Days - No observed adverse effect level - 100 mg/kg

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Dermal - 90 Days - No observed adverse effect level - 1,000 mg/kg

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Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - inhalation (vapour) - 90 Days - No observed adverse effect level - 300 mg/kg

RTECS: QJ0525000

Absorption into the body leads to the formation of methemoglobin which in sufficient concentration causes cyanosis. Onset may be delayed 2 to 4 hours or longer., Naphthalene is retinotoxic and systemic absorption of its vapors above 15ppm, may result in:, cataracts, optic neuritis, corneal injury, Eye irritation, Ingestion may provoke the following symptoms:, hemolytic anemia, hemoglobinuria, Nausea, Headache, Vomiting, Gastrointestinal disturbance, Convulsions, anemia, Kidney injury may occur., Seizures., Coma.

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

Heart -

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

## 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish flow-through test LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 1.6

mg/l - 96 h

(OECD Test Guideline 203)

flow-through test LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) -

7.9 mg/l - 96 h

(OECD Test Guideline 203)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic

and other aquatic invertebrates

static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 2.16 mg/l - 48 h

(OECD Test Guideline 202)

Toxicity to algae static test EC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) -

2.96 mg/l - 4 h Remarks: (ECHA)

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability aerobic - Exposure time 28 d

Result: 2 % - Not readily biodegradable.

(OECD Test Guideline 302C)

Result: - Not readily eliminated from water.

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation Cyprinus carpio (Carp) - 56 d

at 25 °C(Naphthalene)

Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 36.5 - 168

(OECD Test Guideline 305)

Remarks: Bioaccumulation is unlikely.

## 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

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#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

# **SECTION 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.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

DOT (US)

UN number: 1334 Class: 4.1 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Naphthalene, refined

Reportable Quantity (RQ): 100 lbs

Marine pollutant: yesPoison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 1334 Class: 4.1 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-A, S-G

Proper shipping name: NAPHTHALENE, REFINED

Marine pollutant : yes

**IATA** 

UN number: 1334 Class: 4.1 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Naphthalene, refined

## **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, Chronic Health Hazard

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Massachusetts Right To Know Components		
Naphthalene	CAS-No. 91-20-3	Revision Date
Pennsylvania Right To Know Components		
Naphthalene	CAS-No. 91-20-3	Revision Date
New Jersey Right To Know Components		
Naphthalene	CAS-No. 91-20-3	Revision Date
California Prop. 65 Components		
WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer. Naphthalene	CAS-No. 91-20-3	Revision Date

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

#### **Further information**

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