

# 2-HYDROXY-6-METHYLBENZOIC ACID

SAFETY DATA SHEET (according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006/EC)

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## SECTION 1 - IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name: 2-Hydroxy-6-methylbenzoic acid Product Code: GEO-04151 CAS-No.: 567-61-3

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

Identified uses: Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3 Company Identification: Georganics Ltd., Koreničova 1, 811 03 Bratislava, Slovak Republic

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## **SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315 Eye irritation (Category 2), H319

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure(Category 3), H335

#### 2.2 Label elements

Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

**GHS pictogram:** H315 - Causes skin irritation.

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H313 - Causes skill iffitation.

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation. H335 - May cause respiratory irritation.

P261 - Avoid breathing vapours.

**Signal word:** P280 - Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing.

Warning P301 + P310 - IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

**2.3 Other hazards** None

## SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

## 3.1 Substances

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Synonyms	Formula	Molecular Weight	CAS#	EC-No.	
	C8H8O3	152,15g/mol	567-61-3	-	

Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component	Classification	Concentration			
2-Hydroxy-6-methylbenzoic acid					
CAS#: 567-61-3	H315, H319, H335	<= 100%			
EC-No: -					

#### **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.

**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. Take victim immediately to hospital. 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 - FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

**5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture -** During a fire, irritating and toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

**5.3 Advice for firefighters -** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin/eyes.

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#### SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures -** Wear protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep unprotected persons away. Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray. Wash spill site after material pickup is complete.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions -** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let this chemical enter the environment.
- **6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up** Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13. Ensure adequate ventilation
- **6.4 Reference to other sections -** See Section 7 for information on safe handling. See section 8 for information on personal protection equipment. See Section 13 for information on disposal.

#### **SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE**

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling -** Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities -** Store in a dry, cool and well ventilated place. Keep container closed when not in use. See Section 10 for stability and reactivity information.
- 7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available

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

# 8.1 Control parameters 8.2 Exposure controls

Engineering Controls:

Use process enclosure, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels.

Safety shower and eye bath.

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

**Eyes:** Wear chemical safety glasses.

**Skin:** Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Clothing: Wear appropriate protective work clothing.

Respirators: Use breathing protection with high concentrations.

#### **SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form: Powder **Flash Point:** Not available **Specific Gravity/Density:** Color: White to yellow Not available **Molecular Formula: Boiling Point:** Not available C8H8O3 Freezing/Melting Point: 170 - 171°C (lit.) Molecular Weight: 152.15

**9.2 Other safety information - Not available** 

# **SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

- **10.1 Reactivity -** No information known.
- **10.2 Chemical stability -** Stable under recommended storage conditions. Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.
- 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions Not available
- 10.4 Conditions to avoid Not available
- 10.5 Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents
- 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products Carbon oxides

## **SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity - No data

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification - No data

Skin irritation or corrosion - Causes skin irritation

**Eye irritation or corrosion** - Causes serious eye irritation.

Sensitization - No sensitizing effect known.

Germ cell mutagenicity - No data

**Carcinogenicity** - 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.

**Reproductive toxicity -** No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: May cause respiratory irritation.

Aspiration hazard - No effects known.

Subacute to chronic toxicity - No effects known.

**Additional toxicological information -** The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

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#### **SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

- 12.1 Toxicity No data available
- 12.2 Persistence and degradability No data available
- 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential No data available
- 12.4 Mobility in soil -No data available
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment** This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher
- 12.6 Other adverse effects No data available

#### **SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste. Must be specially treated under adherence to official regulations. Consult state, local or national regulations for proper disposal

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

# **SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**14.1 UN number:** ADR/RID: - IMDG: - IATA: -

14.2 UN proper shipping name: ADR/RID: Not dangerous good IMDG: Not dangerous good IATA: Not dangerous good 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: -

IMDG: -

IATA: -

14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: -

IMDG: -

IATA: -

14.5 Environmental hazards

# SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture -** This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.
- 15.2 Chemical safety assessment For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

# **SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

The information contained in the SDS are compiled according to the present knowledge of the manufacturer. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. SDS shall be used only as a guide. Georganics Ltd. is not liable for damages incurred in the handling or contact with chemicals.