

# SAFETY DATA SHEET 2-METHYL-1H-BENZIMIDAZOLE-5-CARBOXYLIC ACID

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| SECTION 1 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION |  |  |  |
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| SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION  |             |             |  |
|---|-------------|-------------|--|
| Hazard Symbol:  | Risk Phras  | ses:        |  |
|   | None listed | None listed |  |
| Not a dangerous substance according to Directive 67/548/EEC.<br>Not a dangerous substance according to GHS. |             |             |  |

The toxicological properties of this material have not been investigated. Use appropriate procedures to prevent opportunities for direct contact with the skin or eyes and to prevent inhalation.

| SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS |   |           |         |  |
|---|---|-----------|---------|--|
| CAS#  | Chemical Name                               | Assay (%) | EINECS# |  |
| 709-19-3  | 2-Methyl-1H-benzimidazole-5-carboxylic acid | 97+       | -       |  |

| SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES   |   |  |
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| Eyes: Rinse opened eye for at least 15 minutes under running water. Get medical aid.                                     |   |  |
| Skin: Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly. Get medical aid.  |   |  |
| Ingestion:   | Get medical aid. Wash mouth out with water. |  |
| Inhalation: Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If required, |   |  |
| provide artificial respiration. Get medical aid.   |   |  |

# **SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

| Suitable extinguishing agents | Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide or appropriate foam.       |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Protective equipment:         | Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin/eyes. |
| Unusual fire and explosions   | During a fire, irritating and toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. |
| hazards:                      |  |

|                                    | SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Person-related safety precautions: | Wear protective equipment as indicated in section 8. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust |
|                                    | formation. Avoid breathing dust. Wash spill site after material pickup is complete.          |
| Environmental precautions          | Should not be released into the environment.   |
| Additional information:            | 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 Handling: Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust, vapor, mist, or gas. Storage: Store in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container closed when not in use. See Section 10 for stability and reactivity information.

### **SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION Engineering Controls:** Use process enclosure, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels. Safety shower and eye bath. **Personal Protective Equipment** Wear chemical safety glasses. Eves: Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure. Skin: **Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective work clothing. Use breathing protection with high concentrations. **Respirators:**

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

Form: Color: **Boiling Point: Freezing/Melting Point:** Flash Point: Specific Gravity/Density: **Refractive Index: Molecular Formula:** Molecular Weight:

### SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

| Chemical Stability:                         | Stable under recommended temperatures and pressures. |
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| Incompatible Materials:                     | Strong oxidizing agents.                             |
| Conditions to avoid: Incompatible materials |  |
| Hazardous Decomposition Products:           | Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.                     |

Powder

Off-white

Not available

Not available

Not available

Not available

Not available

 $C_9H_8N_2O_2$ 

146,17

| SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION |   |  |
|--|---|--|
| Carcinogenicity:                       | There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product. No classification data on carcinogenic           |  |
|  | properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.                            |  |
| <b>Potential Health Effects:</b>       | Inhalation may cause respiratory irritation. May be harmful if inhaled, swallowed or absorbed through skin. |  |
| Other:                                 | The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.  |  |

# **SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Do not let product enter drains.

### SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in a manner consistent with federal, state, and local regulations.

| SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION |               |               |  |
|------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|--|
| IATA                               | IMO           | RID/ADR       |  |
| Not regulated                      | Not regulated | Not regulated |  |
|                                    |               |               |  |

### **SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**European/International Regulations** 

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

Hazard Symbols: Not a dangerous substance according to Directive 67/548/EEC. **Risk Phrases:** Safety Phrases: Canadian DSL/NDSL US Federal TSCA

Not a dangerous substance according to GHS. S 24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eves.

CAS# 709-19-3 is not listed on Canada's DSL or NDSL List.

CAS# 709-19-3 is not listed on the TSCA Inventory. It is for research and development use only.

### **SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION** WARRANTY

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.