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Material Safety Data Sheet

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24 Hour Emergency Telephone: 908-859-215

CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

National Response in Canada CANUTEC: 613-996-6666

Outside U.S. And Canada Chemtrec: 703-527-3887

NOTE: CHEMTREC, CANUTEC and National Response Center emergency numbers to be used only in the event of chemical emergencies involving a spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident involving chemicals.

All non-emergency questions should be directed to Customer Service (1-800-582-2537) for assistance.

ANISOLE

1. Product Identification

Synonyms: Methoxybenzene; phenyl methyl ether

CAS No.: 100-66-3

Molecular Weight: 108.14

Chemical Formula: C6H5OCH3

Product Codes: B469

2. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredient Hazardous	CAS No	Percent	
Anisole Yes	100-66-3	98 - 100%	

3. Hazards Identification

Emergency Overview

WARNING! HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED OR INHALED. MAY CAUSE IRRITATION TO SKIN, EYES, AND RESPIRATORY TRACT. FLAMMABLE LIQUID AND VAPOR.

J.T. Baker SAF-T-DATA(tm) Ratings (Provided here for your convenience)

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Health Rating: 1 - Slight

Flammability Rating: 2 - Moderate

Reactivity Rating: 1 - Slight Contact Rating: 1 - Slight

Lab Protective Equip: GOGGLES; LAB COAT; CLASS B EXTINGUISHER

Storage Color Code: Red (Flammable)

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation:

Mild irritant and intoxicant. Inhalation of appreciable amounts can cause coughing, possible inflammation of the nasal passages, dizziness and confusion.

Ingestion:

Moderately toxic in large amounts. May cause abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and possible liver or kidney involvement.

Skin Contact:

Mild irritant and defatting agent, capable of causing soreness and roughening of the skin.

Eye Contact:

Mild irritant, may cause tearing, pain and blurred vision.

Chronic Exposure:

No information found.

Aggravation of Pre-existing Conditions:

Persons with pre-existing skin disorders or eye problems or impaired liver or kidney function may be more susceptible to the effects of the substance.

4. First Aid Measures

Inhalation:

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician.

Ingestion:

Induce vomiting immediately as directed by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention.

Skin Contact:

Immediately flush skin with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention if irritation develops.

Eye Contact:

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally. Get medical attention immediately.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Fire:

Flash point: 52C (126F) CC

Autoignition temperature: 475C (887F)

Moderate fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame.

Explosion:

Above the flash point, explosive vapor-air mixtures may be formed. Sealed containers may rupture when heated. Sensitive to static discharge.

Fire Extinguishing Media:

Water spray, dry chemical, alcohol foam, or carbon dioxide.

Special Information:

In the event of a fire, wear full protective clothing and NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus with full facepiece operated in the pressure demand or other positive pressure mode.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Ventilate area of leak or spill. Remove all sources of ignition. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment as specified in Section 8. Isolate hazard area. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Contain and recover liquid when possible. Use non-sparking tools and equipment. Collect liquid in an appropriate container or absorb with an inert material (e. g., vermiculite, dry sand, earth), and place in a chemical waste container. Do not use combustible materials, such as saw dust. Do not flush to sewer! If a leak or spill has not ignited, use water spray to disperse the vapors, to protect personnel attempting to stop leak, and to flush spills away from exposures.

7. Handling and Storage

Protect against physical damage. Store in a cool, dry well-ventilated location, away from any area where the fire hazard may be acute. Outside or detached storage is preferred. Separate from incompatibles. Containers should be bonded and grounded for transfers to avoid static sparks. Storage and use areas should be No Smoking areas. Use non-sparking type tools and equipment, including explosion proof ventilation. Containers of this material may be hazardous when empty since they retain product residues (vapors, liquid); observe all warnings and precautions listed for the product.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Airborne Exposure Limits:

None established.

Ventilation System:

In general, dilution ventilation is a satisfactory health hazard control for this substance. However, if conditions of use create discomfort to the worker, a local exhaust system should be considered.

Personal Respirators (NIOSH Approved):

For conditions of use where exposure to the substance is apparent and engineering controls are not feasble, consult an industrial hygienist. For emergencies, or instances where the exposure levels are not known, use a full-facepiece positive-pressure, air-supplied respirator. WARNING: Air purifying respirators do not protect workers in oxygen-deficient atmospheres.

Skin Protection:

Wear protective gloves and clean body-covering clothing.

Eye Protection:

Use chemical safety goggles. Maintain eye wash fountain and quick-drench facilities in work area.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:

Clear, colorless liquid.

Odor:

Sweet anise-like odor.

Solubility:

Insoluble in water.

Specific Gravity:

1.0

pH:

No information found.

% Volatiles by volume @ 21C (70F):

100

Boiling Point:

156C (313F)

Melting Point:

-37C (-35F)

Vapor Density (Air=1):

3.72

Vapor Pressure (mm Hg):

10 @ 42C (108F)

Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1):

No information found.

10. Stability and Reactivity

Stability:

Stable under ordinary conditions of use and storage.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

Carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide may form when heated to decomposition.

Hazardous Polymerization:

No information found.

Incompatibilities:

Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, formaldehyde.

Conditions to Avoid:

Heat, flames, ignition sources and incompatibles.

11. Toxicological Information

Oral rat LD50: 3700 mg/kg; Inhalation rat LC50: >5000 mg/m3; irritation: skin rabbit: 500 mg/24H moderate; investigated as a mutagen.

12. Ecological Information

Environmental Fate:

No information found.

Environmental Toxicity:

No information found.

13. Disposal Considerations

Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be handled as hazardous waste and sent to a RCRA approved incinerator or disposed in a RCRA approved waste facility. Processing, use or contamination of this product may change the waste management options. State and local disposal regulations may differ from federal disposal regulations. Dispose of container and unused contents in accordance with federal, state and local requirements.

14. Transport Information

Domestic (Land, D.O.T.)

Proper Shipping Name: ANISOLE

Hazard Class: 3 UN/NA: UN2222 Packing Group: III

Information reported for product/size: 18L

International (Water, I.M.O.)

Proper Shipping Name: ANISOLE

Hazard Class: 3 UN/NA: UN2222 Packing Group: III

Information reported for product/size: 18L

International (Air, I.C.A.O.)

Proper Shipping Name: ANISOLE

Hazard Class: 3 UN/NA: UN2222 Packing Group: III

Information reported for product/size: 18L

15. Regulatory Information

\Chemical Inventory Status - Part 1\				
Ingredient Australia	TSCA	EC Japan		
Anisole (100-66-3) Yes	Yes	Yes Yes		
\Chemical Inventory Status - Part 2\				
Ingredient Phil.	Korea	Canada DSL NDSL		
 Anisole (100-66-3) Yes	Yes	Yes No		
\Federal, State & International Regulations - Part 1\				
	A 302-	SARA		
Ingredient RQ Chemical Catg.	TPQ	List		
	No	No		
\Federal, State & International Regulati	lons - I	Part 2\		

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TSCA- Ingredient		CERCLA	261.33	8(d)
Anisole (100-66-3)		No	No	No
Chemical Weapons Convention: SARA 311/312: Acute: Yes	No TSCA 12 Chronic: No	(b): No Fire: Yes	CDTA: No	

Australian Hazchem Code: 3Y **Poison Schedule:** None allocated.

Reactivity: No (Pure / Liquid)

WHMIS:

This MSDS has been prepared according to the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

16. Other Information

NFPA Ratings: Health: 1 Flammability: 2 Reactivity: 0

Label Hazard Warning:

WARNING! HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED OR INHALED. MAY CAUSE IRRITATION TO SKIN, EYES, AND RESPIRATORY TRACT. FLAMMABLE LIQUID AND VAPOR.

Label Precautions:

Avoid breathing vapor.

Keep container closed.

Use with adequate ventilation.

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Keep away from heat, sparks and flame.

Label First Aid:

If swallowed, induce vomiting immediately as directed by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Get medical attention for any breathing difficulty. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

Product Use:

Laboratory Reagent.

Revision Information:

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