ScholAR Chemistry

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION	II NAME	24 HOUR EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE	;
Product	n-Butyric Acid	416-984-3000 2 Health 3	1
Chemical Synonyms	Butanoic Acid	NFPA 3 0 Flammability 2	
Cynonymo		Reactivity 0	1
Formula	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₂ COOH	HAZARD RATING WHMIS	
CAS No.	107-92-6	Minimal Slight Moderate Serious Severe 0 1 2 3 4	

Name	%	TLV Units
Butyric Acid	100%	N/A
WARNING! CORROSIVE! COMBUSTIBLE!		

SECTION	III	PHYSICAL I	DATA				
Melting Point	(°C)	-5.2°C	Specific Gravity (H ₂ O =	1) 0.9	59 @ 20°C		
Boiling Point (°C)		163.5°C	Percent Volatile by Volume (%)	100	1%		
Vapor Pressui	re (mm Hg)	0.43 mm @ 20°C	Evaporation Rate (Butyl acetate =1)	0.00	6		
Vapor Density (Air=1)		3.04					
Solubility in W	ater	Completely.					
Appearance & Odor		Clear liquid; penetrating and obnoxious odor.					
SECTION	IV	FIRE AND E	EXPLOSION HAZARE	DATA			
			Flammable Limits in Air	Lower	Upper		
Flash point			% by Volume	2%	10%		

Use dry chemical, CO₂, alcohol foam, or water spray. In fire conditions, fire-fighters should wear an appropriate mask or a self-containing breathing apparatus.

Flammability and Explosion Hazards

Firefighting Procedures

Product is combustible. Fire or excessive heat may produce hazardous decomposition products to be produced as dust or fume.

Auto-ignition temperature: 443°C

TDG	Class	8	Corrosive	liquid.	UN2820	
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SECTION V	REACTIVITY DATA	3B0255					
Chemical	Yes X If no. under what conditions?	45					
Stability	No						
Incompatible with Other products	Yes X No May react or be incompatible with oxidizing materials, alkalies.						
Hazardous Decomposition Products	These products are carbon oxides. The products of degradation are less toxic than the product itself.						
Reactive under what conditions	No additional information.						
SECTION VI	TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES						
Route of Entry	Ingestion. Inhalation.						
TLV	N/A						
Toxicity for animals	N/A						
Chronic effects on humans	Repeated or prolonged contact with spray mist may produce chronic eye irritation and severe skin irritation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to spray mist may produce respiratory tract irritation leading to frequent attacks of bronchial infection. Target organs: Respiratory system, skin, eyes.						
Acute effects on humans	Corrosive to the skin and eyes. Liquid or mist may cause tissue damage, partic membranes of the eyes, mouth and respiratory tract. Contact with the skin may blisters.						
SECTION VII	PREVENTIVE MEASURES						
Waste Disposal	Discharge, treatment, or disposal may be subject to local laws. Consult your local or regional authorities.						
Storage	Keep in a cool place. Ground all equipment containing material. Corrosive mai be stored in a separate safety storage cabinet or room.	terials should					
Precautions	Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Do not breathe gas vapor or spray. Never add water to this product.	s, fumes,					
Spill or leak	or leak Dilute with water and mop up, or absorb with an inert DRY material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container.						
Protective Clothing	Splash goggles. Full suit. Vapor respirator. Gloves. Boots.						
SECTION VIII Specific first aid measures	FIRST AID MEASURES Ingestion: Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting	ng only if					
	advised by the appropriate medical personnel. Eye contact: Check for and rem contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with running water for at least 15 minute eyelids open. Seek medical attention. Skin contact: Gently and thoroughly wa contaminated skin with running water and non-abrasive soap. Inhalation: Move fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give	nove any es, keeping sh the e victim to oxygen.					
	Allow victim to rest in a well ventilated area. Seek immediate medical attention.						
SECTION IX	Allow victim to rest in a well ventilated area. Seek immediate medical attention. PREPARATION OF THE MSDS						