

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name	Gallic acid monohydrate
CAS number	5995-86-8
Synonyms	3, 4, 5- Trihydroxybenzoic acid monohydrate

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

Identified uses	Laboratory chemicals
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#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	Lab Alley, LLC 12501 Pauls Valley Road Austin, Texas 78737 U.S.A.
Telephone	512-668-9918
Fax	512-886-4008

#### 1.4 Emergency telephone

Emergency Phone #	US & Canada: 1-800-535-5053	INFOTRAC
	International 1-352-323-3500	INFOTRAC

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

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

Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 2
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3
Target Organs - Respiratory system.	

#### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal Word

Warning

Hazard statements

Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statements

Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Skin

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up.

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

### 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

No information available.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Components

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	Concentration
Gallic acid monohydrate	3, 4, 5- Trihydroxybenzoic acid monohydrate	5995-86-8	> 95%

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

#### General advice

If inhaled

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

<b>In case of skin contact</b>	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.
<b>In case of eye contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
<b>If swallowed</b>	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

## 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None reasonably foreseeable.

## 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

# SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

## 5.1 Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media** Water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** No information available.

## 5.2 Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Hazardous combustion products: Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

## 5.3 Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## 5.4 Further information

**Flash Point** No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** No information available

### Explosion limits

**Upper** No data available

**Lower** No data available

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** No information available

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** No information available

**NFPA**

Health	Flammability	Instability	Physical hazards
2	0	1	N/A

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation.

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

**6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

**6.4 Reference to other sections**

See section 2 for full list of hazard and precaution statements.

**SECTION 7: Handling and storage****7.1 Precautions for safe handling****Precautions on safe handling**

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

**Hygiene measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities****Storage conditions**

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from light. Store under an inert atmosphere. Protect from moisture. Incompatible materials.

**Incompatibilities**

Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases. Metals.

**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection****8.1 Occupational exposure limits**

This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

### **Biological occupational exposure limits**

No information available.

## **8.2 Exposure controls**

### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

### **Personal protective equipment**

#### **Eye/face protection**

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

#### **Skin and body protection**

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

#### **Respiratory protection**

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

#### **Control of environmental exposure**

No information available.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical State	Solid
Appearance	Off-white
Odor	Odorless
Odor Threshold	No information available
pH	No information available
Melting Point/Range	250 °C / 482 °F
Boiling Point/Range	No information available
Evaporation Rate	No information available
Flammability (solid)	No information available
Flammability or explosive limit	
Upper	No data available
Lower	No data available
Vapor Pressure	Negligible

Vapor Density	No information available
Density	1.69 @ 6.1 °C
Solubility	Slightly soluble in water.
Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water	No data available
Autoignition Temp	No information available
Decomposition Temp	No information available
Viscosity	No information available
Molecular Formula	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>2</sub> (OH) <sub>3</sub> COOH.H <sub>2</sub> O
Molecular Weight	188.14
VOC Content(%)	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available

## 9.2 Other safety information

No information available.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

None known, based on information available.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Hygroscopic. Light sensitive.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Avoid dust formation. Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to moist air or water.  
Exposure to light.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents, strong bases, metals.

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Product Information, Component Information

#### Acute toxicity

No acute toxicity information is available for this product.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

May cause irritation.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

May cause irritation.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

May cause irritation

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No information available.

**Carcinogenicity**

Component	CAS	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Gallic acid monohydrate	5995-86-8	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

Respiratory system

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

None known

**Reproductive toxicity**

No information available

**Chronic effects**

No information available

**11.2 Additional Information**

No information available

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1 Toxicity**

No information available.

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

No information available.

**12.3 Bio accumulative potential**

No information available.

**12.4 Mobility in soil**

No information available.

**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

No information available.

**12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties**

No information available.

## 12.7 Other adverse effects

May cause respiratory irritation. The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste Disposal Methods

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### DOT (US)

Not regulated

### IMDG

Not regulated

### IATA

Not regulated

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

### TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not listed.

### CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not listed.

### SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not listed.

### OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed.

### Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

#### SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

### SARA 311/312 Hazardous

See section 2 for more information.

### SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not listed.

### Other federal regulations

**Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List**

Not regulated

**Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)**

Not regulated.

**Safe Drinking Water Act**

Not regulated

**FEMA Priority Substances Respiratory Health and Safety in the Flavor  
Manufacturing Workplace**

Not listed

**US state regulations**

**US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List**

Not listed

**US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act**

Not listed

**US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law**

Not listed

**California Proposition 65**

Not listed

**SECTION 16: Other information**

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**SECTION 17: Disclaimer**

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