

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name Salicylic Acid
CAS number 69-72-7
Synonyms 2-Hydroxybenzoic acid

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

Identified uses Laboratory chemicals.

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)

Acute oral toxicity	Category 4
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Combustible dust	Yes

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard statements

Harmful if swallowed; causes serious eye damage.

Precautionary statements

Prevention: Wash face, hands, and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product. 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.

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

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.

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

None identified.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Components

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	Concentration
2-Hydroxybenzoic acid	Salicylic acid	69-72-7	>95 %

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first-aid measures

General advice

If inhaled	Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled substance; induce artificial respiration with a respiratory medical device. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
In case of skin contact	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
In case of eye contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, including under eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.
If swallowed	Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Causes eye burns.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to physician: treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable extinguishing media No information available.

5.2 Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Dust can form an explosive mixture in air. Fine dust dispersed in air may ignite. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

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 157°C / 314.6°F

Autoignition Temperature

535°C / 995°F

Explosion limits

Upper No data available.

Lower 1.1% @ 200°C

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available.

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Health	Flammability	Instability	Physical hazards
1	1	0	N/A

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Avoid release into the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up or vacuum spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

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. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

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. Keep away from direct sunlight.

Incompatibilities

Strong oxidizing agents.

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

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 EN 166.

Skin protection

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

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

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Solid
Appearance	Off-white
Odor	Slight
Odor Threshold	No information available
pH	2.4 sat. solution

Melting Point/Range	158 - 161°C / 316.4 - 321.8°F
Boiling Point/Range	211°C / 411.8°F @ 20 mmHg
Evaporation Rate	No information available
Flammability (solid)	Not applicable
Flammability or explosive limit	
Upper	No data available
Lower	1.1% @ 200°C
Vapor Pressure	0.3 mbar @ 95°C
Vapor Density	Not applicable
Density	No information available
Solubility	Soluble in water
Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water	No data available
Autoignition Temp	535°C / 995°F
Decomposition Temp	No information available
Viscosity	Not applicable
Molecular Formula	C7H6O3
Molecular Weight	138.12 g/mol
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

No reactive hazards known based on information available.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions. Light sensitive. Moisture 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 moisture. Exposure to light.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Product Information, Component Information

Acute toxicity

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Salicylic acid	891 mg/kg (Rat)	2 g/kg (Rat)	>0.9 mg/L (Rat) 1 h

Skin corrosion/irritation

No information available.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Severe eye irritant.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity

No information available.

Carcinogenicity

Component	CAS	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Salicylic acid	69-72-7	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

None known.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

None known.

Reproductive toxicity

Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals.

Chronic effects

No information available.

11.2 Additional Information

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Product	Species	Test Results
	Freshwater Fish	LC50: 90 mg/L 48h

Salicylic acid	Microtox	EC50: 138 mg/L 1h EC50: 214 mg/L 5 min EC50: 552 mg/L 1h EC50: 78 mg/L 210 min
	Water Flea	EC50: 105 mg/L/24h

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Soluble in water; persistence is unlikely, based on information available.

12.3 Bio accumulative potential

No information available.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility (log Pow = 2.26).

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No information available.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No information available.

12.7 Other adverse effects

No information available.

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 applicable.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not applicable.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not regulated.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous

Acute Health Hazard.

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not applicable.

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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