

GALLIC ACID

SECTION 1: PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: GALLIC ACID
Product Code: 337
CAS#: 5995-86-8
Synonym: 3,4,5-trihydroxybenzoic acid monohydrate
Chemical Name: Not available
Chemical Formula: $C_7H_6O_5 \cdot H_2O$
Formula Weight: 188.14

SECTION 2: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Composition:

Name GALLIC ACID

Toxicological Data on Ingredients: Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Potential Acute Health Effects: Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation.

Potential Chronic Health Effects:

Carcinogenic effects: Not available.

Mutagenic effects: Not available.

Teratogenic effects: Not available.

Developmental toxicity: Not available

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact:

Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. WARM water MUST be used. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

Skin Contact: Wash with soap and water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Get medical attention if irritation develops.

Serious Skin Contact: Not available.

Serious Inhalation: Not available.

Ingestion:

Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If large quantities of this material are swallowed, call a physician immediately. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.

Serious Ingestion: Not available.

SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability of the Product: May be combustible at high temperature.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Not available.

Flash Points: Not available.

Flammable Limits: Not available.

Products of Combustion: Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides.

Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances: Slightly flammable to flammable in presence of heat.



Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:

Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Slightly explosive in presence of open flames and sparks.

Fire Fighting Media and Instructions:

SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder.

LARGE FIRE: Use water spray, fog or foam. Do not use water jet.

Special Remarks on Fire Hazards: Not Available.

Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards: Not Available.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Small Spill:

Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local and regional authority requirements.

Large Spill:

Use a shovel to put the material into a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the Contaminated surface and allow evacuating through the sanitary system.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions:

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Storage:

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store under inert gas. hygroscopic
Storage class (TRGS 510): Oxidizing hazardous materials

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Body Protection Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state and appearance Form

: White to off-white powder.

Odour

: Odourless

Taste

: Not available



Molecular Weight	: Not available
Colour	: Not Available
pH	: Not available
Boiling Point	: Not available
Melting Point	: 252 °C (485°F)
Critical Temperature	: Not available
Specific Density	: Not Available
Vapor Pressure	: Not Available
Vapor Density	: Not available
Volatility	: Not Available
Odor Threshold	: Not Available
Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.	: Not Available
Ionicity (in Water)	: Not Available
Dispersion Properties	: Not Available
Solubility	: Not Available

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY DATA

Stability: Not available.

Instability Temperature: Not available.

Conditions of Instability: Not available.

Incompatibility with various substances: Strong oxidizing agents, Strong bases, Acid chlorides, Acid anhydrides

Corrosivity: Non-corrosive in presence of glass.

Special Remarks on Reactivity: Not available.

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: Not available.

Polymerization: Will not occur.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Routes of Entry: Eye contact, Inhalation, Ingestion.

Toxicity to Animals:

LD₅₀: Not available

LC₅₀: Not available

Chronic Effects on Humans: The substance is toxic to lungs, mucous membranes.

Other Toxic Effects on Humans: Very hazardous in case of ingestion. Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of inhalation. Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (permeator).

Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals: Adverse reproductive effects have occurred in experimental animals. Boric acid has selectively damaged the testes, sperm production and fertility in rats and dogs.

Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans: Not available.

Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans: Not available.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity: Not available.

BOD and COD: Not available.

Products of Biodegradation: Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation: Not available.

Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation: Not available.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS



Waste Disposal: Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN number:

ADR/RID:

IMDG:

IATA:

UN proper shipping name

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Transport hazard class (es):

ADR/RID:

IMDG:

IATA:

Packaging group:

ADR/RID:

IMDG:

IATA:

Environmental hazards:

ADR/RID:

IMDG Marine pollutant:

IATA:

SECTION 15: OTHER REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

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References: Full text of H AND R-Statements.

Not Applicable.

Other Special Considerations: Not available

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