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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# n-Propyl formate

# SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

产品说明: 甲酸正丙酯 Product Description: n-Propyl formate

Cat No. : A18090

**Synonyms** Formic acid propyl ester; Propyl methanoate

CAS No 110-74-7 Molecular Formula C4 H8 O2

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Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals. Uses advised against No Information available

# **SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

Physical StateAppearanceOdorLiquidColorlesspungent

# **Emergency Overview**

Highly flammable liquid and vapor. Causes serious eye irritation. May cause respiratory irritation. May cause drowsiness and dizziness. May be harmful if swallowed.

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

Flammable liquids.	Category 2
Acute Oral Toxicity	Category 5
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure)	Category 3

#### **Label Elements**



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#### Signal Word

#### **Danger**

#### **Hazard Statements**

- H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor
- H319 Causes serious eye irritation
- H335 May cause respiratory irritation
- H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness
- H303 May be harmful if swallowed

#### **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

- P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking
- P240 Ground and bond container and receiving equipment
- P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting equipment
- P242 Use non-sparking tools
- P243 Take action to prevent static discharges
- P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
- P264 Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
- P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
- P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
- P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

#### Response

- P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower
- P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing
- P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
- P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell
- P372 Explosion risk in case of fire
- P374 Fight fire with normal precautions from a reasonable distance
- P380 Evacuate area

# Storage

P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

# Disposal

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

# **Physical and Chemical Hazards**

Vapors may cause flash fire or explosion. Highly flammable.

# **Health Hazards**

Causes serious eye irritation. May cause respiratory irritation. May cause drowsiness or dizziness. May be harmful if swallowed.

#### **Environmental hazards**

Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants. Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its volatility. The product contains volatile organic compounds (VOC) which will evaporate easily from all surfaces.

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

# **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Propyl formate	110-74-7	96

# **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### Eye Contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

#### **Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Get medical attention.

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Inhalation

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

#### Ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention.

#### Most important symptoms and effects

Difficulty in breathing. Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting

#### Self-Protection of the First Aider

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

#### **Notes to Physician**

Treat symptomatically.

# **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Water mist may be used to cool closed containers. Chemical foam. Water mist may be used to cool closed containers.

#### Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Flammable. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back. Containers may explode when heated. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air.

# **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.

# **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# **Personal Precautions**

Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

# Methods for Containment and Clean Up

Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

# **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### Handling

Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe mist/vapors/spray. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance. Avoid contact with skin and clothing. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. To avoid ignition of vapors by static electricity discharge, all metal parts of the equipment must be grounded.

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Storage

Flammables area. Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

#### Specific Use(s)

Use in laboratories

# **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **Control Parameters**

# **Monitoring methods**

BS EN 14042:2003 Title Identifier: Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents. MDHS70 General methods for sampling airborne gases and vapours MDHS 88 Volatile organic compounds in air. Laboratory method using diffusive samplers, solvent desorption and gas chromatography MDHS 96 Volatile organic compounds in air - Laboratory method using pumped solid sorbent tubes, solvent desorption and gas chromatography

#### **Exposure Controls**

#### **Engineering Measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment. Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source.

#### Personal protective equipment

**Eve Protection** Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments
Natural rubber	See manufacturers	-	EN 374	(minimum requirement)
Butyl rubber	recommendations			
Nitrile rubber				
Neoprene				
PVC				

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Skin and body protection Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

**Respiratory Protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.

Large scale/emergency use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits

are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

Small scale/Laboratory use Maintain adequate ventilation

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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Environmental exposure controls No information available.

# **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance Colorless Physical State Liquid

**Odor** pungent

Odor Threshold No data available

pH

Melting Point/Range -93 °C / -135.4 °F Softening Point No data available

**Boiling Point/Range** 80 - 82 °C / 176 - 179.6 °F @ 1013 hPa

Flash Point -4 °C / 24.8 °F Method - No information available

**Evaporation Rate** No data available

Flammability (solid,gas) Not applicable Liquid

Explosion Limits Lower 2.4 Upper 7.8

Vapor Pressure No data available

Vapor Density No data available (Air = 1.0)

Specific Gravity / Density 0.906

Bulk Density Not applicable Liquid

Water Solubility 28g/l (20°C)

Solubility in other solvents No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Autoignition Temperature 450 °C / 842 °F No data available Viscosity No data available

Explosive Properties Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air

Oxidizing Properties No information available

Molecular Formula C4 H8 O2 Molecular Weight 88.11

# **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

Hazardous ReactionsNo information available.Hazardous PolymerizationNo information available.

Conditions to Avoid Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Excess heat.

Incompatible products.

Materials to avoid Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2).

#### **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Product Information**No acute toxicity information is available for this product

(a) acute toxicity;

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Propyl formate	LD50 = 3980 mg/kg (Rat)		

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

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(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Category 2

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

No data available Respiratory Skin No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

No data available (f) carcinogenicity;

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

No data available (g) reproductive toxicity;

(h) STOT-single exposure; Category 3

Results / Target organs Central nervous system (CNS)

No data available (i) STOT-repeated exposure;

**Target Organs** No information available.

(j) aspiration hazard; No data available

delayed

Symptoms / effects,both acute and Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness,

tiredness, nausea and vomiting

# **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity effects** Do not empty into drains. .

Persistence and Degradability

**Persistence** 

Persistence is unlikely, based on information available.

**Bioaccumulative Potential** Bioaccumulation is unlikely

Mobility in soil The product contains volatile organic compounds (VOC) which will evaporate easily from all

surfaces Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its volatility Disperses rapidly in air

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** 

**Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential** 

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

#### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point. Empty containers

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retain product residue, (liquid and/or vapor), and can be dangerous. Keep product and

empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Other Information Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product

was used. Do not flush to sewer. Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with

local regulations.

# **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### **Road and Rail Transport**

UN-No UN1281 Hazard Class 3 Packing Group II

# IMDG/IMO

**UN-No** UN1281

Proper Shipping Name PROPYL FORMATES

Hazard Class 3 Packing Group II

# IATA

UN-No UN1281

Proper Shipping Name PROPYL FORMATES

Hazard Class 3
Packing Group ||

Special Precautions for User No special precautions required

# **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# **International Inventories**

X = listed, China (IECSC), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), U.S.A. (TSCA), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Australia (AICS), Korea (KECL).

Component	The Inventory of Hazardous Chemicals (2015 Edition)		TCSI	IECSC	EINECS	TSCA	DSL	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	KECL
Propyl formate	X	X	Χ	-	203-798-0	Х	-	Х	Х	Х	Χ	-

# **National Regulations**

# **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**Revision Summary** New emergency telephone response service provider.

**Training Advice** 

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Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

#### Legend

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

Substances List

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%

NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

PNEC - Predicted No Effect Concentration

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50% POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air **Transport Association** 

ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from

Ships

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

#### Key literature references and sources for data

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

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