# SIGMA-ALDRICH

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 Version 4.1 Revision Date 13.01.2012 Print Date 06.03.2012 GENERIC EU MSDS - NO COUNTRY SPECIFIC DATA - NO OEL DATA

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

1.1	Product identifiers	
	Product name	

## Benzene-de

Product Number	:	151815
Brand	:	Aldrich
CAS-No.	:	1076-43-3

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : 704100087

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [EU-GHS/CLP]

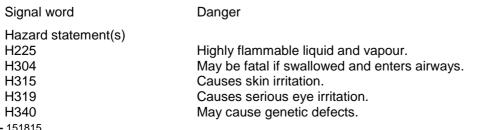
Flammable liquids (Category 2) Carcinogenicity (Category 1A) Germ cell mutagenicity (Category 1B) Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Category 1) Aspiration hazard (Category 1) Eye irritation (Category 2) Skin irritation (Category 2)

#### Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

Highly flammable. May cause cancer. May cause heritable genetic damage. Toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. Harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed. Irritating to eyes and skin.

#### 2.2 Label elements

# Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP] Pictogram



H350 H372	May cause cancer. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeate	ad exposure	
Precautionary statement(s)	Causes damage to organs through protonged of repeate	ed exposure.	
P201 P210 P301 + P310	Obtain special instructions before use. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER		
P305 + P351 + P338	physician. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minu contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing		
P308 + P313 P331	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention. Do NOT induce vomiting.		
Supplemental Hazard Statements	none		
Restricted to professional users			
According to European Directive 67/548/EEC as amended. Hazard symbol(s)			
R-phrase(s) R45 R46 R48/23/24/25 R65	May cause cancer. May cause heritable genetic damage. Also toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolor through inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. Also harmful: may cause lung damage if swallowed.		
R11 R36/38	Highly flammable. Irritating to eyes and skin.		
S-phrase(s) S53 S45	Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical ac (show the label where possible).	lvice immediately	
Restricted to professional users	S.		
Other hazards - none			
COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS			
Synonyms :	Hexadeuterobenzene		
Formula : Molecular Weight :	C <sub>6</sub> D <sub>6</sub> 84,15 g/mol		
Component		Concentration	

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Benzene-D6		
CAS-No.	1076-43-3	-
EC-No.	214-061-8	

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### **General advice**

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

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#### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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

Nausea, Dizziness, Headache, Inhalation of high concentrations of benzene may have an initial stimulatory effect on the central nervous system characterized by exhilaration, nervous excitation and/or giddiness, depression, drowsiness, or fatigue. The victim may experience tightness in the chest, breathlessness, and loss of consciousness. Tremors, convulsions, and death due to respiratory paralysis or circulatory collapse can occur in a few minutes to several hours following severe exposures. Aspiration of small amounts of liquid immediately causes pulmonary edema and hemorrhage of pulmonary tissue. Direct skin contact may cause erythema. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may result in drying, scaling dermatitis, or development of secondary skin infections. The chief target organ is the hematopoietic system. Bleeding from the nose, gums, or mucous membranes and the development of purpuric spots, pancytopenia, leukopenia, thrombocytopenia, aplastic anemia, and leukemia may occur as the condition progresses. The bone marrow may appear normal, aplastic or hyperplastic, and may not correlate with peripheral bloodforming tissues. The onset of effects of prolonged benzene exposure may be delayed for many months or years after the actual exposure has ceased.

## **4.3** Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed no data available

#### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

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

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Carbon oxides

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

### **6.2** Environmental precautions Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

#### **6.3** Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Handle and store under inert gas. hygroscopic

7.3 Specific end uses no data available

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

#### 8.2 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

Face shield and safety glasses 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.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

#### **Body Protection**

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

#### **Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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

a)	Appearance	Form: liquid Colour: colourless
b)	Odour	no data available
c)	Odour Threshold	no data available
d)	рН	no data available
e)	Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 6,8 °C - lit.
f)	Initial boiling point and boiling range	79,1 °C at 1.013 hPa - lit.
g)	Flash point	-11 °C - closed cup
h)	Evaporation rate	no data available
i)	Flammability (solid, gas)	no data available

	j)	Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Upper explosion limit: 8 %(V) Lower explosion limit: 1,3 %(V)
	k)	Vapour pressure	221 hPa at 37,7 °C 99,5 hPa at 20 °C
	I)	Vapour density	2,91 - (Air = 1.0)
	m)	Relative density	0,95 g/cm3 at 25 °C
	n)	Water solubility	no data available
	o)	Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	no data available
	p)	Autoignition temperature	no data available
	q)	Decomposition temperature	no data available
	r)	Viscosity	no data available
	s)	Explosive properties	no data available
	t)	Oxidizing properties	no data available
9.2		ner safety information data available	
10.	STABILITY AND REACTIVITY		
10.1	Reactivity no data available		
10.2	Chemical stability no data available		
10.3	Possibility of hazardous reactions no data available		
10.4	<b>Conditions to avoid</b> Heat, flames and sparks. Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.		
10.5	Incompatible materials Acids, Bases, Halogens, Strong oxidizing agents, metal salts		
10.6	Hazardous decomposition products Other decomposition products - no data available		
11.	то		ATION
11.1	Information on toxicological effects		
	Acute toxicity no data available		
	Skin corrosion/irritation no data available		
	Serious eye damage/eye irritation no data available		
	Respiratory or skin sensitization no data available		
	Germ cell mutagenicity Laboratory experiments have shown mutagenic effects. In vivo tests showed mutagenic effects		

#### Carcinogenicity

This is or contains a component that has been reported to be carcinogenic based on its IARC, OSHA, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

Human carcinogen.

#### IARC: 1 - Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans (Benzene-D6)

Reproductive toxicity no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure no data available

#### Aspiration hazard

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

#### Potential health effects

Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed. Aspiration hazard if swallowed - can enter
	lungs and cause damage.
Skin	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
Eyes	Causes serious eye irritation.

#### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

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#### **Additional Information**

**RTECS: Not available** 

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- 12.1 Toxicity no data available
- 12.2 Persistence and degradability no data available
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** no data available
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** no data available
- **12.5** Results of PBT and vPvB assessment no data available
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** no data available

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

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

#### **Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

14.	TRANSPORT INFORMATION		
14.1	<b>UN number</b> ADR/RID: 1114	IMDG: 1114	IATA: 1114
14.2	<b>UN proper shipping name</b> ADR/RID: BENZENE IMDG: BENZENE IATA: Benzene		
14.3	Transport hazard class(es) ADR/RID: 3	IMDG: 3	IATA: 3
14.4	<b>Packaging group</b> ADR/RID: II	IMDG: II	IATA: II
14.5	Environmental hazards ADR/RID: no	IMDG Marine pollutant: no	IATA: no
14.6	Special precautions for user no data available		

#### 15. **REGULATORY INFORMATION**

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

- 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture no data available
- **Chemical Safety Assessment** 15.2 no data available

#### OTHER INFORMATION 16.

#### **Further information**

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