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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier**

**Product Description:** (S)-(+)-2-Methylbutyric acid  
**Cat No.** 224190000; 224190010; 224190050  
**Synonyms** None.

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

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals  
**Uses advised against** No Information available

**Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

**Company**

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Emergency Number, Europe: +32 14 57 52 99  
 Emergency Number, US: 201-796-7100

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Classification of the substance or mixture**

**REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008**

Acute oral toxicity	Category 4
Acute dermal toxicity	Category 4
Skin Corrosion / irritation	Category 1
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 1

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

*For the full text of the R phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16*

**Symbol(s)** C - Corrosive  
**R -phrase(s)** R34 - Causes burns  
**Risk Combination Phrases** R21/22 - Harmful in contact with skin and if swallowed

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Label Elements



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### Signal Word

**Danger**

### Hazard Statements

H302 - Harmful if swallowed  
 H318 - Causes serious eye damage  
 H312 - Harmful in contact with skin  
 H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

### Precautionary Statements - EU (§28, 1272/2008)

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
 P301 + P330 + P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting  
 P280 - Wear eye protection/face protection  
 P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
 P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician  
 P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water  
 P301+ P312 - IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

### Other Hazards

No information available.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	EC No.	Weight %	CAS-No	Classification	GHSCLAS
(S)-(+)-2-Methylbutyric acid		98	1730-91-2	Xn; R21/22 C; R34	Skin Corr. 1B (H314) Acute Tox. 4 (H302) Acute Tox. 4 (H312)

For the full text of the R phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### Description of first aid measures

#### Eye Contact

Immediate medical attention is required Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes

#### Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothes and shoes Immediate medical attention is required

<b>Ingestion</b>	Do not induce vomiting Call a physician immediately
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove from exposure, lie down Move to fresh air If breathing is difficult, give oxygen If not breathing, give artificial respiration Immediate medical attention is required
<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### Extinguishing media

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) Dry chemical chemical foam

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

No information available.

### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible material Flammable

### Advice for fire-fighters

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

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ensure adequate ventilation

### Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust) Keep in suitable and closed containers for disposal Do not let this chemical enter the environment

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for Safe Handling

Do not breathe dust Do not breathe vapors or spray mist Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing Do not ingest Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place Keep container tightly closed Keep away from heat and sources of ignition Corrosives area Keep refrigerated

### Specific End Uses

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

#### **Exposure limits**

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

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<b>Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)</b>	No information available.
<b>Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)</b>	No information available.
<b>Exposure controls</b>	
<b>Engineering Measures</b>	Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location
<b>Personal protective equipment</b>	
<b>Eye Protection</b>	Goggles
<b>Hand Protection</b>	Protective gloves
<b>Skin and body protection</b>	Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure
<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	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
<b>Hygiene Measures</b>	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice
<b>Environmental exposure controls</b>	No information available.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid
<b>Appearance</b>	Colorless
<b>odor</b>	pungent
<b>pH</b>	No information available.
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	No information available.
<b>Vapor Density</b>	3.52
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	78°C / 172.4°F@ 15 mmHg
<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	No information available.
<b>Flash Point</b>	73°C / 163.4°F
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	0.938
<b>Molecular Formula</b>	C5 H10 O2
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	102.13

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity****Chemical Stability**

Stable under normal conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions****Hazardous Polymerization** No information available.**Hazardous Reactions .** No information available.**Conditions to Avoid**

Incompatible products.

**Incompatible Materials**

Bases, Reducing agents.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Information on Toxicological Effects**

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### Acute Toxicity

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

### **Component Information**

### Chronic Toxicity

**Carcinogenicity** There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

<b>Sensitization</b>	No information available.
<b>Mutagenic Effects</b>	No information available
<b>Reproductive Effects</b>	No information available.
<b>Developmental Effects</b>	No information available.
<b>Target Organs</b>	No information available.
<b>Other Adverse Effects</b>	The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.
<b>Endocrine Disruptor Information</b>	None known

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Toxicity

**Ecotoxicity effects** Do not empty into drains

### Persistence and degradability

No information available

### Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

### Mobility in soil

No information available.

### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

### Other adverse effects

No information available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Waste treatment methods

**Waste from Residues / Unused Products** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

**Contaminated Packaging** Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### IMDG/IMO

<b>UN-No</b>	3265
<b>Hazard Class</b>	8
<b>Packing Group</b>	II
<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S.

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**UN-No** 3265  
**Hazard Class** 8  
**Packing Group** II  
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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

**International Inventories**

Component	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	CHINA	AICS	KECL
(S)-(+)-2-Methylbutyric acid	-	-		-	-	-	X	-	-	-	-

**Legend**

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

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory Lists

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**CHINA** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Inventory of Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**Chemical Safety Assessment**

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**Text of R phrases mentioned in Section 2-3**

R34 - Causes burns

R21/22 - Harmful in contact with skin and if swallowed

**Revision Date** 06-Nov-2010

**Revision Summary** Not applicable

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

**16. OTHER INFORMATION****Disclaimer**

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