

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION:

PRODUCT CODE	A0306
PRODUCT NAME	2-METHYLHEXANOIC ACID
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2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION:

Emergency Overview

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Skin corrosion (Category 1B)
Serious eye damage (Category 1)

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram:



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statement(s)

P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301 P330 P331	IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
P303 P361 P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
P304 P340	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position 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.
P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.
P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).
P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P405 Store locked up.
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

HMIS Classification

Health hazard 2
Flammability 1
Physical hazards 1

NFPA Rating

Health hazard 2
Fire 1
Reactivity Hazard 0

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation

May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Skin

May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.

Eyes

Causes eye burns.

Ingestion

May be harmful if swallowed.

3. COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS:

SYNONYM: 2-Methylcaproic acid
Formula: C7 H14 O2
Molecular Weight: 130.18 g/mol
CAS-No.: 4536-23-6
EC-No.: 224-883-9
Index-No.: -
Concentration: -

4. FIRST-AID GUIDE:

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled

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

In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital. 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.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING GUIDE:

Suitable extinguishing media

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

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE GUIDE:

Personal precautions

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE:

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

Conditions for safe storage

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.

8. EXPOSURE AND PERSONAL PROTECTION:

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multipurpose 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).

Hand protection

Handle with gloves.

Eye protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Face shield (8-inch minimum).

Skin and body protection

Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

Appearance	
Form	LIQUID
Colour	COLORLESS TO PALE YELLOW
Safety data	
pH	no data available
Melting point (°C)	no data available
Boiling point (°C)	105
Flash point (°F) Closed cup	>200
Ignition temperature	no data available
Auto ignition temperature	no data available
Lower explosion limit	no data available
Upper explosion limit	no data available
Vapour pressure (mm Hg@20 °C)	no data available
Density @25 °C	0.910

Water solubility	SOLUBLE
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water	no data available
Relative vapour density	>1
Odor	PLEASANT, CHEESE-LIKE
Odour Threshold	no data available
Evaporation rate	no data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY:

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

Conditions to avoid

No data available

Materials to avoid

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong bases

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

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

No data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC:

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH:

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP:

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA:

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - rat - Oral

Maternal Effects: Other effects.

Teratogenicity

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

No data available

Aspiration hazard

No data available

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Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin. Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

Additional Information

RTECS: MO8400600

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Toxicity

No data available

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available

Other adverse effects

No data available

13. DISPOSAL RECOMMENDATIONS:

Product

Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION:

DOT (US) UN-Number: Class: Packing group: Proper shipping name:	1760 8 II Corrosive liquid, N.O.S.
IMDG UN-Number: Class: Packing group: Proper shipping name:	1760 8 II Corrosive liquid, N.O.S.

IATA	
UN-Number:	1760
Class:	8
Packing group:	II
Proper shipping name:	Corrosive liquid, N.O.S.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION:

OSHA Hazards

Corrosive

DSL Status

All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL list.

SARA 302 Components

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components

SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right to Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right to Know Components

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New Jersey Right to Know Components

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California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

16. OTHER INFORMATION:

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