

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Methyl Lactate
MSDS NO.024

SECTION 1- MATERIAL/COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Chemical Name	2-Hydroxy-propanoic acid methyl ester
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SECTION 2- HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Class Name	3.3 High flash-point flammable liquid
Human Health Effects	Vapor may cause irritant of eyes, mucous membranes and skin

SECTION 3- COMPSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical name	2-Hydroxy-propanoic acid methyl ester
Component	99% up
Formula	C4H8O3
Molecular Weight	104.1
CAS No.	547-64-8
UN Dangerous Goods No.	3272

SECTION 4- FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
Skin contact	Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear. Flush skin and hair with plenty of water or tepid water.
Eye contact	Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush eyes with plenty of water at least 15minutes. If irritation persists, call a physician.
Inhalation	Immediately remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen, call a physician.
Ingestion	If swallowed, drink plenty of water or salt water. If in doubt, Call a physician immediately.

SECTION 5- FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Specific hazards	Flammable. Can be happen explosion in fire and high temperature. Chemical reaction with strong oxidizing agents.
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Extinguishing media Burning produces irritant fumes
Remove a source of fire. Use a fire extinguisher. Cool the container with plenty of water. Standing upwind side and wear breathing apparatus.
Water, carbon dioxide (CO₂), foam, dry power.

SECTION 6- ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions Prepare extinguishing media before starting on cleaning.
Wear protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Take person refuge in upwind side. Keep person out the place. Keep away from heat and flames promptly.

Environmental precautions Prevent further leakage or spillage, Prevent product from entering drains

Methods for cleaning up In case of small quantities of leakage, pack a absorbent material into container after absorbing spilled material. Clean up the leaked place with plenty of water.
In case of large quantities of leakage, Tighten rope around the leakage place. Flush spilled material into container after leading to suitable retaining areas stopping the fluid by sand and the like. Clean up the leaked place with plenty water.

SECTION 7- HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Caution not to generate firer, as to fire, static electricity, and spark.
Take account of preventing the materials from leak.
Wear protective clothing to prevent from contacting and inhaling the materials.

Storage Avoid direct rays of the sun.
Keep container tightly closed.
Keep away from high temperature substances.
Use earth and anti-explosive electric-apparatus in storage areas.

Packaging material Polyethylene plastic containers etc.

SECTION 8- EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering measures to reduce exposure Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Personal protection equipment Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Especially if necessary, wear organic gas mask, air mask, or self-contained breathing apparatus.

Hygiene measures

Set up safety shower, hands washer and eyes washer nearby handling the materials. Indicate the positions distinctly. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

SECTION 9- PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	Transparent, Clear liquid having an characteristic odor.
Boiling point	185-187°C
Vapor pressure	0.4mmHg(20°C)
Melting point	-66°C
Flash point	54.5°C (closed up)
Auto ignition temperature	385°C
Explosion limits	Lower 2.2 vol%
Density (20°C)	1.080~1.100g/ml
Solubility	Freely soluble in water, most organic solvents
Viscosity	3.1 mPa.s @25°C

SECTION 10- STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability	Stable at normal conditions. Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Avoid temperatures above 54.5°C
Materials to avoid	Avoid oxidizing agents, acid, alkaline, water,
Hazardous decomposition products	CO, CO ₂

SECTION 11- TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity	LD50 >5000 mg/ kg bw. (rat, oral) LC50 > 5.73 g/m ³ (rat)
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SECTION 12- ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Mobility	Completely soluble, readily biodegradable and hydrolyses, no hazardous polymerization.
Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD)	1.50 g O ₂ /g
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD) ₂₀	0.94 g O ₂ /g

SECTION 13- DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste from residues/unused products	Burn up absorbent sand gradually in the opened incinerator after absorbing the materials, or burn up the materials directly in the incinerator through atomizer.
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Contaminated packaging	Decontaminate empty containers with water, dilute with water and flush to waste system. Recycle containers if possible.
Further information	Treatment, storage, transportation, and disposal must be in accordance with local regulations.

SECTION 14- TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

China Dangerous Goods No.	33602
UN Dangerous Goods No.	3272
Packaging Class	III
Packaging label	3
	Sticking properly on label, indicating material name, lot No., net weight etc
Further information	The materials transportation by vehicles, the sender serves deliverers with instructions for safe handling. In transportation confirm leak less of the container, and load the materials not to upset, fall and damage. Secure preventing the load from falling.

SECTION 15- REGULATORY INFORMATION

Class Name	3.3 High flash-point flammable liquid
R-Phrases	R10-Flammable. R36/37-Irritation to eyes and respiratory system.
S-Phrases	S24-Avoid contact with skin.
China Regulations	Chemical Dangerous Substances Safety Management Regulatory Chemical Dangerous Substances Safety Management Detailed Rules And Regulatory Safety Using Chemical Regulatory In Working Site

SECTION 16- OTHER INFORMATION

Revision Date	2017/07/15
LC50	Median lethal concentration
LD50	Median lethal dose