

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name	: 2,2-Dimethylhexane		
Product Number	: 111457		
Brand	: Aldrich		
Product Use	: For laboratory research purposes.		
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

WHMIS Classification

B2	Flammable liquid	Flammable liquid
D2B	Toxic Material Causing Other Toxic Effects	Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Moderate skin irritant

GHS Classification

Flammable liquids (Category 2)
 Skin corrosion/irritation (Category 2)
 Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Central nervous system
 Aspiration hazard (Category 1)
 Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1)
 Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 1)

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word: Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H304	May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.

P301 + P310
P331
P501

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.
Do NOT induce vomiting.
Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

HMIS Classification

Health hazard: 2
Flammability: 3
Physical hazards: 0

Potential Health Effects

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

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula : C₈H₁₈
Molecular weight : 114.23 g/mol

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
2,2-Dimethylhexane			
590-73-8	209-689-4	-	<=100%

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

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

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

In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

If swallowed

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

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Conditions of flammability

Flammable in the presence of a source of ignition when the temperature is above the flash point. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flame/hot surface. No smoking.

Suitable extinguishing media

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

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

Hazardous combustion products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

Explosion data - sensitivity to mechanical impact

No data available

Explosion data - sensitivity to static discharge

No data available

Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, 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.

Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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).

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

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

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 CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
2,2-Dimethylhexane	590-73-8	TWA	300 ppm	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		TWA	300.000000 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)

Personal protective equipment

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).

Hand 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.

Eye 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 and 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.

Hygiene measures

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

Specific engineering controls

Use mechanical exhaust or laboratory fumehood to avoid exposure.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance

Form	clear, liquid
Colour	colourless

Safety data

pH	No data available
Melting point/freezing point	No data available
Boiling point	107 °C (225 °F) - lit.
Flash point	-2.99 °C (26.62 °F) - closed cup
Ignition temperature	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Lower explosion limit	0.98 %(V)
Vapour pressure	84.092 hPa (63.074 mmHg) at 37.7 °C (99.9 °F)
Density	0.693 g/cm ³ at 25 °C (77 °F)
Water solubility	No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
Relative vapour density	No data available
Odour	No data available
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

Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

Materials to avoid

Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides
Other decomposition products - No data available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Oral LD50

No data available

Inhalation LC50

No data available

Dermal LD50

No data available

Other information on acute toxicity

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

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.

Reproductive toxicity

No data available

Teratogenicity

No data available

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

May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

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

No data available

Aspiration hazard

The substance or mixture is known to cause human aspiration toxicity hazards or has to be regarded as if it causes a human aspiration toxicity hazard.

Potential health effects

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Eyes	May cause eye irritation.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Synergistic effects

No data available

Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

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

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

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. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

UN number: 3295 Class: 3 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Hydrocarbons, liquid, n.o.s.

Reportable Quantity (RQ):

Marine pollutant: No

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG

UN number: 3295 Class: 3 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-E, S-D

Proper shipping name: HYDROCARBONS, LIQUID, N.O.S. (2,2-Dimethylhexane)

Marine pollutant: No

IATA

UN number: 3295 Class: 3 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Hydrocarbons, liquid, n.o.s.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

WHMIS Classification

B2	Flammable liquid	Flammable liquid
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This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Text of H-code(s) and R-phrase(s) mentioned in Section 3

H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
Skin Corr.	Skin corrosion

Further information

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