

# Safety Data Sheet Bromomethane

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### **Section 1: Product and Company Identification**

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Product Code: Bromomethane

### **Section 2: Hazards Identification**



#### **Hazard Classification:**

Acute Aquatic Toxicity (Category 1)
Acute Oral Toxicity (Category 3)
Chronic Aquatic Toxicity (Category 1)
Eye Effects (Category 2.B)
Gases Under Pressure
Germ Cell Mutagenicity (Category 2)
Specific target organ toxicity (Repeated Exposure) (Category 2)
Specific target organ toxicity (Single Exposure) (Category 3)

#### **Hazard Statements:**

Causes eye irritation
Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
May cause respiratory irritation;
Suspected of causing genetic defects
Toxic if swallowed
Very toxic to aquatic life
Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### **Precautionary Statements**

### Prevention:

Wash thoroughly after handling.

[In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/ vapors/spray...

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection.

Obtain special instructions before use.

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#### Response:

If swallowed: Immediately call a poison center or doctor.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

#### Storage:

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Protect from sunlight.

Store locked up.

#### Disposal:

Dispose of contents and/or container in accordance with applicable regulations.

### **Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients**

CAS# 74-83-9

Chemical Substance	Chemical Family	Trade Names
Bromomethane	Halogenated, Aliphatic	Methyl bromide

# **Section 4: First Aid Measures**

Skin Contact	Eye Contact	Ingestion	Inhalation	Note to Physicians
Flush skin with water.	Flush eyes with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes	Rinse mouth with water. Seek medical attention immediately. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.	Move to fresh air	Not available

## **Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures**

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Products of Combustion	Protection of Firefighters
Regular dry chemical, regular	Carbon dioxide carbon monoxide halogenated compounds	<ul> <li>Use self-contained breathing</li> </ul>
foam, water	carbonyl halides	apparatus

### **Section 6: Accidental Release Measures**

Personal Precautions	Environmental Precautions	Methods for Containment
Always wear recommended personal	Toxic to aquatic life. Do not allow to contaminate	Stop leak if possible without risk and provide
protective equipment	waterways.	ventilation.

Methods for Cleanup	Other Information		
Not availabe	Not available		

### **Section 7: Handling and Storage**

Handling	Storage
Store and use with adequate ventilation. Firmly secure cylinders upright to keep them from falling or being knocked over. Screw valve protection cap firmly in place by hand. Store only where temperature will not exceed 125F (52C). Store full and empty cylinders separately. Use a first-in, first-out inventory system to prevent storing full cylinders for long periods.	Do not get liquid in eyes, on skin, or clothing. Protect cylinders from damage. Use a suitable hand truck to move cylinders; do not drag, roll, slide, or drop. Open valve slowly. Close cylinder valve after each use; keep closed even when empty. If valve is hard to open, discontinue use and contact your supplier.

### **Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

#### **Exposure Guidelines**

20 ppm (80 mg/m3) OSHA ceiling (skin) 5 ppm (19 mg/m3) OSHA TWA (skin) (vacated by 58 FR 35338, June 30, 1993) 1 ppm ACGIH TWA (skin) NIOSH TWA (lowest feasible concentration)

### **Engineering Controls**

No specific controls are needed.

Eye Protection	Skin Protection	Respiratory Protection
Not available	Not available	Use self-contained breathing apparatus

### **General Hygiene considerations**

- Avoid breathing vapor or mist
- Avoid contact with eyes and skin
- Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or drinking

### **Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical State	Appearance	Color	Change in Appearance	Physical Form	Odor	Taste
Liquid gas	Colorless	Clear	N/A	Liquid	Sweet odor	Burning

Flash Point	Flammability	Partition Coefficient	Autoignition Temperature	Upper Explosive Limits	Lower Explosive Limits
Closed cup: 536.85C (998.3F)	III	Not available	537C (998.6F)	15%	10%

Boiling Point	Freezing Point	Vapor Pressure	Vapor Density	Specific Gravity	Water Solubility	рH	Odor Threshold	Evaporation Rate	Viscosity
3.5C (38.3F)	-93.66C (-136.6F)	1250 mmHg @ 20 C	3.3	1.7 @ 0 C	Ca.17.5 g/l at 68 F (20 C) Note: Methyl bromide	N/A	Not Available	N/A	Not available

Molecular Weight	Molecular Formula	Density	Weight per Gallon	Volatility by Volume	Volatility	Solvent Solubility
95	C-H3-Br	0.248 lb/ft3	N/A	N/A	Not available	

### **Section 10: Stability and Reactivity**

Stability	Conditions to Avoid	Incompatible Materials
Normally stable	Normally stable	Not available

Hazardous Decomposition Products	Possibility of Hazardous Reactions
Carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, halogenated compounds, carbonyl halides	Will not polymerize.

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# **Section 11: Toxicology Information**

### **Acute Effects**

Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation
Rat 214 mg/kg	Subcutaneous Rat 135 mg/kg	Respiratory tract irritation

Eye Irritation	Skin Irritation	Sensitization
Irritation	Harmful when absorbed through the skin. Irritation.	Acute toxicity, Category 3, oral; H301: Toxic if swallowed. Acute toxicity, Category 3, inhalation; H331: Toxic if inhaled. Skin irritation, Category 2; H315: Causes skin irritation. Eye irritation, Category 2; H319: Causes serious eye irritation. Specific Target Organ Toxicity (single exposure), Category 3; H335: May cause respiratory irritation. Germ cell mutagenicity, Category 2; H341: Suspected of causing genetic defects. Specific Target Organ Toxicity (repeated exposure), Category 2; H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

#### **Chronic Effects**

	Carcinogenicity	Mutagenicity	Reproductive Effects	Developmental Effects
Ī	Classified + (Proven.) by NIOSH. A4 (Not classifiable for humans or	Classified 3 by	Not Available	No data
	animals.) by ACGIH, 3 (Not classifiable for humans.) by IARC	European Union.		

# **Section 12: Ecological Information**

**Fate and Transport** 

Eco toxicity	Persistence / Degradability	Bioaccumulation / Accumulation	Mobility in Environment
Fish toxicity: Acute EC50 400 ug/L Fresh water Fish - Medaka, higheyes - Oryzias latipes - 28 to 35 days 96 hours Invertibrate toxicity: Acute EC50 2.6 to 3.5 ppm Fresh water Daphnia - Water flea - Daphnia magna - <24 hours 48 hours Algal toxicity: Not Available Phyto toxicity: Not Available Other toxicity: Not Available	Not Available	Low risk	Not Available

# **Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

Disposal must comply with federal, state, and local disposal or discharge laws.

# **Section 14: Transportation Information**

U.S. DOT 49 CFR 172.101

Proper Shipping Name	ID Number	Hazard Class or Division	Packing Group	Labeling Requirements	Passenger Aircraft or Railcar Quantity Limitations	Cargo Aircraft Only Quantity Limitations	Additional Shipping Description
Methyl bromide	UN1062	2.3	N/a	N/a	Forbidden	Forbidden	N/A

### **Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods**

Shipping Name	UN N	umber	Class	Packing Group / Risk Group
Methyl bromide	UN10	062	2.3	Not available

# **Section 15: Regulatory Information**

### **U.S. Regulations**

CERCLA Sections	SARA 355.30	SARA 355.40
1000 RQ	Not available	Not regulated

#### **SARA 370.21**

Acute	Chronic	Fire	Reactive	Sudden Release
Yes	No	No	No	Yes

### **SARA 372.65**

Not available

### **OSHA Process Safety**

Not available

### **State Regulations**

### CA Proposition 65

California Proposition 65 - This product contains, or may contain, a substance(s) known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm.

### **Canadian Regulations**

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### **National Inventory Status**

US Inventory (TSCA)	TSCA 12b Export Notification	Canada Inventory (DSL/NDSL)
Listed	Not listed.	Not determined.

### **Section 16: Other Information**

NFPA Rating	
HEALTH=2 FIRE=1 REACTIVITY=0	•

0 = minimal hazard, 1 = slight hazard, 2 = moderate hazard, 3 = severe hazard, 4 = extreme hazard

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