## SIGMA-ALDRICH

# Material Safety Data Sheet

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### Product name

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

: DL-3,4-Dihydroxyphenyl glycol

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

 DL-α,β,3,4-Tetrahydroxyphenethyl alcohol Synonyms DL-β,3,4-Trihydroxyphenethyl alcohol

Formula : C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>4</sub> Molecular Weight : 170.16 g/mol

CAS-No. EC-No. Index-No.

(+/-)-4-(1,2-Dihydroxyethyl)pyrocatechol 28822-73-3 249-260-9

#### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION WHMIS Classification

Physical hazards:

Ingestion

Not WHMIS controlled. Not WHMIS controlled. HMIS Classification

0

0 Health Hazard: Flammability: 0

Potential Health Effects May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation. Inhalation Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation. May cause eye irritation. Eyes

4. FIRST AID MEASURES General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation Sigma - D9753 www.sigma-aldrich.com

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

May be harmful if swallowed.

In case of skin contact Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

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Skin and body protection

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Hygiene measures

place.

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Melting point

Boiling point

Water solubility

Materials to avoid Strong oxidizing agents

Acute toxicity no data available

no data available Chronic exposure

investigated.

Skin

Eyes

Inhalation

Ingestion

no data available

no data available

DOT (US)

IMDG

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Not dangerous goods

Not dangerous goods

Potential Health Effects

of workday.

Appearance Form solid Safety data

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

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

Flash point no data available Ignition temperature no data available Lower explosion limit no data available

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

130 - 132 °C (266 - 270 °F)

no data available

no data available

no data available

### Irritation and corrosion no data available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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.

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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

May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

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Contaminated packaging Dispose of as unused product. 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY Storage stability

Upper explosion limit no data available

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Hazardous decomposition products

Sensitisation

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

May cause eye irritation. May be harmful if swallowed.

no data available Ecotoxicity effects

Further information on ecology

Elimination information (persistence and degradability)

Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

IATA Not dangerous goods

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION DSL Status This product contains the following components that are not on the Canadian DSL nor NDSL lists. CAS-No. 28822-73-3 (+/-)-4-(1,2-Dihydroxyethyl)pyrocatechol WHMIS Classification Not WHMIS controlled. Not WHMIS controlled. 16. OTHER INFORMATION Further information Copyright 2009 Sigma-Aldrich Co. License granted to make unlimited paper copies for internal use only. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation Sigma - D9753 Page 4 of www.sigma-aldrich.com

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a

In case of eye contact Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician. 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES Flammable properties Flash point no data available Ignition temperature no data available 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 fire fighting if necessary. 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES Personal precautions Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust. Ensure adequate ventilation. Environmental precautions Do not let product enter drains. Methods for cleaning up Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE Handling Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection. Storage Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Recommended storage temperature: -20 °C 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/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 dust mask type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU). Hand protection For prolonged or repeated contact use protective gloves. Eye protection Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166

Concentration

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