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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

EC Regulation No.1907/2006 (REACH) & 1272/2008 (CLP)

## THIS PRODUCT IS FOR EXTERNAL USE ONLY- DO NOT INGEST

## IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY

## 1.1 Product identifier

Commercial Name: BENZYL ALCOHOL INCI Name: BENZYL ALCOHOL

CAS No: 100-51-6 EINECS No: 202-859-9

**REACH Reg No:** 01-2119492630-38-xxxx

**EU INDEX No:** 603-057-00-5 **Chemical Formula:**  $C_7H_8O$ 

Synonyms: Benzenemethanol, Phenylmethanol

## 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

**Identified use (s):** Multifunctional additive, preservative, Ecocert & Cosmos approved for manufacturing purposes.

## 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP) and amendment (EU) 2024/197

Hazard Class	Abbreviation	Hazard Category	Hazard Code	Hazard Statement
Acute Toxic Oral	ATO	4	H302	Harmful if swallowed
Eye Damage/Irritation	EDI	2A	H319	Causes serious eye irritation
Skin Sensitisation	SS	1	H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction
Acute Toxic Inhalation	ATI	4	H332	Harmful if inhaled

#### 2.2 Label elements

Symbols:



Signal word: WARNING

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# **UN Global Harmonised System Precautionary Statements (CLP)**

	Prevention Statements			
P280	Wear protective gloves/clothing, eye/face protection			
P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling			
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.			
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.			
P273	Avoid release to the environment			









	Response Statements			
P302/352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.			
P301/310	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.			
P333/313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.			
P321/363	Protective clothing should be washed before reuse			
P331	Do NOT induce vomiting.			
P332/313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention			
P362	Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.			
P353	Rinse skin with water/shower.			
P305	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.			
P351/338	Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.			
P337/313	If eye irritation persists: get medical advice/attention			
P370/378	In case of fire: Use carbon dioxide, foam or dry powder for extinction.			
P312	Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.			
P391	Collect spillage			

	Storage and Disposal Statements	
P403	Store in a well ventilated place.	
P235	Keep cool	
P501	Dispose of contents and container in accordance with international regulation	

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#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON CONSTITUENTS

## **3.1 Nature Of Product:** BENZYL ALCOHOL

Benzyl Alcohol is an aromatic alcohol that conforms to the formula C<sub>7</sub>H<sub>8</sub>O

#### 3.2 Constituents

These indicative levels should be taken into account when determining the compliance of the ingredient under its condition of use. (In accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 and its amendment Regulation (EU) No 2024/197

These indicative maximum levels should be taken into account when determining the compliance of the ingredient under its condition of use. (IFRA/IOFI Standards)

CONSTITUENT	CAS NUMBER	%	RELEVANT GHS
Benzyl alcohol	100-51-6	> 99.8	Eye Irrit. 2A;H319 Acute Tox. 5 (Dermal);H313 Acute Tox. 4 (Oral);H302 Skin Irrit. 1B;H317
Benzaldehyde	100-52-7	< 0.04	STOT SE 3;H335 Skin Irrit. 3;H316 Flam. Liq. 4;H227 Eye Irrit. 2A;H319 Aquatic Acute 2;H401 Acute Tox. 5 (Dermal);H313 Acute Tox. 4 (Oral);H302 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:dust,mist);H332

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# 4.1 Description of first aid measures

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting, give a glass of water. Seek urgent medical

attention and show this information.

**Inhalation:** Remove casualty to fresh air, keep respiratory passages clear and seek

urgent medical attention.

**Eye contact:** Irrigate with sterile water or saline for at least 15 minutes. Seek urgent medical

attention if irritation persists or tissue damage is apparent.

**Skin contact:** Remove contaminated clothing wash thoroughly with soap and water and rinse.

If causes irritation after prolonged contact, if so seek medical advice.

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#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**5.1 Extinguisher** Use CO2, Foam or Powder extinguishers only.

DO NOT USE WATER JETS.

**5.2 Special hazards** Avoid inhalation of smoke or fumes, may produce CO (carbon monoxide)

and CO2 (carbon dioxide).

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

<u>6.1 Personal Safety Precautions</u> Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear precautionary safety gloves

and glasses.

(Consult sections 7 & 8 for additional information)

**6.2 Environmental Safety Precautions** Eliminate all sources of ignition.

Prevent any material entering drains or waterways

6.2 Methods and materials for containment and clean up

Absorb spills into an inert absorbent material (e.g. proprietary oil drying granules or sand NOT

sawdust or other flammable materials.)
Wash area clean with water and detergent.
Transfer all waste to an approved waste disposal container, observing national legislation.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Handling Precautions Use in a well ventilated area. Prevent creation of dust cloud, use protective dust

mask. Observe good housekeeping procedures when handling the product. Do not eat, drink or smoke. Use Local Exhaust Ventilation (LEV) to minimise worker exposure. Use protective clothing when necessary.

**7.2 Storage Precautions** Product is stable at room temperature.

Keep away from sources of ignition.

Store in tightly sealed containers, in a cool dry place away

from direct sunlight.

Prevent access by unauthorised personnel.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1 Control parameters

**Ingredient comments:** No exposure limits known

**8.1.1 DNEL/DMEL** Acute effects - Inhalation Systemic 110 mg/m3 Workers

Dermal Systemic 40 mg/kg bw/day Workers Inhalation Systemic 27 mg/m³ Consumers Dermal Systemic 20 mg/kg bw/day Consumers Oral Systemic 20 mg/kg bw/day consumers

Chronic effects Inhalation Systemic 22 mg/m3 Workers

Dermal Systemic 8 mg/kg bw/day Workers Inhalation Systemic 5.4 mg/m³ Consumers Dermal Systemic 4 mg/kg bw/day Consumers Oral Systemic 4 mg/kg bw/day Consumers

#### 8.1.2 PNEC

Substance name: Benzyl alcohol, freshwater 1 mg/l, Freshwater - intermittent 2.31 mg/l marine water 0.01 mg/l, sewage treatment plant (STP) 39 mg/l, freshwater, sediment 5.27 mg/kg marine water, sediment 0.527 mg/kg (d.w.), soil 0.456 mg/kg (d.w.)

#### **8.2 Exposure controls**

**Respiratory Protection:** Ensure adequate ventilation.

If ventilation is insufficient use approved respirators.

**Skin/Hand Protection:** Wear personal protective equipment. Use chemical resistant safety gloves.

Polyvinyl alcohol or nitrile rubber gloves are recommended.

**Eye/Face Protection:** Wear safety glasses/visors. Ensure eye washes are available.







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#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance: Liquid

Colour: Clear colourless

Odour: Faint characteristic odour Odour threshold: No information available

**pH:** No information available

Melting point: -15.4°C

**Initial boiling point and range:** 203 - 205 °C

Flash point: 100.4 °C - DIN 51758
Evaporation rate: No information available
Evaporation factor: No information available

Flammability (solid, gas): Not flammable

Upper flammability or explosive limits: No information available Lower flammability or explosive limits: No information available Other flammability:

No information available

Vapour pressure: 0.07 hPa

Vapour density: No information available

**Specific gravity @ 25°C:** 1.045 g/mL at 25 °C **Bulk density:** No information available

Solubility(ies): Approx. 40 g/l (OECD 105 method) in water

Partition coefficient:No information availableAuto-ignition temperature:No information availableDecomposition Temperature:No information available

Viscosity:

Explosive properties:

Explosive under influence of a flame:
Oxidising properties:

No information available
No information available
No information available

9.2. Other information

**Dissociation constant:** 15.4 at 25 °C

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

**10.2.** Chemical stability Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended.

10.3. Possibility of

<u>hazardous reactions</u> Will not polymerise.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid** Keep away from any source of ignition, do not allow to freeze

**10.5. Incompatible materials** Avoid strong oxidisers, acids and alkalis.

10.6. Hazardous

**decomposition products** Decomposition may release carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide and other

organic compound fumes.

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#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### Acute toxicity

Acute toxicity - Oral LD50 Oral - Rat - male - 1,620 mg/kg

Acute toxicity - Dermal No data available

Acute toxicity - Inhalation LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - > 4.178 mg/l - aerosol

This product is NOT intended for oral use.

LD50 dosage levels are only a guideline obtained from historical data, Aroma Trading Ltd does not test its products on animals.

Skin corrosion/irritation: No irritation expected

Serious eye damage/irritation: May cause eye irritation

**Respiratory sensitisation:** No information available

Skin sensitisation: No irritation expected

Germ cell mutagenicity:

Carcinogenicity:

No information available
No information available

11.2 Information on other hazards

**Endocrine disrupting properties:** No information available

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 12.1 Toxicity

a) Aquatic acute toxicity: Toxicity to fish: static test LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 460

mg/l - 96 h

b) Aquatic acute toxicity: Aquatic invertebrates: Immobilization EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 230

mg/l - 48h

**12.2 Persistence and degradability** Readily biodegradable

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential Bioaccumulation is unlikely

1.4 Mobility in soil

No information available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance contains no components considered to be

either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1%

or higher.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

The substance/mixture does not contain components

considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at

levels of 0.1% or higher.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**13.1 Waste treatment methods** Do not pour into drains or waterways.

Care must be used to prevent the product contaminating rivers, waterways or drains. Should this happen alert the relevant authorities

in accordance with statutory procedures

Comply with local and national regulations for waste disposal. Empty containers should be washed thoroughly with detergent

before being sent for disposal.

Washings should be disposed of as waste.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport this product in compliance with and provision of, the ADR/RID for Road and Rail, IMDG for Sea and ICAO/IATA for Air transportation.

UN Shipping Name (N.O.S.): NON HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID

ADR/RID (Road/Rail): Not restricted IMDG-CODE (Sea): Not listed Not regulated

UN Number: Packing Group: Subsidiary Risk:

Packing Instructions: Non-hazardous substance, transport in suitable container..

#### Labelling according to ADR/RID, IMDG/IMO and ICAO/IATA:

UN Shipping Name: NON HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**Product Classification:** BENZYL ALCOHOL

This product is labelled according to the criteria of Directive CLP 1272/2008/EC.

# Classification:



#### WARNING

ATO 4 Harmful if swallowed
EDI 2A Causes serious eye irritation
SS 1 May cause an allergic skin reaction

ATI 4 Harmful if inhaled

## **Safety Precautions:**

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wear protective gloves and wash hands thoroughly after handling. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid release to the environment.

## 16. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

#### Legal disclaimer:

The information given on this material health and safety sheet is not a warranty as to the performance or suitability of the product. The information must be regarded only as a description of the health, safety and environmental requirements for that product. The information contained herein is true and accurate to the best of our knowledge and belief, but does not claim to be all inclusive.

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