# SIGMA-ALDRICH

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : 1-Methyl-2-(1,1,2,2-tetrafluoroethoxy)benzene

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#### 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
α,α,β,β-Tetrafluoro-2-methylphenetole			
42145-66-4	255-682-4	-	-

### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## **Emergency Overview**

**OSHA Hazards**Combustible Liquid

**HMIS Classification** 

Health Hazard: 0 Flammability: 2 Physical hazards: 0

**NFPA Rating** 

Health Hazard: 0 Fire: 2 Reactivity Hazard: 0

### **Potential Health Effects**

InhalationMay be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.SkinMay be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

**Eyes** May cause eye irritation. **Ingestion** May be harmful if swallowed.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

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#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

#### lf 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

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Flammable properties

Flash point 59 °C (138 °F) - closed cup

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 breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### **Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

### Methods for cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Handling

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

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

### **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.

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 full-face respirator with multipurpose 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**

For prolonged or repeated contact use protective gloves.

#### Eye protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166

## Skin and body protection

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

### Hygiene measures

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

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### **Appearance**

Form liquid
Colour light yellow

Safety data

pH no data available
Melting point no data available
Boiling point no data available

Flash point 59 °C (138 °F) - closed cup

Ignition temperature no data available
Lower explosion limit no data available
Upper explosion limit no data available

Density 1.221 g/mL at 25 °C (77 °F)

Water solubility no data available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Storage stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### Materials to avoid

Strong oxidizing agents

### **Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Hydrogen fluoride

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Acute toxicity**

no data available

## Irritation and corrosion

no data available

### Sensitisation

no data available

### Chronic exposure

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.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

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

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#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Elimination information (persistence and degradability)

no data available

### **Ecotoxicity effects**

no data available

# Further information on ecology

no data available

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **Product**

This combustible material may be burned in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. 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: 1993 Class: 3 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Flammable liquids, n.o.s.  $(\alpha, \alpha, \beta, \beta$ -Tetrafluoro-2-methylphenetole)

Marine pollutant: No

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG

UN-Number: 1993 Class: 3 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-E, S-E Proper shipping name: FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.  $(\alpha, \alpha, \beta, \beta$ -Tetrafluoro-2-methylphenetole)

Marine pollutant: No

**IATA** 

UN-Number: 1993 Class: 3 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Flammable liquid n.o.s.  $(\alpha, \alpha, \beta, \beta$ -Tetrafluoro-2-methylphenetole)

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **OSHA Hazards**

Combustible Liquid

#### **DSL Status**

This product contains the following components that are not on the Canadian DSL nor NDSL lists.

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### **SARA 302 Components**

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

### **SARA 313 Components**

SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

#### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard

### **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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**New Jersey Right To Know Components** 

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### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### **Further information**

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