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### SAFETY DATA SHEET

#### SECTION 1. Identification

**Product:**

Product Name: 3-Hydroxyisobutyric Acid  
Catalog number: 5177

**Supplier:**

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**Suitability:**

For laboratory use only.

#### SECTION 2. Hazard(s) identification

**Hazard classification:**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

**Signal Word:**

N/A

**Hazard Statements:**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

**Pictogram:**

N/A

**Precautionary Statements:**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

**Other hazards:**

None

#### SECTION 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

**Chemical name:**

3-Hydroxyisobutyric Acid

**Synonyms:**

3-Hydroxy-2-methylpropanoic Acid;  $\beta$ -Hydroxyisobutyric Acid; 2-(Hydroxymethyl)propionic Acid; 2-Methyl-3-hydroxypropanoic Acid; 2-Methyl-3-hydroxypropionic Acid; DL-3-Hydroxyisobutyric Acid

**CAS number:**

2068-83-9

**Impurities/Additives:**

N/A

#### SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Skin Contact:** Wash with soap and water for several minutes. Consult a physician.

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

**Inhalation:** Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. Consult a physician.

**Eye Contact:** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use water spray, foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Special protective equipment for firefighters**

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire-fighting if necessary.

**Hazardous combustion products:** Carbon oxides.

#### SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions:** Make sure to wear appropriate protective equipment as listed in section 8. Avoid breathing dust, vapors, or mists.

**Spill Clean-up Methods:** Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Cover with a non-combustible material (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth), sweep up, and place into a suitable container for disposal. Avoid breathing the resulting dust.



**SECTION 7. HANDLING & STORAGE**

**Usage/Handling Precautions:** Make sure to wear appropriate PPE as listed in section 8. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

**Storage Conditions:** Keep tightly closed and store at 2-8 °C.

**SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROL / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Engineering Controls:** Use fumehood if available.

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eyes:** Always wear safety glasses when working with chemicals. Wear chemical goggles when working with liquids.

**Skin:** Wear protective gloves and a lab coat to prevent skin exposure.

**SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**Appearance:** White Powder

**Odor:** N/A

**pH:** N/A

**Melting Point:** N/A

**Water Solubility (%):** N/A

**Flash Point (°C):** N/A

**Vapor pressure:** N/A

**Autoignition Temperature (°C):** N/A

**Flammability Limits in Air (% by Vol.):** N/A

**SECTION 10. STABILITY & REACTIVITY**

**Reactivity:** N/A

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under recommended storage conditions

**Conditions to Avoid:** Strong oxidizing agents.

**SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Inhalation:** N/A

**Ingestion:** N/A

**Skin and eye contact:** N/A

**Other:** N/A

**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

N/A

**SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Disposal Procedures:** Via licensed disposal company. Dispose of according to federal, state/province and local regulations.

**SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Not dangerous goods.

**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

N/A

**SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Preparation information: Last revised on 7/3/2015.

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