

# Material Safety Data Sheet

| HAZARD WARNINGS                                                                   | RISK PHRASES                                          | PROTECTIVE CLOTHING                                                                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|  | Irritating to skin, eyes, and the respiratory system. |  |

## Section I. Chemical Product and Company Identification

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|------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Chemical Name    | <b>4-(4'-Hydroxyphenyl)benzoic Acid</b>              |                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                        |
| Catalog Number   | H0695                                                | Supplier                                                                                                                                                                    | TCI America<br>9211 N. Harborside St.<br>Portland OR<br>1-800-423-8616 |
| Synonym          | 4'-Hydroxybiphenyl-4-carboxylic Acid                 | <div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 5px;"> In case of<br/>Emergency<br/>Call <b>Chemtrec®</b><br/>(800) 424-9300 (U.S.)<br/>(703) 527-3887 (International) </div> |                                                                        |
| Chemical Formula | HO(C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> COOH |                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                        |
| CAS Number       | 58574-03-1                                           |                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                        |

## Section II. Composition and Information on Ingredients

| Chemical Name                    | CAS Number | Percent (%)   | TLV/PEL        | Toxicology Data |
|----------------------------------|------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 4-(4'-Hydroxyphenyl)benzoic Acid | 58574-03-1 | Min. 98.0 (T) | Not available. | Not available.  |

## Section III. Hazards Identification

|                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| Acute Health Effects   | Irritating to eyes and skin on contact. Inhalation causes irritation of the lungs and respiratory system. Inflammation of the eye is characterized by redness, watering, and itching. Skin inflammation is characterized by itching, scaling, reddening, or, occasionally, blistering. Follow safe industrial hygiene practices and always wear proper protective equipment when handling this compound. |
| Chronic Health Effects | <b>CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS:</b> Not available. <b>MUTAGENIC EFFECTS:</b> Not available. <b>TERATOGENIC EFFECTS:</b> Not available. Toxicity of the product to the reproductive system: Not available. There is no known effect from chronic exposure to this product.                                                                                                                                       |

## Section IV. First Aid Measures

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| Eye Contact  | Check for and remove any contact lenses. DO NOT use an eye ointment. Flush eyes with running water for a minimum of 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Seek medical attention. Treat symptomatically and supportively.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Skin Contact | If the chemical gets spilled on a clothed portion of the body, remove the contaminated clothes as quickly as possible, protecting your own hands and body. Place the victim under a deluge shower. If the chemical touches the victim's exposed skin, such as the hands: Gently and thoroughly wash the contaminated skin with running water and non-abrasive soap. Be particularly careful to clean folds, crevices, creases and groin. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Seek medical attention. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Wash any contaminated clothing before reusing. |
| Inhalation   | If the victim is not breathing, perform artificial respiration. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If breathing is difficult, oxygen can be administered. Seek medical attention. Treat symptomatically and supportively.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| Ingestion    | Remove dentures if any. Have conscious person drink several glasses of water or milk. INDUCE VOMITING by sticking finger in throat. Lower the head so that the vomit will not reenter the mouth and throat. NEVER give an unconscious person anything to ingest. Seek medical attention. Treat symptomatically and supportively.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |

## Section V. Fire and Explosion Data

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|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Flammability                         | Combustible.                                                                                                                             | Auto-Ignition    | Not available. |
| Flash Points                         | Not available.                                                                                                                           | Flammable Limits | Not available. |
| Combustion Products                  | These products are toxic carbon oxides (CO, CO <sub>2</sub> ).                                                                           |                  |                |
| Fire Hazards                         | No specific information is available in our database regarding the flammability of this product in presence of various materials.        |                  |                |
| Explosion Hazards                    | Not available.                                                                                                                           |                  |                |
| Fire Fighting Media and Instructions | SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemicals, CO <sub>2</sub> , water spray or foam.<br>LARGE FIRE: Use water spray, fog or foam. DO NOT use water jet. |                  |                |

**Section VI. Accidental Release Measures**Spill Cleanup  
Instructions

In case of a spill and/or a leak, always shut off any sources of ignition, ventilate the area, and exercise caution. Use a shovel to put the material into a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning the spill by rinsing any contaminated surfaces with copious amounts of water. Consult federal, state, and/or local authorities for assistance on disposal.

**Section VII. Handling and Storage**Handling and Storage  
Information

IRRITANT. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Mechanical exhaust required. When not in use, tightly seal the container and store in a dry, cool place. Avoid excessive heat and light. DO NOT ingest. DO NOT breathe dust. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Always store away from incompatible compounds such as oxidizing agents.

**Section VIII. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

## Engineering Controls

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

## Personal Protection

Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.



## Exposure Limits

Not available.

**Section IX. Physical and Chemical Properties**

## Physical state @ 20°C

Solid. (Powder.)

## Solubility

Not available.

## Specific Gravity

Not available.

## Molecular Weight

214.22

## Partition Coefficient

Not available.

## Boiling Point

Not available.

## Vapor Pressure

Not available.

## Melting Point

289-294°C

## Vapor Density

Not available.

## Refractive Index

Not available.

## Volatility

Not available.

## Critical Temperature

Not available.

## Odor

Not available.

## Viscosity

Not available.

## Taste

Not available.

**Section X. Stability and Reactivity Data**

## Stability

This material is stable if stored under proper conditions. (See Section VII for instructions)

## Conditions of Instability

## Incompatibilities

Slightly reactive to reactive with oxidizing agents.

**Section XI. Toxicological Information**

## RTECS Number

Not available.

## Routes of Exposure

Ingestion. Inhalation. Eye contact. Skin contact.

## Toxicity Data

Not available.

No additional remark.

## Chronic Toxic Effects

**CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS:** Not available. **MUTAGENIC EFFECTS:** Not available. **TERATOGENIC EFFECTS:** Not available. Toxicity of the product to the reproductive system: Not available. There is no known effect from chronic exposure to this product.

## Acute Toxic Effects

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**Section XII. Ecological Information**

Ecotoxicity Not available.

Environmental Fate Not available.

**Section XIII. Disposal Considerations**

Waste Disposal Recycle to process, if possible. Consult your local or regional authorities. You may be able to dissolve or mix material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber system. Observe all federal, state, and local regulations when disposing of this substance.

**Section XIV. Transport Information**

DOT Classification Not a DOT controlled material (United States).

PIN Number NONE

Proper Shipping Name NONE

Packing Group (PG) NONE

DOT Pictograms

**Section XV. Other Regulatory Information and Pictograms**

TSCA Chemical Inventory (EPA) This product is **NOT** on the EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory. The following notices are required by 40 CFR 720.36 (C) for those products not on the inventory list:  
 (i) These products are supplied solely for use in research and development by or under the supervision of a technically qualified individual as defined in 40 CFR 720.0 et sec.  
 (ii) The health risks of these products have not been fully determined. Any information that is or becomes available will be supplied on an MSDS sheet.

WHMIS Classification (Canada) WHMIS CLASS D-2B: Material causing other toxic effects (TOXIC).

EINECS Number (EEC)

EEC Risk Statements R36/37/38- Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

Japanese Regulatory Data

**Section XVI. Other Information****Version 1.0****Validated on 3/13/1997.****Printed 2/25/2005.****Notice to Reader**

TCI laboratory chemicals are for research purposes only and are NOT intended for use as drugs, food additives, households, or pesticides. The information herein is believed to be correct, but does not claim to be all inclusive and should be used only as a guide. Neither the above named supplier nor any of its subsidiaries assumes any liability whatsoever for the accuracy or completeness of the information contained herein. Final determination of suitability of any material is the sole responsibility of the user. All chemical reagents must be handled with the recognition that their chemical, physiological, toxicological, and hazardous properties have not been fully investigated or determined. All chemical reagents should be handled only by individuals who are familiar with their potential hazards and who have been fully trained in proper safety, laboratory, and chemical handling procedures. Although certain hazards are described herein, we can not guarantee that these are the only hazards which exist. Our MSDS sheets are based only on data available at the time of shipping and are subject to change without notice as new information is obtained. Avoid long storage periods since the product is subject to degradation with age and may become more dangerous or hazardous. It is the responsibility of the user to request updated MSDS sheets for products that are stored for extended periods. Disposal of unused product must be undertaken by qualified personnel who are knowledgeable in all applicable regulations and follow all pertinent safety precautions including the use of appropriate protective equipment (e.g. protective goggles, protective clothing, breathing equipment, facial mask, fume hood). For proper handling and disposal, always comply with federal, state, and local regulations.