



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1. Product identifier

Product Description: 3-Furanmethanol
Cat No. : 188080000; 188080050; 188080250
Synonyms 3-Hydroxymethylfuran
CAS-No 4412-91-3
EC-No. 224-570-7
Molecular Formula C5 H6 O2

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

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals
Uses advised against No Information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Acros Organics BVBA
Janssen Pharmaceuticaaan 3a
2440 Geel, Belgium
E-mail address begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

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SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Physical hazards

Flammable liquids Category 3

Health hazards

Skin Corrosion/irritation Category 2

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2

Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure) Category 3

Environmental hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

Symbol(s) Xi - Irritant

R-phrases(s) R10 - Flammable

R36/37/38 - Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

For the full text of the R-phrases and H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

2.2. Label elements

**Signal Word****Warning****Hazard Statements**

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor
 H315 - Causes skin irritation
 H319 - Causes serious eye irritation
 H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary Statements

P280 - Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection
 P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
 P210 - Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking
 P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
 P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
 P312 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell

2.3. Other hazards

No information available.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1. Substances

Component	CAS-No	EC-No.	Weight %	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	DSD Classification - 67/548/EEC
Furan-3-methanol	4412-91-3	EEC No. 224-570-7	>95	Skin Irrit. 2 (H315) Eye Irrit. 2 (H319) STOT SE 3 (H335) Flam. Liq. 3 (H226)	R10 Xi; R36/37/38

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SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General Advice	If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Eye Contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.
Skin Contact	Obtain medical attention. Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.
Ingestion	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Obtain medical attention.
Protection of First-aiders	Use personal protective equipment.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None reasonably foreseeable.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**Notes to Physician**

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**5.1. Extinguishing media****Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Flammable. Containers may explode when heated. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

5.3. Advice for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

3-Furanmethanol

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Store under an inert atmosphere.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Biological limit values

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Monitoring methods

BS EN 14042:2003 Title Identifier: Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents.

MDHS70 General methods for sampling airborne gases and vapours

MDHS 88 Volatile organic compounds in air. Laboratory method using diffusive samplers, solvent desorption and gas chromatography

MDHS 96 Volatile organic compounds in air - Laboratory method using pumped solid sorbent tubes, solvent desorption and gas chromatography

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) No information available.

<u>Route of exposure</u>	Acute effects (local)	Acute effects (systemic)	Chronic effects (local)	Chronic effects (systemic)
Oral Dermal Inhalation				

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) No information available.

8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering Measures

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source.

Personal protective equipment

Eye Protection Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments
Natural rubber Nitrile rubber Neoprene PVC	See manufacturers recommendations	-	EN 374	(minimum requirement)

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Respiratory Protection	When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained properly.
Large scale/emergency use	Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.. Recommended Filter type: Organic gases and vapours filter, Type A, Brown, conforming to EN14387.
Small scale/Laboratory use	Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced. Recommended half mask:- Valve filtering: EN405 or Half mask: EN140 plus filter, EN 141 When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted.
Hygiene Measures	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
Environmental exposure controls	No information available.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Clear	
Physical State	Liquid.	
Odor	No information available	
Odor Threshold	No data available	
pH	No information available.	
Melting Point/Range	No data available	
Softening Point	No data available	
Boiling Point/Range	79 - 80°C / 174.2 - 176°F	@ 17 mmHg
Flash Point	38°C / 100.4°F	Method - No information available.
Evaporation Rate	No data available	
Flammability (solid,gas)	Not applicable	Liquid
Explosion Limits	No data available.	
Vapor Pressure	No data available	
Vapor Density	No information available.	(Air = 1.0)
Specific Gravity / Density	1.139	
Bulk Density	Not applicable	Liquid
Water Solubility	No information available.	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available.	
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Component Furan-3-methanol	log Pow 0.396

Autoignition Temperature	No data available	
Decomposition temperature	> 200°C	
Viscosity	No data available	
Explosive Properties	No information available.	explosive air/vapour mixtures possible
Oxidizing Properties	No information available.	

9.2. Other information

Molecular Formula	C5 H6 O2
Molecular Weight	98.1

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**10.1. Reactivity**

None known, based on information available.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions. Air sensitive.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Hazardous Reactions	None under normal processing.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible products, Excess heat, Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition, Exposure to air.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition productsCarbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂).**SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****11.1. Information on toxicological effects**

Product Information	No acute toxicity information is available for this product
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(a) acute toxicity;

Oral	No data available
Dermal	No data available
Inhalation	No data available

(b) skin corrosion/irritation;	Category 2
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(c) serious eye damage/irritation;	Category 2
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(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory	No data available
Skin	No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity;	No data available
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(f) carcinogenicity;	No data available
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	There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product
(g) reproductive toxicity;	No data available
(h) STOT-single exposure;	Category 3
(i) STOT-repeated exposure;	No data available
Target Organs	No information available.
(j) aspiration hazard;	No data available
Other Adverse Effects Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed	The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. No information available.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity effects Do not empty into drains.

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
Furan-3-methanol	439-588 mg/L LC50 96 h			

12.2. Persistence and degradability Persistence

No information available
Persistence is unlikely, based on information available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation is unlikely

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
Furan-3-methanol	0.396	No data available

12.4. Mobility in soil

The product contains volatile organic compounds (VOC) which will evaporate easily from all surfaces. Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its volatility. Disperses rapidly in air.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available for assessment

12.6. Other adverse effects

Endocrine Disruptor Information

Component	EU - Endocrine Disruptors Candidate List	EU - Endocrine Disruptors - Evaluated Substances	Japan - Endocrine Disruptor Information
Furan-3-methanol	Group III Chemical		

Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance
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SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues / Unused Products

Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated Packaging

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.. Empty containers retain product residue, (liquid and/or vapor), and can be dangerous. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

European Waste Catalogue (EWC)

According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific.

Other Information

Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not dispose of waste into sewer. Can be incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**IMDG/IMO**

14.1. UN number 1987
14.2. UN proper shipping name ALCOHOLS, N.O.S.
14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 3
14.4. Packing group III

ADR

14.1. UN number 1987
14.2. UN proper shipping name ALCOHOLS, N.O.S.
14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 3
14.4. Packing group III

IATA

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14.2. UN proper shipping name ALCOHOLS, N.O.S.
14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 3
14.4. Packing group III

14.5. Environmental hazards No hazards identified

14.6. Special precautions for user No special precautions required

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable, packaged goods

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

International Inventories X = listed

Component	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	CHINA	AICS	KECL
Furan-3-methanol	224-570-7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

National Regulations

Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3**

R10 - Flammable

R36/37/38 - Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

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Legend

<p>CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances KECL - Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances</p> <p>WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit ACGIH - American Conference of Industrial Hygiene DNEL - Derived No Effect Level RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50% NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic</p> <p>ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development BCF - Bioconcentration factor</p>	<p>TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals</p> <p>TWA - Time Weighted Average IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer PNEC - Predicted No Effect Concentration LD50 - Lethal Dose 50% EC50 - Effective Concentration 50% POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative</p> <p>ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate VOC - Volatile Organic Compounds</p>
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Key literature references and sources for data

Suppliers safety data sheet,
 Chemadvisor - LOLI,
 Merck index,
 RTECS

Training Advice

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.
 Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.
 First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

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