

# Material Safety Data Sheet

## 2,3-Dimethylindole

ACC# 05140

### Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

**MSDS Name:** 2,3-Dimethylindole

**Catalog Numbers:** AC153080000, AC153080050, AC153080250, AC377860000, AC377860050, AC377860050 AC377860050, AC377860250, AC377860250

**Synonyms:** None Known.

**Company Identification:**

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One Reagent Lane  
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

**For information in North America, call:** 800-ACROS-01

**For emergencies in the US, call CHEMTREC:** 800-424-9300

### Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

| CAS#    | Chemical Name      | Percent | EINECS/ELINCS |
|---------|--------------------|---------|---------------|
| 91-55-4 | 2,3-Dimethylindole | 99      | 202-076-2     |

### Section 3 - Hazards Identification

#### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Appearance: white to light yellow crystalline powder.

**Caution!** May cause eye, skin, and respiratory tract irritation. The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated.

**Target Organs:** None.

#### Potential Health Effects

**Eye:** May cause eye irritation.

**Skin:** May cause skin irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

**Ingestion:** May cause gastrointestinal irritation with nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. May be harmful if swallowed.

**Inhalation:** May cause respiratory tract irritation. May be harmful if inhaled.

**Chronic:** No information found.

### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Eyes:** Get medical aid immediately. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.

**Skin:** Get medical aid. Flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting. If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. Get medical aid.

**Inhalation:** Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid.

**Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.

### Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**General Information:** As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

**Extinguishing Media:** Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or appropriate foam.

**Flash Point:** Not available.

**Autoignition Temperature:** Not available.

**Explosion Limits, Lower:**Not available.

**Upper:** Not available.

**NFPA Rating:** (estimated) Health: 1; Flammability: 0; Instability: 0

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**General Information:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

**Spills/Leaks:** Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Sweep up or absorb material, then place into a suitable clean, dry, closed container for disposal. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation.

### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Use only in a well-ventilated area. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

**Storage:** Store in a tightly closed container. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

### Exposure Limits

| Chemical Name      | ACGIH       | NIOSH       | OSHA - Final PELs |
|--------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------|
| 2,3-Dimethylindole | none listed | none listed | none listed       |

**OSHA Vacated PELs:** 2,3-Dimethylindole: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

### Personal Protective Equipment

**Eyes:** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

**Skin:** Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

**Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respirators:** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

## Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical State:** Crystalline powder

**Appearance:** white to light yellow

**Odor:** None reported.

**pH:** Not available.

**Vapor Pressure:** Not available.

**Vapor Density:** Not available.

**Evaporation Rate:** Not available.

**Viscosity:** Not available.

**Boiling Point:** 285 deg C

**Freezing/Melting Point:** 104 - 108 deg C

**Decomposition Temperature:** Not available.

**Solubility:** Not available.

**Specific Gravity/Density:** Not available.

**Molecular Formula:** C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>11</sub>N

**Molecular Weight:** 145.20

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Incompatible materials, dust generation.

**Incompatibilities with Other Materials:** Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Nitrogen oxides, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Has not been reported.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

### RTECS#:

**CAS#** 91-55-4: NL7185000

### LD50/LC50:

Not available.

### Carcinogenicity:

CAS# 91-55-4: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

**Epidemiology:** No information found

**Teratogenicity:** No information found

**Reproductive Effects:** No information found

**Mutagenicity:** No information found

**Neurotoxicity:** No information found

**Other Studies:**

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

No information available.

## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

**RCRA P-Series:** None listed.

**RCRA U-Series:** None listed.

## Section 14 - Transport Information

|                | US DOT        | Canada TDG    |
|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| Shipping Name: | Not Regulated | Not Regulated |
| Hazard Class:  |               |               |
| UN Number:     |               |               |
| Packing Group: |               |               |

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

### US FEDERAL

#### TSCA

CAS# 91-55-4 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

#### Health & Safety Reporting List

None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

#### Chemical Test Rules

None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

#### Section 12b

None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

#### TSCA Significant New Use Rule

None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

#### CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs

None of the chemicals in this material have an RQ.

#### SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

#### Section 313

No chemicals are reportable under Section 313.

#### Clean Air Act:

This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants.

This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depleters.

This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depleters.

#### Clean Water Act:

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA.

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA.

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

#### OSHA:

None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

#### STATE

CAS# 91-55-4 is not present on state lists from CA, PA, MN, MA, FL, or NJ.

### California Prop 65

California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

### European/International Regulations

#### European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

##### Hazard Symbols:

Not available.

##### Risk Phrases:

##### Safety Phrases:

S 24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

#### WGK (Water Danger/Protection)

CAS# 91-55-4: No information available.

#### Canada - DSL/NDSL

CAS# 91-55-4 is listed on Canada's NDSL List.

#### Canada - WHMIS

not available.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

#### Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List

## Section 16 - Additional Information

**MSDS Creation Date:** 4/06/1998

**Revision #4 Date:** 6/22/2006

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