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## SAFETY DATA SHEET

### SECTION 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### 1.1 - Product Identifiers

Catalog Name: S-27679

Description: 4-Methylsulfonyl-2,3',4',5-tetrachlorobiphenyl

#### 1.2 - Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture

Laboratory Chemical Reference Material

#### 1.3 - Supplier Details

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### SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 - GHS Label Elements



**Signal Word: Warning**

#### Hazard Codes:

H312 - Harmful if absorbed through skin. (Acute toxicity, dermal, category 4)

H315 - Irritating to skin. (Skin corrosion/irritation, category 2)

H320 - Irritating to eyes. (Eye damage/irritation, category 2B)

H335 - May be irritating to mucous membrane and upper respiratory system. (Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure; Respiratory tract irritation, category 4)

#### Precautionary Codes:

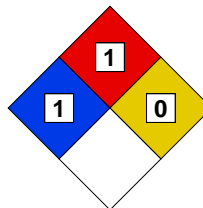
P202 - This product should only be used by persons trained in the safe handling of hazardous chemicals.

P260 - Do not breathe vapor.

P262 - Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing.

P264 - Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not take internally. Eye wash and safety equipment should be readily available.

P280 - Protective gloves must be worn to prevent skin contact.



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**SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION** - continued**2.1 - GHS Label Elements** - continued

P284 - Respiratory Protection: If workplace exposure limit(s) of product or any component is exceeded (see TLV/PEL), a NIOSH/MSHA approved air supplied respirator is advised in absence of proper environmental control. OSHA regulations also permit other NIOSH/MSHA respirators (negative pressure type) under specified conditions (see your safety equipment supplier). Engineering and/or administrative controls should be implemented to reduce exposure.

P338 - Eye contact: Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove and contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers.

P352 - Skin contact: Wash thoroughly with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

P404 - Store in a tightly closed container.

**2.2 - Other Hazards****2.2.1 - Symptom of Exposure Health/Environment**

Harmful.

Exposure can cause sweating, convulsions, headache, abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting and weakness.

Lung congestion may occur due to exposure. Inhalation may cause asthma, coughing, wheezing, running nose and eyes.

**2.2.2 - Potential Health Effects**

Irritating to eyes. (Eye damage/irritation, category 2B)

Irritating to skin. (Skin corrosion/irritation, category 2)

Harmful if absorbed through skin. (Acute toxicity, dermal, category 4)

Readily absorbed through skin.

May be irritating to mucous membrane and upper respiratory system. (Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure; Respiratory tract irritation, category 4)

May be harmful if inhaled. (Acute toxicity, inhalation, category 5)

May be harmful if swallowed. (Acute toxicity, oral, category 5)

**2.2.3 - Routes of Entry**

Inhalation, ingestion or skin contact.

**2.2.4 - Carcinogenicity**

This product is or contains a component that is not listed (ACGIH, IARC, NTP, OSHA) as a cancer causing agent.

**SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION / ANALYTES DATA**

Description: 4-Methylsulfonyl-2,3',4',5-tetrachlorobiphenyl

Synonyms: N/A

Molecular Weight: N/A

Molecular Formula: N/A

Analyte	CAS Number	% Concentration	ACGIH -TLV (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )			OSHA -PEL (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )		
			TWA	STEL	Skin	TWA	STEL	Skin
4-Methylsulfonyl-2,3',4',5-tetrachlorobiphenyl	69797-51-9	0.020						
Dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO)	67-68-5	99.980						

**SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES****4.1 - First Aid Procedures - General**

Get medical assistance for all cases of overexposure.

**4.2 - Eye Contact**

Eye contact: Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove and contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. (P338)

**4.3 - Skin Contact**

Skin contact: Wash thoroughly with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists. (P352)

**4.4 - Inhalation**

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or give oxygen by trained personnel. Seek immediate medical attention.

**4.5 - Ingestion**

Ingestion: Call a physician or poison control center immediately. ONLY induce vomiting at the instructions of a physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES****5.1 - Flammable Properties**

During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

**5.2 - Extinguishing Media**

Use alcohol foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical, or water spray when fighting fires involving this material.

**5.3 - Protection of 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 - Spill Response**

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and appropriate Personal protection. Stop leak if you can do so without risk. Ventilate area. Neutralize spill with soda ash or lime. Take up and containerize for proper disposal. Flush spill area with water. Keep combustibles away from spilled material. Comply with Federal, State, and local regulations.

**SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Store in a tightly closed container. (P404)

Store in a cool area away from ignition sources and oxidizers.

Material is hygroscopic.

Do not breathe vapor. (P260)

Use with adequate ventilation. (P271)

Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing. (P262)

Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

This product should only be used by persons trained in the safe handling of hazardous chemicals. (P202)

**SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS****8.1 - Engineering Controls/PPE**

Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not take internally. Eye wash and safety equipment should be readily available. (P264)

**8.2 - General Hygiene Considerations**

Respiratory Protection: If workplace exposure limit(s) of product or any component is exceeded (see TLV/PEL), a NIOSH/MSHA approved air supplied respirator is advised in absence of proper environmental control. OSHA regulations also permit other NIOSH/MSHA respirators (negative pressure type) under specified conditions (see your safety equipment supplier). Engineering and/or administrative controls should be implemented to reduce exposure.

Material should be handled or transferred in an approved fume hood or with adequate ventilation.

Protective gloves must be worn to prevent skin contact. (P280)

(Butyl or equivalent)

Safety glasses with side shields must be worn at all times.

**SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance: Clear liquid

Odor: N/A

Odor Threshold: N/A

pH: N/A

Melting Point: 64 °F / 18.5 °C

Boiling Point: 372 °F / 189 °C

Flash Point: 192 °F / 89 °C (cc)

Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate=1): 4.3

Flammability Class: N/A

Lower Flammability Level: 2.6

Upper Flammability Level: 42

Vapor Pressure: 0.42 mmHg (20 °C)

Vapor Density (Air = 1): 2.7 g/L

Specific Gravity: 1.101 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Solubility in Water: Very soluble

Partition Coefficient: N/A

Autoignition Temperature: 215 °C

Decomposition Temperature: N/A

Viscosity: 0.002 Pas (20 °C)

VOC Content: N/A

Percent Volatile: 99+

**SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Stability: Stable

Materials to Avoid: Oxidizers  
Acids

Hazardous Decomposition: Carbon oxides; Sulfur oxides; Formaldehyde; Mercaptans Decomposes >190 °C

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

**SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY** - continued

Condition to Avoid: Reacts violently with acyl halides & aryl halides; Moisture

**SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Human Health Toxicity**

See section 2 for specific toxicological information for the ingredients of this product.

LD50 (Oral): Rat- 14500 mg/kg

LD50 (Dermal) : Rat - 40 mg/kg

LC50 (Inhalation): N/A

LD50-Rat (Intraperitoneal) 8200 mg/kg

While DMSO is not considered to be a toxic substance, it is readily absorbed through the skin and can carry other toxic materials into the body.

No other information related to the toxicological properties of this product is available at this time.

**SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Environmental Toxicity**

By complying with sections 6 and 7 there should be no release to the environment.

If released into water, dimethyl sulfoxide is not expected to adsorb to suspended solids and sediment based upon the estimated Koc.

No other information related to the ecological properties of this product is available at this time.

**SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Recycle or incinerate at any EPA approved facility or dispose in compliance with Federal, State and local regulations. Empty containers must be triple-rinsed prior to disposal.

**SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION**Transportation Information (DOT/IATA)

UN Number: NR

UN Shipping Class: NR

UN Packing Group: NR

UN Proper Shipping Name: Not Regulated for Transport

Poison by Inhalation: No

Marine Pollutant: No

**SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Not all components are listed on the TSCA Inventory.

**For laboratory, research and development use only. Not for manufacturing or commercial purposes.**

In addition to federal and state regulations, local regulations may apply. Check with your local regulatory authorities.

**SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

This document has been designed to meet the requirements of OSHA, ANSI, GHS and CHIPs regulations.

The statements contained herein are offered for informational purposes only and are based on technical data that we believe to be accurate. The manufacturer will not assume any liability for the accuracy and completeness of this information. Final determination of the suitability of the material is the responsibility of the user. Although certain hazards are described herein, the user should not presume that these are the only hazards that exist. Since conditions and manner of use are outside of the manufacturers control, we make

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Legend : N/A = Not Available    ND = Not Determined    NR = Not Regulated

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**HMIS/NFPA HAZARD INDEX**

- 0 - Minimal
- 1 - Slight
- 2 - Moderate
- 3 - Serious
- 4 - Severe

\* - Additional Hazard

**GHS HAZARD INDEX**

- Category 1 - Most Severe
- Category 5 - Least Severe

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