

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

Revision Date 14-Feb-2020 Revision Number 2

# 1. Identification

Product Name Methylphosphonic acid

Cat No. : A12619

**CAS-No** 993-13-5

Synonyms No information available

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Alfa Aesar

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## **Emergency Telephone Number**

During normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 8am-7pm EST), call (800) 343-0660.

After normal business hours, call Carechem 24 at (866) 928-0789.

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute oral toxicity

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

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Label Elements

# Signal Word

Danger

### **Hazard Statements**

Harmful if swallowed

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage



## **Precautionary Statements**

### Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eve protection/face protection

#### Response

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

### Skin

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

#### **Eves**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

# Ingestion

Rinse mouth

Do NOT induce vomiting

### Storage

Store locked up

### **Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
Methylphosphonic acid	993-13-5	>95

## 4. First-aid measures

General Advice Immediate medical attention is required. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in

attendance.

Eye Contact Immediate medical attention is required. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under

the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing.

**Skin Contact**Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes. Immediate medical attention is required. Wash off immediately with

soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.

**Inhalation** Remove from exposure, lie down. Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Immediate medical attention is required. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask

equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device.

**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink

plenty of water. Call a physician immediately. If possible drink milk afterwards. Immediate medical attention is required. Remove from exposure, lie down. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Most important symptoms and

effects

Causes burns by all exposure routes. . Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue

and danger of perforation

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Chemical foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Explosion Limits** 

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available
Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2). Oxides of phosphorus. Phosphorus trihydride (phosphine).

### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

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

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Health	Flammability	Instability	Physical hazards
3	1	1	N/A

## 6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Use

personal protective equipment as required.

**Environmental Precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.

See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

Methods for Containment and Clean Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

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	7. Handling and storage
Handling	Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Handle product only in closed system or provide appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not taste or swallow. This material should be handled at the biosafety level 2 (BSL2) as required by OSHA Bloodborne Pathogen Rule (29 CFR 1910.1030.7).
Storage	Corrosives area. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

# 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

**Exposure Guidelines** 

This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limitsestablished by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Engineering Measures Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations

and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal Protective Equipment

**Eye/face Protection** Tight sealing safety goggles. Face protection shield.

**Skin and body protection** Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure. Impervious

clothing. Chemical resistant apron. Boots. Impervious gloves.

Respiratory Protection 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.

**Hygiene Measures** Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. When using do not eat, drink or

smoke. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Provide regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before

re-use. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical State Powder Solid

**Appearance** White

Odor No information available Odor Threshold No information available

pH No information available

Melting Point/Range 103 - 107 °C / 217.4 - 224.6 °F

Boiling Point/Range No information available Flash Point No information available

Evaporation Rate Not applicable

Flammability (solid, gas)

No information available

Flammability or explosive limits

UpperNo data availableLowerNo data available

Vapor Pressure

No information available

Vapor Density Not applicable

Specific Gravity
Solubility
No information available
Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water
No data available

Autoignition Temperature

Decomposition Temperature No information available

ViscosityNot applicableMolecular FormulaC H5 O3 P

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Molecular Weight 96.02

## 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard None known, based on information available

**Stability** Hygroscopic.

**Conditions to Avoid** Incompatible products. Exposure to moist air or water.

**Incompatible Materials** Strong oxidizing agents, Strong bases

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Oxides of phosphorus, Phosphorus

trihydride (phosphine)

No information available. **Hazardous Polymerization** 

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

# 11. Toxicological information

### **Acute Toxicity**

## **Product Information**

**Component Information** 

Component LD50 Oral		LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation	
Methylphosphonic acid	1760 - 2300 mg/kg (Rat)	Not listed	Not listed	

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

**Products** 

No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation No information available

No information available Sensitization

Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component CAS-No		IARC NTP		ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico	
Methylphosphonic acid	993-13-5	Not listed					

**Mutagenic Effects** No information available

**Reproductive Effects** No information available.

No information available. **Developmental Effects** 

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

STOT - single exposure None known STOT - repeated exposure None known

No information available **Aspiration hazard** 

delayed

Symptoms / effects,both acute and Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated.

Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes

severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

Persistence and Degradability Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

No information available. **Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** 

Mobility Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste Disposal Methods** 

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

# 14. Transport information

DOT

UN-No UN3261

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Technical Name Methylphosphonic acid

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group | |

**TDG** 

UN-No UN3261

**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group

IATA

UN-No UN3261

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group ||

IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN3261

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group |

## 15. Regulatory information

### United States of America Inventory

Component	CAS-No TS		TSCA Inventory notification - Active/Inactive	TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags
Methylphosphonic acid	993-13-5	=	-	-

#### Legend:

TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed '-' - Not Listed

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export Not applicable

## **International Inventories**

Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (ECL).

Component	CAS-No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Methylphosphonic acid	993-13-5	-	-	213-607-2	X	X	Χ	Χ	KE-23185

## U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

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**OSHA** - Occupational Safety and

Health Administration

Not applicable

CERCLA Not applicable

**California Proposition 65** This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know

Regulations

Not applicable

**U.S. Department of Transportation** 

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
DOT Marine Pollutant N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

U.S. Department of Homeland

Security

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

## 16. Other information

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