

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### 1. Identification

**Product Name**                      **Methyl 5-methyl-2-furoate**

**Cat No. :**                              **H27570**

**CAS No**                                2527-96-0  
**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

##### Company

Alfa Aesar  
Thermo Fisher Scientific Chemicals, Inc.  
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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)

Flammable liquids

Category 4

#### Label Elements

##### **Signal Word**

Warning

##### **Hazard Statements**

Combustible liquid

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking  
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

**Fire**

In case of fire: Use CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, or foam for extinction

**Storage**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

**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 % |
|---------------------------|-----------|----------|
| Methyl 5-methyl-2-furoate | 2527-96-0 | <=100    |

### 4. First-aid measures

|                                            |                                                                                                                         |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Eye Contact</b>                         | Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.         |
| <b>Skin Contact</b>                        | Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur. |
| <b>Inhalation</b>                          | Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.                                               |
| <b>Ingestion</b>                           | Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.                   |
| <b>Most important symptoms and effects</b> | Difficulty in breathing. Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting            |
| <b>Notes to Physician</b>                  | Treat symptomatically                                                                                                   |

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

|                                         |                                                   |
|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>     | Water mist may be used to cool closed containers. |
| <b>Unsuitable Extinguishing Media</b>   | No information available                          |
| <b>Flash Point</b>                      | 87 °C / 188.6 °F                                  |
| <b>Method -</b>                         | No information available                          |
| <b>Autoignition Temperature</b>         | No information available                          |
| <b>Explosion Limits</b>                 |                                                   |
| <b>Upper</b>                            | No data available                                 |
| <b>Lower</b>                            | No data available                                 |
| <b>Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact</b> | No information available                          |
| <b>Sensitivity to Static Discharge</b>  | No information available                          |

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Combustible material. Containers may explode when heated.

**Hazardous Combustion Products**

None known.

#### 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.

#### NFPA

Health  
0

Flammability  
2

Instability  
0

Physical hazards  
-

### 6. Accidental release measures

#### Personal Precautions

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

#### Environmental Precautions

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

**Methods for Containment and Clean Up** Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition.

### 7. Handling and storage

#### Handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

#### Storage

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame.

### 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

#### Exposure Guidelines

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

#### Engineering Measures

None under normal use conditions. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

#### Personal Protective Equipment

##### Eye/face Protection

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 and body protection

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

##### Respiratory Protection

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.

##### Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

### 9. Physical and chemical properties

#### Physical State

Liquid

#### Appearance

No information available

#### Odor

No information available

#### Odor Threshold

No information available

#### pH

No information available

#### Melting Point/Range

No data available

#### Boiling Point/Range

255 °C / 491 °F

#### Flash Point

87 °C / 188.6 °F

#### Evaporation Rate

No information available

|                                        |                          |
|----------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Flammability (solid,gas)               | Not applicable           |
| Flammability or explosive limits       |                          |
| Upper                                  | No data available        |
| Lower                                  | No data available        |
| Vapor Pressure                         | No information available |
| Vapor Density                          | No information available |
| Specific Gravity                       | 1.114 g/cm3              |
| Solubility                             | No information available |
| Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water | No data available        |
| Autoignition Temperature               | No information available |
| Decomposition Temperature              | No information available |
| Viscosity                              | No information available |
| Molecular Formula                      | C7 H8 O3                 |
| Molecular Weight                       | 140.14                   |

## 10. Stability and reactivity

|                                  |                                                                   |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Reactive Hazard                  | None known, based on information available                        |
| Stability                        | Stable under normal conditions.                                   |
| Conditions to Avoid              | Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. |
| Incompatible Materials           | Strong oxidizing agents                                           |
| Hazardous Decomposition Products | None under normal use conditions                                  |
| Hazardous Polymerization         | Hazardous polymerization does not occur.                          |
| Hazardous Reactions              | None under normal processing.                                     |

## 11. Toxicological information

### Acute Toxicity

#### Product Information

#### Component Information

|                                      |                          |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Toxicologically Synergistic Products | No information available |
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#### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

|                 |                                                                                          |
|-----------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Irritation      | No information available                                                                 |
| Sensitization   | No information available                                                                 |
| Carcinogenicity | The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen. |

| Component                 | CAS No    | IARC       | NTP        | ACGIH      | OSHA       | Mexico     |
|---------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Methyl 5-methyl-2-furoate | 2527-96-0 | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed |

|                          |                           |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Mutagenic Effects        | No information available  |
| Reproductive Effects     | No information available. |
| Developmental Effects    | No information available. |
| Teratogenicity           | No information available. |
| STOT - single exposure   | None known                |
| STOT - repeated exposure | None known                |

|                                                   |                                                                                     |
|---------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Aspiration hazard</b>                          | No information available                                                            |
| <b>Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed</b> | Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting |
| <b>Endocrine Disruptor Information</b>            | No information available                                                            |
| <b>Other Adverse Effects</b>                      | The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.                      |

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

Do not empty into drains.

|                                      |                                                                       |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Persistence and Degradability</b> | Immiscible with water                                                 |
| <b>Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation</b> | No information available.                                             |
| <b>Mobility</b>                      | Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility. |

## 13. Disposal considerations

|                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
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| <b>Waste Disposal Methods</b> | 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. |
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## 14. Transport information

|            |                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>DOT</b> | COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID, NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT IN THIS QUANTITY<br>According to 49 CFR §173.150(f)(1), this material should be reclassified as NA1993, Combustible Liquid, NOS if it is shipped in bulk. |
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|                             |                            |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>UN-No</b>                | NA1993                     |
| <b>Proper Shipping Name</b> | Combustible liquid, n.o.s. |
| <b>Packing Group</b>        | III                        |
| <b>TDG</b>                  | Not regulated              |
| <b>IATA</b>                 | Not regulated              |
| <b>IMDG/IMO</b>             | Not regulated              |

## 15. Regulatory information

### United States of America Inventory

| Component                 | CAS No    | TSCA | TSCA Inventory notification - Active/Inactive | TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags |
|---------------------------|-----------|------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Methyl 5-methyl-2-furoate | 2527-96-0 | -    | -                                             | -                           |

#### **Legend:**

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

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

|                                       |                |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>TSCA 12(b)</b> - Notices of Export | Not applicable |
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### International Inventories

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

| Component                 | CAS No    | DSL | NDSL | EINECS | PICCS | ENCS | ISHL | AICS | IECSC | KECL |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----|------|--------|-------|------|------|------|-------|------|
| Methyl 5-methyl-2-furoate | 2527-96-0 | -   | -    | -      | -     | -    | -    | -    | -     | -    |

**U.S. Federal Regulations**

|                                                             |                                                             |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>SARA 313</b>                                             | Not applicable                                              |
| <b>SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories</b>                       | See section 2 for more information                          |
| <b>CWA (Clean Water Act)</b>                                | Not applicable                                              |
| <b>Clean Air Act</b>                                        | Not applicable                                              |
| <b>OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration</b> | Not applicable                                              |
| <b>CERCLA</b>                                               | Not applicable                                              |
| <b>California Proposition 65</b>                            | This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals. |
| <b>U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations</b>                 | Not applicable                                              |
| <b>U.S. Department of Transportation</b>                    |                                                             |
| Reportable Quantity (RQ):                                   | N                                                           |
| DOT Marine Pollutant                                        | N                                                           |
| DOT Severe Marine Pollutant                                 | N                                                           |
| <b>U.S. Department of Homeland Security</b>                 | This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.            |

**Other International Regulations**

|                       |                          |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Mexico - Grade</b> | No information available |
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**16. Other information**

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**End of SDS**