

Section 1 Chemical Product and Company Information

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Phone Number (800) 424-9300
For laboratory use only.
Not for drug, food or household use.

Product	CAMPHOR
Synonyms	Bornan-2-one / Synthetic Camphor / Camphor Gum

Section 2 Hazards Identification

Signal word: WARNING**Pictograms:** GHS02 / GHS07 / GHS08**Target organs:** Central nervous system**GHS Classification:**

Flammable solid (Category 2)

Acute toxicity, oral (Category 4)

Acute toxicity, inhalation (Category 4)

STOT-SE (Category 2)

GHS Label information: Hazard statement:

H228: Flammable solid.

H302: Harmful if swallowed.

H332: Harmful if inhaled.

H371: May cause damage to organs.

Precautionary statement:

P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

P240: Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

P241: Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

P260: Do not breathe dust.

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P370+P378: In case of fire: Use dry chemical, alcohol foam, carbon dioxide or water spray to extinguish.

P301+P312: IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.

P330: Rinse mouth.

P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P312: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.

P405: Store locked up.

P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Ca Prop 65: This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Camphor	76-22-2	100%	200-945-0

Section 4 First Aid Measures

INGESTION: HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: HARMFUL IF INHALED. CAUSES RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.

Protective Actions for Fire-fighters: In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Specific Hazards: During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. At temperatures above 66°C (150°F), explosive vapor/air mixtures may be formed. Finely dispersed particles form explosive mixtures in air.

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

Containment and Cleanup: Recover for reuse if not contaminated. Remove all sources of ignition. Sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale dusts or vapors. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep away from ignition sources.

Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Camphor, synthetic	TWA: 12 mg/m ³ STEL: 19 mg/m ³ (A4)	TWA: 2 mg/m ³	TWA: 2 mg/m ³

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If dusty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance: Solid. White crystals	Evaporation rate (= 1): Data not available	Partition coefficient: Data not available
Odor: Penetrating characteristic odor	Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available	Auto-ignition temperature: 466°C (871°F)
Odor threshold: Data not available	Explosion limits: Lower / Upper: 0.6% / 3.5%	Decomposition temperature: Data not available
pH: Data not available	Vapor pressure (mm Hg): 0.18 @ 20°C	Viscosity: Data not available
Melting / Freezing point: 180°C (356°F)	Vapor density (Air = 1): Data not available	Molecular formula: C ₁₀ H ₁₆ O
Boiling point: 207°C (405°F)	Relative density (Specific gravity): 0.992	Molecular weight: 152.24
Flash point: 65.5°C (150°F) CC	Solubility(ies): 0.12% in water	

Section 10 Stability & Reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable **Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: Excessive temperatures and other sources of ignition.

Incompatible materials: Strong oxidizers, acids and bases.

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon oxides.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: Inhalation-rat LC50: 500 mg/m³

Skin corrosion/irritation: Data not available

Serious eye damage/irritation: Data not available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available

Carcinogenicity: Data not available

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

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Reproductive toxicity: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: Data not available

STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available

Aspiration hazard: Data not available

Potential health effects:

Inhalation: Inhalation cause cough and sore throat. Also see ingestion symptoms.

Ingestion: Ingestion causes burning sensation in the throat and chest, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, headache, confusion, convulsions, and/or unconsciousness.

Skin: Contact causes redness.

Eyes: Contact causes redness and pain.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: The substance may cause effects on the central nervous system. This may result in convulsions and respiratory depression. Ingestion could cause death. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

Additional information: RTECS #: EX1225000

Section 12 Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish: No data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: No data available

Toxicity to algae: No data available

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Other adverse effects: An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

UN/NA number: UN2717

Shipping name: Camphor

Hazard class: 4.1

Packing group: III

Reportable Quantity: No

Marine pollutant: No

Exceptions: No exceptions

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Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERCLA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	WHMIS Classification
Camphor	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	 B4

Section 16 Additional Information

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