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SIGMA-ALDRICH

## Material Safety Data Sheet

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### Section 1 - Product and Company Information

<b>Product Name</b>	Phenylacetaldehyde, 90+%		
<b>Product Number</b>	T07395		
<b>Brand</b>	Aldrich Chemical		
<b>Company</b>	Sigma-Aldrich		
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<b>City, State, Zip, Country</b>	SAINT LOUIS, MO 63103 US		
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### Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient

<u>Substance Name</u>	<u>CAS #</u>	<u>SARA 313</u>	<u>EC no</u>	<u>Annex I Index Number</u>
PHENYLACETALDEHYDE	122-78-1	No	204-574-5	

**Formula** C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>8</sub>O  
**Synonyms** Acetaldehyde, phenyl-, Hyacinthin, Phenylacetaldehyde, Phenylacetic aldehyde, Phenylethanal, alpha-Tolualdehyde, alpha-Toluic aldehyde

### Section 3 - Hazards Identification

#### Emergency Overview

Harmful.  
Harmful if swallowed. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.  
Combustible.

#### HMIS Rating

Health: 2 Flammability: 2 Reactivity: 0

#### NFPA Rating

Health: 2 Flammability: 2 Reactivity: 0

For additional information on toxicity, please refer to Section 11.

### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

#### Oral Exposure

If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician.

#### Inhalation Exposure

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

#### Dermal Exposure

In case of contact, immediately wash skin with soap and copious amounts of water.

#### Eye Exposure

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes.

### Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**Flash Point:** 188.6 °F 87 °C

**Autoignition Temp:** N/A

#### Extinguishing Media

##### Suitable

Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.

#### Firefighting

##### Protective Equipment

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

##### Specific Hazard(s)

Combustible liquid. Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

#### Procedure(s) of Personal Precaution(s)

Wear respirator, chemical safety goggles, rubber boots, and heavy rubber gloves.

#### Methods for Cleaning Up

Absorb on sand or vermiculite and place in closed containers for disposal. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

#### Handling

##### User Exposure

Do not breathe vapor. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

#### Storage

##### Suitable

Keep tightly closed. Keep away from heat and open flame. Store at 2-8°C

#### Special Requirements

Store under inert gas.

### Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE

#### Engineering Controls

Mechanical exhaust required. Safety shower and eye bath.

#### Personal Protective Equipment

##### Respiratory

Government approved respirator.

##### Hand

Compatible chemical-resistant gloves.

##### Eye

Chemical safety goggles.

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General Hygiene Measures  
Wash thoroughly after handling.

### Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

<b>Appearance</b>	<b>Color</b>	<b>Form</b>
	Slightly yellow-green	Clear liquid

Molecular Weight: 120.15 AMU

<u>Property</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>At Temperature or Pressure</u>
pH	N/A	
BP/BP Range	195 °C	760 mmHg
MP/MP Range	-10 °C	
Freezing Point	N/A	
Vapor Pressure	N/A	
Vapor Density	N/A	
Saturated Vapor Conc.	N/A	
SG/Density	1.075 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	
Bulk Density	N/A	
Odor Threshold	N/A	
Volatile%	N/A	
VOC Content	N/A	
Water Content	N/A	
Solvent Content	N/A	
Evaporation Rate	N/A	
Viscosity	N/A	
Partition Coefficient	N/A	
Decomposition Temp.	N/A	
Flash Point °F	188.6 °F	Method: closed cup
Flash Point °C	87 °C	Method: closed cup
Explosion Limits	N/A	
Flammability	N/A	
Autoignition Temp	N/A	
Refractive Index	1.518	
Solubility	N/A	

N/A = not available

### Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Stability**  
Stable.  
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**Materials to Avoid**  
Strong oxidizing agents, Strong bases.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**  
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Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide.

**Hazardous Polymerization**  
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Will not occur.

### Section 11 - Toxicological Information

**Route of Exposure**  
**Skin Contact**  
Causes skin irritation.  
**Skin Absorption**  
May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.  
**Eye Contact**  
Causes eye irritation.  
**Inhalation**  
Material is irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. May be harmful if inhaled.  
**Ingestion**  
Harmful if swallowed.

**Signs and Symptoms of Exposure**  
To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

**RTECS Number:** CY1420000

**Toxicity Data**  
Oral - Rat: 1550 mg/kg (LD50)  
Oral - Mouse: 3890 mg/kg (LD50)  
Inhalation - Mouse: 2,000 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (LC50)  
Skin - Rabbit: > 5000 mg/kg (LD50)  
Oral - Guinea pig: 3890 mg/kg (LD50)

**Irritation Data**  
Skin - Human: 2 % 48H

### Section 12 - Ecological Information

No data available.

### Section 14 - Transport Information

**DOT**  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Combustible liquid, n.o.s.  
**UN#:** 1993  
**Class:** COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID  
**Packing Group:** Packing Group III  
**Hazard Label:** None  
**PIH:** Not PIH

**IATA**  
**Non-Hazardous for Air Transport:** Non-hazardous for air transport.

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## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

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### EU Additional Classification

Symbol of Danger: Xn

#### Indication of Danger

Harmful.

**Risk Statements** R: 22 36/37/38

Harmful if swallowed. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

**Safety Statements** S: 26 36

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable protective clothing.

### US Classification and Label Text

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Harmful.

#### Risk Statements

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#### Safety Statements

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#### US Statements

Combustible.

### United States Regulatory Information

SARA Listed: No

TSCA Inventory Item: Yes

### Canada Regulatory Information

#### WHMIS Classification

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

DSL: Yes

NDSL: No

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## Section 16 - Other Information

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### Disclaimer

For R&D use only. Not for drug, household or other uses.

### Warranty

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