

2,3-Benzofuran

Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) with its amendment Regulation (EU) 2015/830
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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form	: Substance
Substance name	: 2,3-Benzofuran
IUPAC name	: 1-benzofuran
EC-No.	: 205-982-6
CAS-No.	: 271-89-6
Product code	: 25856453
Formula	: C ₈ H ₆ O
Product group	: Raw material

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Main use category	: Laboratory use, Industrial use, Professional use
Industrial/Professional use spec	: For professional use only
Use of the substance/mixture	: For analytical purposes Scientific research and development Not for human consumption or veterinary purposes.

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier

Safell Organics
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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : +44 (0) 7590 545705

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Flammable liquids, Category 3	H226
Carcinogenicity, Category 2	H351
Full text of H statements : see section 16	

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP)



GHS02

GHS08

Signal word (CLP)

: Warning

Hazard statements (CLP)

: H226 - Flammable liquid and vapour.
H351 - Suspected of causing cancer.

Precautionary statements (CLP)

: P201 - Obtain special instructions before use.
P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.
No smoking.
P280 - Wear protective clothing, eye protection, face protection, protective gloves.
P308+P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

2.3. Other hazards

This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Name	Product identifier	%
2,3-Benzofuran	(CAS-No.) 271-89-6 (EC-No.) 205-982-6	100

Full text of H-statements: see section 16

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	: If possible show this sheet, if not available show packaging or label. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not leave affected person unattended.
First-aid measures after inhalation	: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Give oxygen or artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing difficulties persist : Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: After contact with skin, take off immediately all contaminated clothing, and wash immediately with plenty of water. Do not remove clothing if it sticks to the skin. If irritation persists, consult a doctor.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Rinse mouth out with water. Do not induce vomiting. Get medical advice/attention.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: Inhalation may cause irritation (cough, short breathing, difficulty in breathing).
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: May cause moderate irritation, including burning sensation, tearing, redness or swelling.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: May cause eye irritation. redness, itching, tears.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: Ingestion may cause nausea and vomiting.
Chronic symptoms	: Suspected of causing cancer.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Get immediate medical advice/attention.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Dry powder. Sand.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: Do NOT use water jet.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard	: Flammable liquid and vapour.
Explosion hazard	: May form flammable/explosive vapour-air mixture.
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire	: Carbon oxides (CO, CO2).

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Precautionary measures fire	: Keep container tightly closed and away from heat, sparks and flame. Keep away from combustible materials.
Firefighting instructions	: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire fighting water from entering the environment.
Protection during firefighting	: Wear recommended personal protective equipment. Use self-contained breathing apparatus and chemically protective clothing.
Other information	: Warn all persons of toxic hazard.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures	: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Ventilate the area thoroughly, especially low lying areas (basements, workpits etc). Keep away from combustible materials.
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6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment	: Wear recommended personal protective equipment.
Emergency procedures	: Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorized personnel. Do not touch or walk on the spilled product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.
Measures in case of dust release	: Shelter from vapours by keeping upwind. Ventilate the area thoroughly, especially low lying areas (basements, workpits etc). Special attention should be given to low areas/pits where flammable vapours can accumulate.

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6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Use self-contained breathing apparatus and chemically protective clothing.
- Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- For containment : Collect spillage. Contain the spilled material by bunding.
- Methods for cleaning up : Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Try to stop release if without risk.

6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Additional hazards when processed : Handle empty containers with care because residual vapours are flammable.
- Precautions for safe handling : Avoid formation of vapours. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Ensure that there is a suitable ventilation system. Do not handle in a confined space.
- Hygiene measures : Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Technical measures : Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed.
- Storage conditions : Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : Heat sources, Direct sunlight. Keep container closed when not in use. Air sensitive. Light sensitive.
- Incompatible products : Strong oxidizing agents.
- Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight. Heat sources. open flames. sparks. Air contact. Light sensitive.
- Storage temperature : 2 - 8 °C
- Heat and ignition sources : Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
- Storage area : Keep away from combustible materials. Keep container tightly closed. Store in a dark area.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

For analytical purposes. Scientific research and development. Not for human consumption or veterinary purposes.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Floors should be impervious, resistant to liquids and easy to clean.

Personal protective equipment:

Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

Materials for protective clothing:					
Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection					
Hand protection:					
The protective gloves to be used must comply with the specifications of the regulation 2016/425 and the resultant standard EN 374					
Type	Material	Permeation	Thickness (mm)	Penetration	Standard
Disposable gloves	Fluoroelastomer (FKM)	6 (> 480 minutes)	0.7		EN 374
Eye protection:					
Emergency eye wash fountains should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Use eye protection according to EN 166, designed to protect against liquid splashes.					
Type	Use	Characteristics		Standard	
Safety goggles, Face shield	Droplet, vapours	tightly fitting safety goggles, With side shields		EN 166	

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Skin and body protection:

Emergency safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Keep suitable chemically resistant protective clothing readily available for emergency use

Type	Standard
Total impervious protective suits, gloves, and boots must be worn to prevent any contact with the product, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing	EN 14605

Respiratory protection:

Keep self contained breathing apparatus readily available for emergency use. Where exposure through inhalation may occur from use, respiratory protection equipment is recommended

Device	Filter type	Condition	Standard
Air-Purifying Respirator (APR), reusable	ABEK	Moist condition, Mist formation, Protection for Liquid particles, Vapour protection	EN 14387

Other information:

Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Clear.
Molecular mass	: 118.14 g/mol
Colour	: Colourless. light yellow.
Odour	: No data available.
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: No data available
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: 173 - 175 °C lit.
Flash point	: 50 °C
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Flammable
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: 1.072 g/cm3
Solubility	: No data available
Log Pow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Explosive limits	: No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Flammable liquid and vapour.

10.2. Chemical stability

Flammable liquid and vapour. May form flammable/explosive vapour-air mixture.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Protect from sunlight. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Air contact. Light sensitive.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizers.

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10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No hazardous decomposition products known at room temperature. Thermal decomposition generates : Carbon oxides (CO, CO₂).

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified
Additional information	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified
Additional information	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Additional information	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Additional information	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Carcinogenicity	: Suspected of causing cancer.
Additional information	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
Additional information	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
STOT-single exposure	: Not classified
Additional information	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Additional information	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Additional information	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Acute aquatic toxicity	: Not classified
Chronic aquatic toxicity	: Not classified

12.2. Persistence and degradability

2,3-Benzofuran (271-89-6)	
Persistence and degradability	No data available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

2,3-Benzofuran (271-89-6)	
Bioaccumulative potential	No data available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

2,3-Benzofuran (271-89-6)	
This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII	
This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII	

12.6. Other adverse effects

Additional information	: Avoid release to the environment.
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SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	: Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.
Additional information	: Handle empty containers with care because residual vapours are flammable.
Ecology - waste materials	: Avoid release to the environment.






SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

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ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
14.1. UN number				
1993	1993	1993	1993	1993
14.2. UN proper shipping name				
FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.	Flammable liquid, n.o.s.	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.
Transport document description				
UN 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (2,3-Benzofuran), 3, III, (D/E)	UN 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (2,3-Benzofuran), 3, III	UN 1993 Flammable liquid, n.o.s. (2,3-Benzofuran), 3, III	UN 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (2,3-Benzofuran), 3, III	UN 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (2,3-Benzofuran), 3, III
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)				
3	3	3	3	3
				
14.4. Packing group				
III	III	III	III	III
14.5. Environmental hazards				
Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No Marine pollutant : No	Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No
No supplementary information available				

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Classification code (ADR)	: F1
Special provisions (ADR)	: 274, 601
Limited quantities (ADR)	: 5I
Excepted quantities (ADR)	: E1
Packing instructions (ADR)	: P001, IBC03, LP01, R001
Mixed packing provisions (ADR)	: MP19
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (ADR)	: T4
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (ADR)	: TP1, TP29
Tank code (ADR)	: LGBF
Vehicle for tank carriage	: FL
Transport category (ADR)	: 3
Special provisions for carriage - Packages (ADR)	: V12
Special provisions for carriage - Operation (ADR)	: S2
Hazard identification number (Kemler No.)	: 30
Orange plates	: 

Tunnel restriction code (ADR)	: D/E
EAC code	: •3YE

Transport by sea

Special provisions (IMDG)	: 223, 274, 955
Limited quantities (IMDG)	: 5 L
Excepted quantities (IMDG)	: E1
Packing instructions (IMDG)	: LP01, P001
IBC packing instructions (IMDG)	: IBC03
Tank instructions (IMDG)	: T4

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Tank special provisions (IMDG)	: TP1, TP29
EmS-No. (Fire)	: F-E
EmS-No. (Spillage)	: S-E
Stowage category (IMDG)	: A

Air transport

PCA Excepted quantities (IATA)	: E1
PCA Limited quantities (IATA)	: Y344
PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA)	: 10L
PCA packing instructions (IATA)	: 355
PCA max net quantity (IATA)	: 60L
CAO packing instructions (IATA)	: 366
CAO max net quantity (IATA)	: 220L
Special provisions (IATA)	: A3
ERG code (IATA)	: 3L

Inland waterway transport

Classification code (ADN)	: F1
Special provisions (ADN)	: 274, 601
Limited quantities (ADN)	: 5 L
Excepted quantities (ADN)	: E1
Carriage permitted (ADN)	: T
Equipment required (ADN)	: PP, EX, A
Ventilation (ADN)	: VE01
Number of blue cones/lights (ADN)	: 0

Rail transport

Classification code (RID)	: F1
Special provisions (RID)	: 274, 601
Excepted quantities (RID)	: E1
Packing instructions (RID)	: P001, IBC03, LP01, R001
Mixed packing provisions (RID)	: MP19
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (RID)	: T4
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (RID)	: TP1, TP29
Tank codes for RID tanks (RID)	: LGBF
Transport category (RID)	: 3
Special provisions for carriage – Packages (RID)	: W12
Colis express (express parcels) (RID)	: CE4
Hazard identification number (RID)	: 30

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

No REACH Annex XVII restrictions
2,3-Benzofuran is not on the REACH Candidate List
Directive 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III)

15.1.2. National regulations

No additional information available

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out for the substance or the mixture by the supplier

SECTION 16: Other information

Data sources	: REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.
Other information	: None.

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Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
Carc. 2	Carcinogenicity, Category 2
Flam. Liq. 3	Flammable liquids, Category 3
H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
H351	Suspected of causing cancer.

SDS EU (REACH Annex II)

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.