

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Methyl Paraben

(Methyl P-Hydroxybenzoate)

### SECTION 1: CHEMICAL AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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**Chemical Name:** Methyl Paraben, (Methyl P-Hydroxybenzoate)  
**Catalog Number:** HYD202

### SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**GHS Classification:**  
Not hazardous according to GHS

**Potential Health Effects:**  
Eyes: may cause eye irritation  
Skin: may cause skin irritation  
Inhalation: may be harmful if inhaled  
Ingestion: may be harmful if ingested

### SECTION 3 COMPOSITION/ INGREDIENTS

	CAS #	%
<b>Methyl Paraben</b>	<b>99-76-3</b>	99-100%

**Molecular Formula:** C8H8O3  
**Molecular Weight:** 152.1

### SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eyes:** Flush eyes with water . Consult a physician.  
**Skin:** In case of contact, flush area immediately with water. Get medical aid if irritation persists.  
**Inhalation:** Remove victim to fresh air. Get medical aid if irritation persists.  
**Ingestion:** Wash mouth with water. Get medical aid if any symptoms appear.

### SECTION 5 FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Flammability:** not flammable  
**Flash Point:** not determined  
**Autoignition Temperature:** not determined  
**Extinguishing Media:** Use water spray, foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.  
**Explosion Data:** Not available

### SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions:**  
Ventilate the area. Wear appropriate protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.  
**Methods for containment and clean up:**  
Contain further leakage. Sweep and place in a closed container.. Dispose according to local regulations

### SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling:** Do not get in eyes, on skin, or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  
**Storage Conditions:** Room temperature. Keep cool and dry.

### SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure limits:**  
ACGIH, NIOSH, OSHA, none listed  
Use adequate ventilation. Avoid dust generation..  
**Personal protective Equipment:** Wear appropriate safety glasses and protective gloves/clothing  
**Engineering Measures:** eye wash stations, ventilation systems, showers  
**Hygiene Measures:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. wash hands before and after handling product.

### SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Appearance:** white crystalline solid  
**Odor:** no information found  
**Odor Threshold:** : no information found  
**Melting Point:** 125-127C  
**Boiling Point:** no information found  
**Specific Gravity:** no information found  
**Vapor Density:** no information found  
**Vapor pressure:** no information found  
**Water Solubility:** no information found  
**pH:** no information found  
**Flammability:** not flammable  
**Flash point:** no information found  
**Ignition temperature:** no information found  
**Autoignition temperature:** no information found  
**Lower explosion limit:** no information found  
**Upper explosion limit:** no information found

### SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY:

**Stability:** Stable at normal room temperature and pressure  
**Conditions to avoid:** dust generation  
**Incompatibility** strong oxidizing agents.  
**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide and nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxides  
**Hazardous Polymerization:** Has not been reported

### SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

**Exposure Limits:**  
Oral, mouse Ld50 >8gm/kg  
Oral, rabbit: Ld50 = 6gm/kg  
Oral, rat: Ld50 >500mg/kg

**Epidemiology:** No data available  
**Teratogenicity:** No data available  
**Reproductive Effects:** No data available

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**Neurotoxicity:** No data available

**Mutagenicity:** No data available

**Carcinogenicity:** not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA

<b>SECTION 12</b>	<b>ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION</b>
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<b>SECTION 13</b>	<b>DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION</b>
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**Waste Disposal:** Burn in chemical incinerator. Observe all Federal, provincial and local regulations.

<b>SECTION 14</b>	<b>TRANSPORT INFORMATION</b>
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**Shipping Information:**

**DOT (US):** not regulated

**IMDG:** not regulated

**IATA:** not regulated

<b>SECTION 15</b>	<b>REGULATORY INFORMATION</b>
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**US Federal regulations:**

No listed on TSCA

**Canada:**

WHMIS: not WHMIS controlled

<b>SECTION 16</b>	<b>ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</b>
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Observe all federal, provincial and state laws concerning health, safety and pollution.