

SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 453/2010

FORMIC ACID 90%

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**1.1. Product Identifier**

Product Name FORMIC ACID 90%
Internal ID Code HM001764

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

Recommended Use Intensifier
Sector of use Refer to the Annex for a listing of uses.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

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Emergency telephone - §45 - (EC)1272/2008	
Europe	112
Croatia	Centar za kontrolu otrovanja (CKO): (+385 1) 23-48-342 (Poison Control Center (PCC) - Institute for Medical Research and Occupational Health)
Cyprus	+210 7793777
Denmark	Poison Control Hotline (DK): +45 82 12 12 12
France	ORFILA (FR): + 01 45 42 59 59
Germany	Poison Center Berlin (DE): +49 030 30686 790
Italy	Poison Center, Milan (IT): +39 02 6610 1029
Netherlands	National Poisons Information Center (NL): +31 30 274 88 88 (NB: this service is only available to health professionals)
Norway	Poisons Information (NO): +47 22 591300
Poland	Poison Control and Information Centre, Warsaw (PL): +48 22 619 66 54; +48 22 619 08 97
Romania	+40 21 318 36 06
Spain	Poison Information Service (ES): +34 91 562 04 20
United Kingdom	NHS Direct (UK): +44 0845 46 47

SECTION 2: Hazards Identification**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008**

Acute Oral Toxicity	Category 4 - H302
Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists	Category 3 - H331
Skin Corrosion / irritation	Category 1 A - H314
Serious Eye Damage / Eye Irritation	Category 1 - H318
Specific Target Organ Toxicity - (Single Exposure)	Category 3 - H335

Flammable liquids.	Category 3 - H226
Substances/mixtures corrosive to metal	Category 1 - H290

2.2. Label Elements

Hazard Pictograms



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor

H290 - May be corrosive to metals

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H331 - Toxic if inhaled

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary Statements - EU (§28, 1272/2008)

P280 - Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection

P301 + P330 + P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

Contains

Substances

Formic acid

CAS Number

64-18-6

2.3. Other Hazards

This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT).

This substance is not considered to be very persistent nor very bioaccumulating (vPvB).

SECTION 3: Composition/information on Ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance

Substances	EINECS	CAS Number	PERCENT (w/w)	EU - CLP Substance Classification	REACH No.
Formic acid	200-579-1	64-18-6	60 - 100%	Acute Tox. 4 (H302) Acute Tox. 3 (H331) Skin Corr. 1A (H314) Eye Corr. 1 (H318) STOT SE 3 (H335) Flam. Liq. 3 (H226) Met. Corr. 1 (H290)	01-2119491174-37

For the full text of the H-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation

If inhaled, move victim to fresh air and seek medical attention.

Eyes

Immediately flush eyes with large amounts of water for at least 30 minutes.

Skin	Seek prompt medical attention. In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of soap and water for at least 30 minutes and remove contaminated clothing, shoes and leather goods immediately. Get medical attention immediately.
Ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting. Give nothing by mouth. Obtain immediate medical attention.

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

Toxic if inhaled. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Harmful if swallowed. May cause respiratory irritation.

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

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

SECTION 5: Firefighting Measures

5.1. Extinguishing media**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water fog, carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**Special Exposure Hazards**

Decomposition in fire may produce harmful gases. Do not allow runoff to enter waterways.

5.3. Advice for firefighters**Special Protective Equipment for Fire-Fighters**

Full protective clothing and approved self-contained breathing apparatus required for fire fighting personnel.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use appropriate protective equipment. Remove sources of ignition. Avoid breathing vapors. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate all persons from the area.

See Section 8 for additional information

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent from entering sewers, waterways, or low areas.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Isolate spill and stop leak where safe. Contain spill with sand or other inert materials. Neutralize to pH of 6-8. Scoop up and remove.

6.4. Reference to other sections

See Section 8 and 13 for additional information.

SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling

Remove sources of ignition. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, or clothing. Avoid breathing vapors. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wash hands after use. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse. Ground and bond containers when transferring from one container to another. Use appropriate protective equipment.

Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store away from alkalis. Store away from oxidizers. Keep container closed when not in use. Product has a shelf life of 12 months.

7.3. Specific End Use(s)**Exposure Scenario**

Please refer to the attached Annex for a listing of exposure scenarios.

Other Guidelines

No information available

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1. Control parameters**Exposure Limits**

Substances	CAS Number	EU	UK	Netherlands	France
Formic acid	64-18-6	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9.6 mg/m ³ STEL: 15 ppm STEL: 28.8 mg/m ³	STEL: 5 mg/m ³	5 ppm

Substances	CAS Number	Germany	Spain	Portugal	Finland
Formic acid	64-18-6	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9.5 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³ STEL: 10 ppm	TWA: 3 ppm TWA: 5 mg/m ³ STEL: 10 ppm STEL: 19 mg/m ³

Substances	CAS Number	Austria	Ireland	Switzerland	Norway
Formic acid	64-18-6	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³ STEL" 5 ppm STEL" 9 mg/m ³	5 ppm TWA; 9 mg/m ³ TWA 15 ppm STEL (calculated); 27 mg/m ³ STEL (calculated)	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9.5 mg/m ³ STEL: 10 ppm STEL: 19 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³ STEL: 10 ppm STEL: 18 mg/m ³

Substances	CAS Number	Italy	Poland	Hungary	Czech Republic
Formic acid	64-18-6	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 mg/m ³ STEL: 15 mg/m ³	TWA: 9 mg/m ³	TWA: 9 mg/m ³

Substances	CAS Number	Denmark	Romania	Croatia	Cyprus
Formic acid	64-18-6	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)**Worker**

Substances	Long-term exposure - systemic effects, Inhalation	Acute / short term exposure - systemic effects, Inhalation	Long-term exposure - local effects, Inhalation	Acute / short term exposure - local effects, Inhalation	Long-term exposure - systemic effects, Dermal	Acute / short term exposure - systemic effects, Dermal	Long-term exposure - local effects, Dermal	Acute / short term exposure - local effects, Dermal	Hazards for the eyes - local effects
Formic acid	Not available	Not available	9.5 mg/m ³	19 mg/m ³	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available

General Population

Substances	Long-term exposure - systemic effects, Inhalation	Acute / short term exposure - systemic effects, Inhalation	Long-term exposure - local effects, Inhalation	Acute / short term exposure - local effects, Inhalation	Long-term exposure - systemic effects, Dermal	Acute / short term exposure - systemic effects, Dermal	Long-term exposure - local effects, Dermal	Acute / short term exposure - local effects, Dermal	Long-term exposure - systemic effects, Oral	Acute / short term exposure - local effects, Oral	Hazards for the eyes - local effects
Formic acid	Not available	Not available	3 mg/m ³	9.5 mg/m ³	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

Substances	Freshwater	Marine water	Intermittent release	Sewage treatment plant	Sediment (freshwater)	Sediment (marine water)	Air	Soil	Secondary poisoning
Formic acid	2 mg/L	0.2 mg/L	1 mg/L	7.2 mg/L	13.4 mg/kg sediment dw	1.34 mg/kg sediment dw	Not available	1.5 mg/kg soil dw	Not available

8.2. Exposure controls**Engineering Controls**

Use in a well ventilated area. Local exhaust ventilation should be used in areas without good cross ventilation.

Personal protective equipment

If engineering controls and work practices cannot prevent excessive exposures, the selection and proper use of personal protective equipment should be determined by an industrial hygienist or other qualified professional based on the specific application of this product.

Respiratory Protection

If engineering controls and work practices cannot keep exposure below occupational exposure limits or if exposure is unknown, wear a NIOSH certified, European Standard EN 149, AS/NZS 1715:2009, or equivalent respirator when using this product. Selection of and instruction on using all personal protective equipment, including respirators, should be performed by an Industrial Hygienist or other qualified professional.

Acid gas respirator.

Hand Protection

Chemical-resistant protective gloves (EN 374) Suitable materials for longer, direct contact (recommended: protection index 6, corresponding to > 480 minutes permeation time as per EN 374): Neoprene gloves. (>= 0.75 mm thickness)

This information is based on literature references and on information provided by glove manufacturers, or is derived by analogy with similar substances. Please note that in practice the working life of chemical-resistant protective gloves may be considerably shorter than the permeation time determined in accordance with EN 374 as a result of the many influencing factors (e.g. temperature). If signs of wear and tear are noticed then the gloves should be replaced. Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types.

Skin Protection

Full protective chemical resistant clothing.

Eye Protection

Chemical goggles; also wear a face shield if splashing hazard exists.

Other Precautions

Eyewash fountains and safety showers must be easily accessible.

Environmental Exposure Controls Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system**SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties****9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties****Physical State:** Liquid**Color:** Clear colorless**Odor:** Sharp**Odor Threshold:** No information availablePropertyValuesRemarks/ - Method**pH:**

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Freezing Point/Range

10 °C

Melting Point/Range

No data available

Boiling Point/Range

101 °C / 215 °F

Flash Point

49 °C / 121 °F PMCC

Flammability (solid, gas)

upper flammability limit

57 %

lower flammability limit

18 %

Evaporation rate

No data available

Vapor Pressure

23 mmHg

Vapor Density

No data available

Specific Gravity

1.2

Water Solubility

Miscible with water

Solubility in other solvents

No data available

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

No data available

Autoignition Temperature

601 °C / 1114 °F

Decomposition Temperature

No data available

Viscosity

No data available

Explosive Properties

No information available

Oxidizing Properties

No information available

9.2. Other information**Molecular Weight**

46.03 g/mol

VOC Content (%)

No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity**10.1. Reactivity**

Not expected to be reactive.

10.2. Chemical Stability

Stable

10.3. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Will Not Occur

10.4. Conditions to Avoid

None anticipated

10.5. Incompatible Materials

Strong alkalis. Strong oxidizers.

10.6. Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects**Acute Toxicity****Inhalation**

Causes severe respiratory irritation. Causes severe respiratory burns. Toxic by inhalation.

Eye Contact

Causes severe eye burns.

Skin Contact

Causes severe burns.

Ingestion

Causes burns of the mouth, throat and stomach. Harmful if swallowed.

Chronic Effects/Carcinogenicity

Prolonged, excessive exposure may cause erosion of the teeth.

Toxicology data for the components

Substances	CAS Number	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Formic acid	64-18-6	730 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat) (Similar substance)	7.4 mg/L (Rat) 4h 15 mg/L (Rat) 15m

Substances	CAS Number	Skin corrosion/irritation
Formic acid	64-18-6	Corrosive to skin (Rabbit)

Substances	CAS Number	Eye damage/irritation
Formic acid	64-18-6	Corrosive to eyes (Rabbit)

Substances	CAS Number	Skin Sensitization
Formic acid	64-18-6	Did not cause sensitization on laboratory animals (guinea pig)

Substances	CAS Number	Respiratory Sensitization
Formic acid	64-18-6	No information available

Substances	CAS Number	Mutagenic Effects
Formic acid	64-18-6	In vitro tests did not show mutagenic effects In vivo tests did not show mutagenic effects.

Substances	CAS Number	Carcinogenic Effects
Formic acid	64-18-6	Did not show carcinogenic effects in animal experiments (similar substances)

Substances	CAS Number	Reproductive toxicity
Formic acid	64-18-6	Did not show teratogenic effects in animal experiments. (similar substances) Animal testing did not show any effects on fertility.

Substances	CAS Number	STOT - single exposure
Formic acid	64-18-6	May cause respiratory irritation.

Substances	CAS Number	STOT - repeated exposure
Formic acid	64-18-6	No significant toxicity observed in animal studies at concentration requiring classification.

Substances	CAS Number	Aspiration hazard
Formic acid	64-18-6	Not applicable

SECTION 12: Ecological Information**12.1. Toxicity****Ecotoxicity Effects**

Substances	CAS Number	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Toxicity to Microorganisms	Toxicity to Invertebrates
Formic acid	64-18-6	EC50 25 mg/L	LC50 (96h) 175 mg/L	NOEC (13d) 72 mg/L	EC50 (48h) 120 mg/L

		(Desmodesmus subspicatus) EC50 (72h) 1240 mg/L (growth rate) (Pseudokirchnerella subcapitata) (Similar substance)	(Lepomis Macrochirus) LC50 (96h) 130 mg/L (Danio rerio) (Similar substance) LC50 (96h) 1720 mg/L (Scophthalmus maximus) (Similar substance) LC50 (96h) 3500 mg/L (Oncorhynchus mykiss) (similar substance)	(activated sludge, domestic)	(Daphnia magna) EC50 (48h) 450 mg/L (Daphnia magna) (similar substance) EC50 (48h) 365 mg/L (Daphnia magna) (Similar substance) LC50 (96h) 1308 mg/L (Crangon crangon) (Similar substance) NOEC (21d) >= 100 mg/L (Daphnia magna)
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12.2. Persistence and degradability

Substances	CAS Number	Persistence and Degradability
Formic acid	64-18-6	Readily biodegradable (100 @ 14d)

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Substances	CAS Number	Log Pow
Formic acid	64-18-6	-2.1

12.4. Mobility in soil

Substances	CAS Number	Mobility
Formic acid	64-18-6	KOC = 31

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT). This substance is not considered to be very persistent nor very bioaccumulating (vPvB).

Substances	PBT and vPvB assessment
Formic acid	Not PBT/vPvB

12.6. Other adverse effects**Endocrine Disruptor Information**

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods**Disposal Method**

Disposal should be made in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.

Contaminated Packaging

Follow all applicable national or local regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport Information

IMDG/IMO

UN Number: UN1779
 UN Proper Shipping Name: Formic Acid
 Transport Hazard Class(es): 8 (3)
 Packing Group: II
 Environmental Hazards: Not applicable

RID

UN Number: UN1779
 UN Proper Shipping Name: Formic Acid
 Transport Hazard Class(es): 8 (3)
 Packing Group: II
 Environmental Hazards: Not applicable

ADR

UN Number: UN1779
 UN Proper Shipping Name: Formic Acid
 Transport Hazard Class(es): 8 (3)
 Packing Group: II
 Environmental Hazards: Not applicable

IATA/ICAO

UN Number: UN1779
UN Proper Shipping Name: Formic Acid
Transport Hazard Class(es): 8 (3)
Packing Group: II
Environmental Hazards: Not applicable

14.1. UN Number: UN1779

14.2. UN Proper Shipping Name: Formic Acid

14.3. Transport Hazard Class(es): 8 (3)

14.4. Packing Group: II

14.5. Environmental Hazards: Not applicable

14.6. Special Precautions for User: None

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code: Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory Information**15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****International Inventories**

EINECS Inventory This product, and all its components, complies with EINECS
US TSCA Inventory All components listed on inventory or are exempt.
Canadian DSL Inventory All components listed on inventory or are exempt.

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

DSL/NDL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

Germany, Water Endangering Classes (WGK) WGK 1: Low hazard to waters.

15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

Yes

SECTION 16: Other Information**Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3**

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor
H290 - May be corrosive to metals
H302 - Harmful if swallowed
H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H318 - Causes serious eye damage
H331 - Toxic if inhaled
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms

bw – body weight
CAS – Chemical Abstracts Service
CLP – REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on Classification, Labelling and Packaging of substances and mixtures
EC – European Commission
EC10 – Effective Concentration 10%
EC50 – Effective Concentration 50%
EEC – European Economic Community
ErC50 – Effective Concentration growth rate 50%
IBC Code – International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk
LC50 – Lethal Concentration 50%
LD50 – Lethal Dose 50%
LL0 – Lethal Loading 0%

LL50 – Lethal Loading 50%

MARPOL – International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

mg/kg – milligram/kilogram

mg/L – milligram/liter

NIOSH – National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NOEC – No Observed Effect Concentration

NTP – National Toxicology Program

OEL – Occupational Exposure Limit

PBT – Persistent Bioaccumulative and Toxic

PC – Chemical Product category

PEL – Permissible Exposure Limit

ppm – parts per million

PROC – Process category

REACH – REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals

STEL – Short Term Exposure Limit

SU – Sector of Use category

Key literature references and sources for data

www.ChemADVISOR.com/

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