



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product code: B1472

ALPHA-BROMO-M-XYLENE **Product Name:** 

Other means of identification

Benzene, 1-(bromomethyl)-3-methyl-Synonyms:

> 3-(Bromomethyl)toluene 3-Methylbenzyl bromide m-Methylbenzyl bromide

CAS #: 620-13-3 CY9039200 RTECS# CI#: Not available

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

No information available. Recommended use: No information available Uses advised against

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14422 South San Pedro St. Gardena, CA 90248

(310) 516-8000

Order Online At: https://www.spectrumchemical.com

Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300 Emergency telephone number

**Contact Person:** Tom Tyner (USA - West Coast) **Contact Person:** Ibad Tirmiz (USA - East Coast)

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Considered a dangerous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Vapors)	Category 1
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Flammable liquids	Category 4

#### Label elements

Danger

Hazard statements

Fatal if inhaled

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

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#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not Applicable

#### Other hazards

Lachrymator

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Do not breathe mist or vapors

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Wear respiratory protection

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

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

Keep cool

# **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician

In case of fire: Use CO2, dry chemical, or foam to extinguish.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician.

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting

### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed Store locked up

# **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents and container to an approved waste disposal plant in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations as applicable

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS No	Weight-%
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	100

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

General Advice: National Capital Poison Center in the United States can provide assistance if you

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have a poison emergency and need to talk to a poison specialist. Call 1-800-222-1222. First aider needs to protect himself. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect

themselves.

Skin Contact: Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. Remove all contaminated clothes and

shoes. Continue flushing with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical

attention is required. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Eye Contact: Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required. Call a

physician immediately.

**Inhalation:** Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give

oxygen. WARNING! It may be hazardous to the person providing aid to give

mouth-to-mouth resuscitation when the inhaled or ingested material is toxic, infectious or corrosive. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is

required.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person. Obtain medical attention.

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Headache Dizziness tiredness Nausea Vomiting

Coughing and wheezing May cause shortness of breath

Lacrimation

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically.

### **Protection of first-aiders**

First-Aid Providers: Avoid exposure to blood or body fluids. Wear gloves and other necessary protective clothing. Dispose of contaminated clothing and equipment as bio-hazardous waste.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing Media** 

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry chemical. Alcohol-resistant

foam. Water spray.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Do not use a solid (straight) water stream as it may scatter

and spread fire.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazardous combustion products Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Hydrogen

bromide gas.

Specific hazards Combustible material. Vapors may form explosive mixtures

with air. Most vapors are heavier than air. They will spread along the ground and collect in low or confined

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areas (sewers, basements, tanks). Container explosion may occur under fire conditions or when heated. When heated to decompositon it emits acrid smoke and irritating fumes. May be ignited by heat, sparks or flames.

**Special Protective Actions for Firefighters** 

Specific Methods: Water mist may be used to cool closed containers For

larger fires, use water spray or fog. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out

**Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters:** As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus

pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent)

and full protective gear

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions: Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid

contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal protective equipment. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. All equipment used when handling the

product must be grounded. Remove all sources of ignition.

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Stop leak if you can do it without risk. In case of large spill, dike if needed. Dike

far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal.

Methods for cleaning up Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. vermiculite, dry sand or earth), then place in a

suitable chemical waste container. Use only non-sparking tools. Clean

contaminated surface thoroughly.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# Precautions for safe handling

# **Technical Measures/Precautions:**

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Remove all sources of ignition. To avoid ignition of vapors by static electricity discharge, all metal parts of the equipment must be grounded. Keep away from incompatible materials.

# Safe Handling Advice:

Wear personal protective equipment. Use only in well-ventilated areas. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not ingest. When using do not smoke. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### **Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:**

Sensitive to light. Store in light-resistant containers. Moisture sensitive. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Store in a segregated and approved area. Store away from incompatible materials.

#### **Incompatible Materials:**

Oxidizing agents

Bases

Alcohols

Amines

Metals

Alkalis

Moisture

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Control parameters

### National occupational exposure limits

#### **United States**

Component	CAS No	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WEEL
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	None	None	None	None

#### Canada

Component	CAS No	Canada - Alberta	Canada - British Columbia	Canada - Ontario	Canada - Quebec
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	None	None	None	None

#### **Australia and Mexico**

	Component	CAS No	Australia	Mexico
alpha	a-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	None	None

### **Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering measures to reduce exposure:** Ensure adequate ventilation. Provide exhaust ventilation or

other engineering controls to keep the airborne

concentrations of vapors and mist below their respective

threshold limit value.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

# **Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye protection:** Face-shield. and Goggles

Skin and body protection: Chemical resistant protective suit

Gloves Boots

**Respiratory protection:** Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.

Hygiene measures: Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. When using, do not eat, drink or

smoke. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state: Appearance: Color:

Liquid Clear. Colorless to pale yellow.

Odor:

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No information available. **Taste** 

No information available. C8H9Br

Molecular/Formula weight (g/mole): Flammability (solid, gas)

185.06

no data available 82°C/180°F

Flash Point Tested according to:

Closed cup

Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F):

No information available

Lower Explosion Limit (%): No information available

**Upper Explosion Limit (%):** Melting point/range(°C/°F):

No information available

No information available

Decomposition temperature(°C/°F):

No information available

Boiling point/range(°C/°F):

185°C/365°F

**Bulk density:** 

Vapor density:

No information available

Density (g/cm3):

Flashpoint (°C/°F):

1.37

**Formula** 

Specific gravity:

No information available

No information available

Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa): No information available

**Evaporation rate:** No information available

6.38

VOC content (g/L): No information available

Odor threshold (ppm):

No information available

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No information available Viscosity:

No information available

Miscibility: Solubility:

No information available

Insoluble in water Soluble in Ether Soluble in Alcohol

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No information available

**Chemical stability** 

Sensitive to light. Moisture Sensitive. Stable under recommended storage conditions. Stability:

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization does not occur

Heat. Ignition sources. Incompatible materials. Conditions to avoid:

**Incompatible Materials:** Oxidizing agents

> Bases **Alcohols** Amines Metals Alkalis Moisture

Hazardous decomposition

products:

Hydrogen Bromide.

Other Information

Corrosivity: No information available

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: No information available

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### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### **Principal Routes of Exposure:**

Skin. Eyes. Inhalation. Ingestion.

# **Acute Toxicity**

### **Component Information**

alpha-Bromo-m-xylene

CAS No 620-13-3

**LD50/oral/rat** = No information available

LD50/oral/mouse = No information available LD50/dermal/rabbit = No information available

**LD50/dermal/rat =** No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat = No information available

LC50/inhalation/mouse = No information available

Other LD50 or LC50information = 200 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/30 M Inhalation LC50 Rabbit

#### **Product Information**

LD50/oral/rat =

Value - Acute Toxicity = No information available

LD50/oral/mouse =

Value - Acute Tox = No information available

LD50/dermal/rabbit

Value - Acute Toxicity = No information available

LD50/dermal/rat

**VALUE - Acute Tox =** No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat

**VALUE-Vapor** = No information available

**VALUE-Gas** = No information available

**VALUE-Dust/Mist** = No information available

LC50/Inhalation/mouse

**VALUE-Vapor** = No information available

VALUE - Gas = No information available

VALUE - Dust/Mist = No information available

**Symptoms** 

**Skin Contact:** Causes skin burns.

**Eye Contact:** Causes serious eye damage. Lachrymator (substance which increases the flow of

tears).

**Inhalation** Fatal if inhaled. May cause irritation of respiratory tract. May cause dizziness and

headache. May cause tiredness.

**Ingestion** May cause digestive (gastointestinal) tract irritation. Ingestion may cause nausea,

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vomiting. May cause coughing.

No information available. **Aspiration hazard** 

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

No information available. **Chronic Toxicity** 

Sensitization: No information available.

**Mutagenic Effects:** No information available

Carcinogenic effects: Not considered carcinogenic.

Component	CAS No	IARC	ACGIH - Carcinogens	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

NTP (National Toxicology Program)

OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)

Reproductive toxicity No data is available

**Reproductive Effects:** No information available **Developmental Effects:** No information available No information available **Teratogenic Effects:** 

Specific Target Organ Toxicity

No information available. STOT - single exposure STOT - repeated exposure No information available. No information available. **Target Organs:** 

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** 

No data available. **Ecotoxicity effects:** 

No information available Persistence and degradability:

No information available. Bioaccumulative potential:

Mobility in soil No information available Other adverse effects No information available.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

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# **Disposal Methods**

# Waste from residues / unused products:

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulation.

#### Contaminated packaging:

Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

Component	CAS No	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	None	None	None	None

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

**UN-No:** UN1701

**Proper Shipping Name:** Xylyl bromide, liquid

Hazard Class 6.1

Subsidiary Class No information available

Packing group: II Emergency Response Guide 152

Number

Marine Pollutant No data available DOT RQ (lbs): No information available

Special Provisions A3, A7, IB2, N33, T7, TP2, TP13, W31

Symbol(s): No information available

**Description:** UN1701, Xylyl bromide, liquid, 6.1, II

TDG (Canada)

UN-No: Not Regulated

Proper Shipping Name:
Hazard Class
Subsidiary Risk:
Packing Group:
Marine Pollutant

No information available
No information available
No information available
No Information available

**Description:** Forbidden

**ADR** 

UN Number UN1701

Proper Shipping Name: Xylyl bromide, liquid

Transport hazard class(es) 6.1 Packing group

Subsidiary Risk: No information available

**Description:** UN1701, Xylyl bromide, liquid, 6.1, II

IMDG

**UN-No:** UN1701

Proper Shipping Name: Xylyl bromide, liquid

Hazard Class: 6.1

Subsidiary Risk: No information available

Packing Group:

Marine Pollutant No information available

EMS: F-A

**Description** UN1701, Xylyl bromide, liquid, 6.1, II

**RID** 

UN Number UN1701

Proper Shipping Name: Xylyl bromide, liquid

Transport hazard class(es) 6.1

Subsidiary Risk: No information available

Packing group

**Description:** UN1701, Xylyl bromide, liquid, 6.1, II

ICAO (air)

**UN-No:** UN1701

Proper Shipping Name: Xylyl bromide, liquid

Hazard Class 6.1

Subsidiary Risk: No information available

Packing Group:

**Description:** UN1701, Xylyl bromide, liquid, 6.1, II

Special Provisions A1

**IATA** 

UN Number UN1701

Proper Shipping Name: Xylyl bromide, liquid

Transport hazard class(es) 6.1

Subsidiary Risk: No information available

Packing group II Precautionary Statements - 6L

Response

Special Provisions No information available

**Description:** UN1701, Xylyl bromide, liquid, 6.1, II

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### International Inventories

Component	CAS No	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	China IECSC	Australia (AICS)	EINECS-No.
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	PresentINACT IVE	Not present	Not present	Not present	Not listed	Present	Present 210-625-2

#### **U.S. Regulations**

#### California Prop. 65: Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.

# Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Cancer:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

# Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Reproductive Toxicity:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Component	CAS No	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male	Female
		_		Reproductive	Reproductive
				Toxicity	Toxicity:
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

#### **CERCLA/SARA**

Component	CAS No	CERCLA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and RQs	Section 313 - Chemical Category	Section 313 - Reporting de minimis
alpha-Bromo-m-xyl ene	620-13-3	None	None	None	None	None

#### U.S. TSCA

Component		. ,	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

#### Canada

#### WHIMIS 2015 - GHS Classifications

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification Information:

The WHMIS 2015 classification of this product has not been validated or reviewed yet.

Canada Hazardous Products Regulation This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the HPR (Hazardous Products Regulation) and the SDS contains all of the information required by the HPR

#### **DSL/NDSL**

Component	CAS No	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	Not Listed	Present

Component	CAS No	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	Not listed
Component	CAS No	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject
		to Mandatory Reporting
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	Not listed

#### **EU Classification**

#### EU GHS - SV - CLP 1272/2008

Component	CAS No	EU GHS - SV - CLP (1272/2008)
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	

### EU - CLP (1272/2008)

#### R-phrase(s)

R26 - Very toxic by inhalation

R35 - Causes severe burns

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R41 - Risk of serious damage to eyes

### S -phrase(s)

S 7 - Keep container tightly closed.

S36 - Wear suitable protective clothing

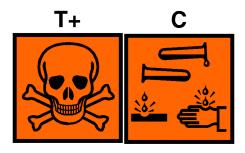
S63 - In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest

Component	CAS No	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
alpha-Bromo-m-xylene	620-13-3	No information	

The product is classified in accordance with Annex VI to Directive 67/548/EEC

### Indication of danger:

T+ - Very toxic C - Corrosive



# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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Disclaimer:

All chemicals may pose unknown hazards and should be used with caution. This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) applies only to the material as packaged. If this product is combined with other materials, deteriorates, or becomes contaminated, it may pose hazards not mentioned in this SDS. The physical properties reported in this SDS are obtained from the literature and do not constitute product specifications. Information contained herein does not constitute a warranty, whether expressed or implied, as to the safety, merchantability or fitness of the goods for a particular purpose. Spectrum Chemicals & Laboratory Products, Inc. assumes no responsibility for results obtained or for incidental or consequential damages, including lost profits, arising from the use of these data. No warranty against infringement of any patent, copyright or trademark is made or implied. It shall be the user's responsibility to develop proper methods of handling and personal protection based on the actual conditions of use. While this SDS is based on technical data judged to be reliable, Spectrum assumes no responsibility for the completeness or accuracy of the information contained herein.

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