

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product code: B2191
Product Name: TERT-BUTYL ACETATE

Other means of identification

Synonyms: 1,1-Dimethyl acetate
 Acetic acid, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (9CI)
 TLA
 t-Butyl acetate
CAS #: 540-88-5
RTECS # AF7400000
CI#: Not available

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

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

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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)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2B
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3
Flammable liquids	Category 2

Label elements

Danger

Hazard statements

Causes eye irritation
 May cause respiratory irritation. May cause drowsiness or dizziness
 Highly flammable liquid and vapor



Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not Applicable

Other hazards

May be harmful if swallowed
Causes mild skin irritation

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking
Keep container tightly closed
Ground/bond container and receiving equipment
Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/.../equipment
Use only non-sparking tools
Take precautionary measures against static discharge
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
Keep cool

Precautionary Statements - Response

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. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Precautionary Statements - Storage

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

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS No	Weight-%
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	100

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

General Advice: National Capital Poison Center in the United States can provide assistance if you have a poison emergency and need to talk to a poison specialist. Call 1-800-222-1222.

Skin Contact: Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothing and

shoes. Get medical attention. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

Eye Contact:

Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

Inhalation:

Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention.

Ingestion:

Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician if necessary.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms

Causes eye irritation
May cause respiratory irritation
May cause drowsiness or dizziness
Mild skin irritation

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).

Specific hazards

Flammable. May be ignited by heat, sparks or flames. Material can burn with invisible flame. Vapor may travel considerable distance to source of ignition and flash back. 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 areas (sewers, basements, tanks). Container explosion may occur under fire conditions or when heated. Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases.

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. Remove all sources of ignition. Pay attention to flashback. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. In case of large spill, water spray or vapor suppressing foam may be used to reduce vapors, but may not prevent ignition in closed spaces.

Environmental precautions Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. 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. Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. vermiculite, dry sand or earth). In case of large spill, dike if needed. Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal.

Methods for cleaning up Use appropriate tools to put the spilled material in a suitable chemical waste disposal 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 ingest. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. 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:

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

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

National occupational exposure limits

United States

Component	CAS No	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WEEL
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	200 ppm TWA	200 ppm TWA	150 ppm STEL	None

		950 mg/m ³ TWA	950 mg/m ³ TWA	50 ppm TWA	
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Canada

Component	CAS No	Canada - Alberta	Canada - British Columbia	Canada - Ontario	Canada - Quebec
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	200 ppm TWA 950 mg/m ³ TWA	200 ppm TWA	None	None

Australia and Mexico

Component	CAS No	Australia	Mexico
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	200 ppm TWA 950 mg/m ³ TWA	200 ppm TWA

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:** Goggles or Safety glasses with side-shields.
- Skin and body protection:** Long sleeved clothing
Chemical resistant apron
Gloves
- 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: Liquid	Appearance: No information available.	Color: Colorless.
Odor: Fruity.	Taste No information available.	Formula C6H12O2
Molecular/Formula weight (g/mole): 116.16	Flammability (solid, gas) no data available	Flashpoint (°C/°F): 16.7°C/ 62.1°F
Flash Point Tested according to: Closed cup	Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F): No information available	Lower Explosion Limit (%): 1.5
Upper Explosion Limit (%): No information available	Melting point/range(°C/°F): -62°C/ -80°F	Decomposition temperature(°C/°F): No information available
Boiling point/range(°C/°F): 98°C/ 208.4°F	Bulk density: No information available	Density (g/cm³): No information available

Specific gravity:

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pH
No information available

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

Evaporation rate:
No information available

Vapor density:
4.01

VOC content (g/L):
No information available

Odor threshold (ppm):
No information available

**Partition coefficient
(n-octanol/water):**
1.76

Viscosity:
No information available

Miscibility:
Miscible with Ether
Miscible with alcohols

Solubility:
Insoluble in water

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity
No information available

Chemical stability

Stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization does not occur

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

Incompatible Materials: Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

Other Information

Corrosivity: No information available

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: No information available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Principal Routes of Exposure:
Skin. Eyes. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Acute Toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document
Component Information

tert-Butyl Acetate	
CAS No	540-88-5

LD50/oral/rat = 4100 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat

LD50/oral/mouse = No information available

LD50/dermal/rabbit = > 2000 mg/kg Dermal LD50

LD50/dermal/rat = No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat = 2230 mg/m³ Inhalation LC50 Rat 4 h = > 9482 mg/m³ Inhalation LC50

LC50/inhalation/mouse = No information available

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Other LD50 or LC50 information = No information available

Product Information

LD50/oral/rat =

Value - Acute Tox = 4100 mg/kg

LD50/oral/mouse =

Value - Acute Tox Oral = No information available

LD50/dermal/rabbit

Value - Acute Tox = > 2000 mg/kg

LD50/dermal/rat

VALUE - Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat

VALUE-Vapor = 2230 mg/m³

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: Mild skin irritation.

Eye Contact: Causes eye irritation.

Inhalation May cause respiratory irritation. Inhalation of vapors may cause drowsiness and dizziness.

Ingestion May be harmful if swallowed.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

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

Chronic Toxicity No information available.

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
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	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
Teratogenic Effects: No information available

Specific Target Organ Toxicity

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

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Ecotoxicity effects: Aquatic environment.
tert-Butyl Acetate - 540-88-5
Fish LC50: 296 - 362mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas)
Persistence and degradability: No information available
Bioaccumulative potential: No information available.
Mobility in soil No information available
Other adverse effects No information available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

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
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	None	None	None	None

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT
UN-No: UN1123
Proper Shipping Name: Butyl acetates
Hazard Class 3
Subsidiary Class No information available
Packing group: II

Emergency Response Guide 129**Number**

Marine Pollutant Severe Marine Pollutant
DOT RQ (lbs): No information available
Special Provisions IB2, T4, TP1
Symbol(s): No information available
Description: UN1123, Butyl acetates, 3, II

TDG (Canada)

UN-No: UN1123
Proper Shipping Name: Butyl acetates
Hazard Class 3
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: II
Marine Pollutant No Information available
Description: UN1123, Butyl acetates, 3, II

ADR

UN Number UN1123
Proper Shipping Name: Butyl acetates
Transport hazard class(es) 3
Packing group II
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Description: UN1123, Butyl acetates, 3, II

IMDG

UN-No: UN1123
Proper Shipping Name: Butyl acetates
Hazard Class: 3
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: II
Marine Pollutant No information available
EMS: F-E
Description UN1123, Butyl acetates, 3, II

RID

UN Number UN1123
Proper Shipping Name: Butyl acetates
Transport hazard class(es) 3
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing group II
Description: UN1123, Butyl acetates, 3, II

ICAO (air)

UN-No: UN1123
Proper Shipping Name: Butyl acetates
Hazard Class 3
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: II
Description: UN1123, Butyl acetates, 3, II
Special Provisions A3

IATA

UN Number UN1123
Proper Shipping Name: Butyl acetates
Transport hazard class(es) 3
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing group II

Precautionary Statements - 3L
Response

Special Provisions No information available
Description: UN1123, Butyl acetates, 3, II

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

Component	CAS No	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	China IECS	Australia AICS	EINECS-No.
<i>tert-Butyl Acetate</i>	540-88-5	PresentACTIVE	Present KE-04180	Present	Present (2)-731	Present	Present	Present 208-760-7

U.S. Regulations

tert-Butyl Acetate

Massachusetts RTK: Present

New Jersey RTK Hazardous Substance List: 1786

New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances: Present

Pennsylvania RTK: Environmental hazard

Pennsylvania RTK - Environmental Hazard List Present

Minnesota - Hazardous Substance List: Present

New York Release Reporting - List of Hazardous Substances:

5000 lb RQ

1 lb RQ

Louisiana Reportable Quantity List for Pollutants: Listed

California Directors List of Hazardous Substances: Present

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 Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
<i>tert-Butyl Acetate</i>	540-88-5	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
<i>tert-Butyl Acetate</i>	540-88-5	5000 lb final RQ 2270 kg final RQ	None	None	None	None

U.S. TSCA

Component	CAS No	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
<i>tert-Butyl Acetate</i>	540-88-5	Not Applicable	01/26/199406/30/1998

Canada

WHMIS 2015 - GHS Classifications

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification Information:

Component
tert-Butyl Acetate
540-88-5 (100)

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification
Flammable liquids - Category 2: H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

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)
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	Present	Not Listed

Component	CAS No	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	Not listed
Component	CAS No	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	Not listed

EU Classification

EU GHS - SV - CLP 1272/2008

Component	CAS No	EU GHS - SV - CLP (1272/2008)
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	Flammable liquids - Flam. Liq. 2: H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.; Supplemental Hazards - EUH066 Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.607-026-00-7

EU - CLP (1272/2008)

R-phrase(s)

R11 - Highly flammable
R66 - Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking
R36/37/38 - Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

S -phrase(s)

S 7 - Keep container tightly closed.
S16 - Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking

Component	CAS No	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
tert-Butyl Acetate	540-88-5	F; R11 R66	No information	

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

Indication of danger:

F - Highly flammable
Xi - Irritant

F**Xi****16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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Disclaimer:

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