

Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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**SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Thymol

Signal Word  
**DANGER**

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Chemtrec Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-10434

Pictograms

**SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, oral (Category 4). Harmful if swallowed (H302). Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product (P270).



Hazard class: Skin corrosion or irritation (Category 1). Causes severe skin burns and eye damage (H314).



**SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Thymol	89-83-8	CH <sub>3</sub> (C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>7</sub> )C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>3</sub> OH	150.11	
Synonyms: 3-Hydroxy-1-methyl-4-isopropylbenzene; 2-isopropyl-5-methylphenol, IPMP				

**SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician (P310).

**If inhaled:** Remove victim to fresh air in a position comfortable for breathing (P304+P340). **If in eyes:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing (P305+P351+P338).

**If on skin:** Immediately remove all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water (P303+P361+P353). Wash contaminated clothing before reuse (P363).

**If swallowed:** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting (P301+P330+P331).

**SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Combustible solid.

Flash point: 102 °C

NFPA Code

None established

When heated to decomposition, may emit toxic fumes.

In case of fire: Use a tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.

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## **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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Remove all ignition sources and water. Sweep up, place in sealed bag or container and dispose. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

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## **SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE**

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Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #8. Store with phenols and cresols. Do not breathe dust or fumes (P260).

Store in a cool, dry place.

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## **SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION**

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Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection (P280). Wash hands thoroughly after handling (P264).

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## **SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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White crystals. Liniment-like odor.

Boiling point: 232 °C

Soluble: Many organic solvents. Slightly in water.

Melting point: 50 °C

Specific gravity: 0.965

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## **SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

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Avoid contact with heat, strong oxidizing agents and strong bases.

Shelf life: Indefinite, if stored properly.

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## **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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Acute effects: Irritant, allergen

ORL-RAT LD<sub>50</sub>: 980 mg/kg

Chronic effects: N.A.

IHL-RAT LC<sub>50</sub>: N.A.

Target organs: Liver, kidneys, central nervous system, spleen

SKN-RBT LD<sub>50</sub>: N.A.

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## **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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Data not yet available.

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## **SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #24a is one option.

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## **SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

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Shipping name: Not regulated. Hazard class: N/A. UN number: N/A.

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## **SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (201-944-8).

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## **SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION**

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PRODUCT(S).

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

N/A = Not applicable

**Consult your copy of the Flinn Science Catalog/Reference Manual for additional information about laboratory chemicals.**

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