

## Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) with its amendment Regulation (EU) 2015/830

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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

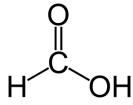
#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form Substance

: FORMIC ACID 98% AR Trade name

Methanoic acid IUPAC name EC Index-No. 607-001-00-0 EC-No. 200-579-1 CAS-No. 64-18-6 00153 Product code Type of product : Acids CH2O2 Formula

Chemical structure



Synonyms : Carbonous acid; Formylic acid; Hydrogen carboxylic acid; Hydroxy(oxo)methane;

Metacarbonoic acid; Oxocarbinic acid; Oxomethanol

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

#### 1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Industrial/Professional use spec : Industrial

For professional use only Use of the substance/mixture : Laboratory chemicals Manufacture of substances

#### 1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

**Emergency number** : + 91 22 6663 6663 (9:00am - 6:00 pm)

## **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

## Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

H226 Flammable liquids, Category 3 H314 Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1A

Full text of H-statements: see section 16

### Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

Flammable liquid and vapour. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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#### 2.2. Label elements

#### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP)





GHS02

GHS05

Signal word (CLP)

: Danger Hazard statements (CLP)

: H226 - Flammable liquid and vapour.

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statements (CLP) : P280 - Wear protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.

P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 - Immediately call a doctor.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

## **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### 3.1. Substances

Substance type Mono-constituent

Name	Product identifier	%
FORMIC ACID AR	CAS-No.: 64-18-6 EC-No.: 200-579-1 EC Index-No.: 607-001-00-0	100

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Call a physician immediately.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Remove person to fresh air

and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Immediately

call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Call a physician immediately.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy

to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Call a physician

immediately.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Do not

induce vomiting. Call a physician immediately.

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

Symptoms/effects Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact Burns.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact Serious damage to eyes.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion Burns.

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

Treat symptomatically.

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#### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide. Dry powder. Foam. Water spray.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard : Flammable liquid and vapour.

Explosion hazard : May form flammable/explosive vapour-air mixture.

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained

breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Remove ignition sources. Use special care to avoid static electric charges. No open flames.

No smoking.

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. Evacuate unnecessary personnel. No open flames, no sparks, and

no smoking. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust, fume, gas, mist, spray,

vapours.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Use personal protective

equipment as required. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure

controls/personal protection".

Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

## 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material. Collect spillage. On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as

soon as possible. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed Precautions for safe handling

: Handle empty containers with care because residual vapours are flammable.

Ensure good ventilation of the work station. No open flames. No smoking. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Use only non-sparking tools. Do not breathe dust, fume, gas, mist, spray, vapours. Avoid contact during pregnancy/while nursing. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Flammable vapours may accumulate in the container. Use explosion-proof equipment. Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

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Hygiene measures

: Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures

: Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

Storage conditions

: Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Store locked

up.

Incompatible materials

: Heat sources.

## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

### 8.1.1. National occupational exposure and biological limit values

No additional information available

#### 8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

#### 8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

#### 8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

No additional information available

#### 8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### 8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

#### 8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

#### Personal protective equipment symbol(s):









#### 8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

## Eye protection:

Safety glasses

#### 8.2.2.2. Skin protection

## Hand protection:

Protective gloves

### 8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

#### Respiratory protection:

Wear appropriate mask

#### 8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

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#### 8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

#### **Environmental exposure controls:**

Avoid release to the environment.

### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid
Appearance : Clear. Liquid.
Molecular mass : 46.03 g/mol
Colour : Clear Colorless.
Odour : Pungent.
Odour threshold : No data available

pH : 2.2 (10 g/L aqueous solution)

Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1) : No data available

Melting point : Not applicable

Freezing point : 5.5 °C

Boiling point : 100 – 101 °C

Flash point : 49.5 °C (closed cup)

Auto-ignition temperature : 601 °C

Decomposition temperature : No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : Flammable liquid and vapour.

Vapour pressure : 42 hPa at 20°C
Relative vapour density at 20 °C : 1.59 (Air = 1)
Relative density : No data available
Density : 1.22 g/cm³ at 20°C
Solubility : Water: Infinitely soluble

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) : 0.54
Viscosity, kinematic : 1.205 mm²/s
Viscosity, dynamic : 1.47 mPa·s at 20°C
Explosive properties : No data available
Oxidising properties : No data available
Explosive limits : 0.18 – 0.57 vol %
Lower explosive limit (LEL) : 10 vol %

Lower explosive limit (LEL) : 10 vol % Upper explosive limit (UEL) : 45 vol %

## 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1. Reactivity

Flammable liquid and vapour.

## 10.2. Chemical stability

Flammable liquid and vapour. May form flammable/explosive vapour-air mixture.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

## 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Open flame. Overheating. Direct sunlight. Heat. Sparks. Avoid contact with hot surfaces. No flames, no sparks. Eliminate all sources of ignition.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

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## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes severe skin burns.

pH: 2.2 (10 g/L aqueous solution)

Serious eye damage/irritation : Assumed to cause serious eye damage

pH: 2.2 (10 g/L aqueous solution)

Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified Carcinogenicity : Not classified Reproductive toxicity : Not classified STOT-single exposure : Not classified STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified Aspiration hazard : Not classified

## **FORMIC ACID 98% AR (64-18-6)**

Viscosity, kinematic 1.205 mm²/s

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

## 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : Before neutralisation, the product may represent a danger to aquatic organisms.

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term

(acute)

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term

(chronic)

: Not classified

: Not classified

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

## FORMIC ACID 98% AR (64-18-6)

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) 0.54

## 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

## 12.6. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

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## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations

: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

Dispose of contents/container to a licensed hazardous-waste disposal contractor or collection site except for empty clean containers which can be disposed of as non-

hazardous waste.

Additional information Handle empty containers with care because residual vapours are flammable. Flammable

vapours may accumulate in the container.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

#### 14.1. UN number

UN-No. (ADR) : UN 1779 UN-No. (IMDG) : UN 1779 UN-No. (IATA) UN 1779 UN-No. (ADN) : UN 1779 UN-No. (RID) : UN 1779

### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

: FORMIC ACID Proper Shipping Name (ADR) : FORMIC ACID Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) Proper Shipping Name (IATA) Formic acid : FORMIC ACID Proper Shipping Name (ADN) Proper Shipping Name (RID) : FORMIC ACID

Transport document description (ADR) : UN 1779 FORMIC ACID, 8 (3), II, (D/E) Transport document description (IMDG) : UN 1779 FORMIC ACID, 8 (3), II Transport document description (IATA) : UN 1779 Formic acid, 8 (3), II Transport document description (ADN) : UN 1779 FORMIC ACID, 8 (3), II Transport document description (RID) : UN 1779 FORMIC ACID, 8 (3), II

## 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

#### **ADR**

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR) : 8 (3) Danger labels (ADR) : 8,3





## **IMDG**

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : 8 (3) Danger labels (IMDG) 8, 3



#### IATA

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : 8 (3) Danger labels (IATA) : 8,3

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#### ADN

Transport hazard class(es) (ADN) : 8 (3)
Danger labels (ADN) : 8, 3





#### RID

Transport hazard class(es) (RID) : 8 (3)
Danger labels (RID) : 8, 3





### 14.4. Packing group

Packing group (ADR) : II
Packing group (IMDG) : II
Packing group (IATA) : II
Packing group (ADN) : II
Packing group (RID) : II

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment : No Marine pollutant : No

Other information : No supplementary information available

## 14.6. Special precautions for user

#### **Overland transport**

Classification code (ADR) : CF1
Limited quantities (ADR) : 11
Excepted quantities (ADR) : E2
Packing instructions (ADR) : P001, IBC02
Mixed packing provisions (ADR) : MP15
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (ADR) : T7
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions : TP2

(ADR)

Orange plates

Tank code (ADR) : L4BN
Tank special provisions (ADR) : TU42
Vehicle for tank carriage : FL
Transport category (ADR) : 2
Special provisions for carriage - Operation (ADR) : S2
Hazard identification number (Kemler No.) : 83

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Tunnel restriction code (ADR) : D/E
EAC code : •2W
APP code : A(fl)

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Transport by sea

Limited quantities (IMDG) : 1 L Excepted quantities (IMDG) : E2 Packing instructions (IMDG) : P001 IBC packing instructions (IMDG) : IBC02 Tank instructions (IMDG) : T7 Tank special provisions (IMDG) : TP2 : F-E EmS-No. (Fire) : S-C EmS-No. (Spillage) : A Stowage category (IMDG) : SW2 Stowage and handling (IMDG)

Segregation (IMDG) : SGG1, SG36, SG49

Properties and observations (IMDG) : Colourless flammable liquid with a pungent odour. Pure FORMIC ACID: flashpoint 42°C c.c.

Corrosive to most metals. Causes burns to skin, eyes and mucous membranes.

MFAG-No : 153

Air transport

PCA Excepted quantities (IATA) : E2 : Y840 PCA Limited quantities (IATA) PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA) : 0.5L PCA packing instructions (IATA) : 851 : 1L PCA max net quantity (IATA) : 855 CAO packing instructions (IATA) CAO max net quantity (IATA) : 30L ERG code (IATA) : 8F

Inland waterway transport

Classification code (ADN) : CF1
Limited quantities (ADN) : 1 L
Excepted quantities (ADN) : E2

Equipment required (ADN) : PP, EP, EX, A

Ventilation (ADN) : VE01 Number of blue cones/lights (ADN) : 1

Rail transport

Classification code (RID) : CF1
Limited quantities (RID) : 1L
Excepted quantities (RID) : E2

Packing instructions (RID) : P001, IBC02
Mixed packing provisions (RID) : MP15
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (RID) : T7
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions : TP2

(RID)

Tank codes for RID tanks (RID): L4BNSpecial provisions for RID tanks (RID): TU42Transport category (RID): 2Colis express (express parcels) (RID): CE6Hazard identification number (RID): 83

#### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable

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## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

#### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### 15.1.1. EU-Regulations

EU restriction list (REACH Annex XVII)	
Reference code	Applicable on
3(a)	FORMIC ACID 98% AR
3(b)	FORMIC ACID 98% AR
40.	FORMIC ACID 98% AR

FORMIC ACID 98% AR is not on the REACH Candidate List

FORMIC ACID 98% AR is not on the REACH Annex XIV List

FORMIC ACID 98% AR is not subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 july 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.

FORMIC ACID 98% AR is not subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants

## 15.1.2. National regulations

#### Germany

Water hazard class (WGK) : WGK 1, Slightly hazardous to water (Classification according to AwSV; ID No. 210)

Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV) : Is not subject of the Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)

Netherlands

SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen : The substance is not listed SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen : The substance is not listed

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NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting : The substance is r giftige stoffen – Borstvoeding

NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting : The substance is not listed giftige stoffen – Vruchtbaarheid

NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting : The substance is not listed

giftige stoffen – Ontwikkeling

Denmark
Class for fire hazard : Class II-1

Store unit : 5 liter

Classification remarks : R10 <H226;H314>; Emergency management guidelines for the storage of flammable liquids

must be followed

Danish National Regulations : Young people below the age of 18 years are not allowed to use the product

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

Abbreviations and acronyms		
ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways	
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road	
ATE	Acute Toxicity Estimate	
BCF	Bioconcentration factor	
BLV	Biological limit value	
BOD	Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	
COD	Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect level	
DNEL	Derived-No Effect Level	

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Abbreviations and acronyms		
EC-No.	European Community number	
EC50	Median effective concentration	
EN	European Standard	
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	
IATA	International Air Transport Association	
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods	
LC50	Median lethal concentration	
LD50	Median lethal dose	
LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level	
NOAEC	No-Observed Adverse Effect Concentration	
NOAEL	No-Observed Adverse Effect Level	
NOEC	No-Observed Effect Concentration	
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development	
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit	
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic	
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration	
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail	
SDS	Safety Data Sheet	
STP	Sewage treatment plant	
ThOD	Theoretical oxygen demand (ThOD)	
TLM	Median Tolerance Limit	
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds	
CAS-No.	Chemical Abstract Service number	
N.O.S.	Not Otherwise Specified	
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative	
ED	Endocrine disrupting properties	

Full text of H- and EUH-statements	
Flam. Liq. 3	Flammable liquids, Category 3
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1A
H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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