Material Safety Data Sheet
2,4,6-Tribromophenol, 98%

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

**MSDS Name:** 2,4,6-Tribromophenol, 98%

**Synonyms:** Bromol; Tribromophenol.

Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

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Section 3 - Hazards Identification

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

Appearance: white crystals.

**Warning!** Causes irritation of the mucous membranes. May be readily absorbed through the skin. Causes eye and skin irritation. May be harmful if swallowed. May cause digestive tract irritation.

**Target Organs:** None.

**Potential Health Effects**

**Eye:** Causes eye irritation.

**Skin:** Causes skin irritation. May be absorbed through the skin.

**Ingestion:** May cause irritation of the digestive tract. May be harmful if swallowed.

**Inhalation:** Causes irritation of mucous membrane.

**Chronic:** No information found.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Eyes:** Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical aid immediately.

**Skin:** Get medical aid. Flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse.

**Ingestion:** If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. Never
give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid immediately.

**Inhalation:** Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid.

**Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.

**Antidote:** None reported.

### Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**General Information:** As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

**Extinguishing Media:** Use agent most appropriate to extinguish fire.

**Flash Point:** Not applicable.

**Autoignition Temperature:** Not available.

**Explosion Limits, Lower:** N/A

**Upper:** N/A

**NFPA Rating:** (estimated) Health: 1; Flammability: ; Instability: 0

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**General Information:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

**Spills/Leaks:** Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Sweep up, then place into a suitable container for disposal. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation.

### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

**Storage:** Keep container closed when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

### Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:** Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Exposure Limits**
Personal Protective Equipment
**Eyes:** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA’s eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.
**Skin:** Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.
**Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical State:** Crystals
**Appearance:** white
**Odor:** penetrating odor - bromine-like
**pH:** Not available.
**Vapor Pressure:** Not available.
**Vapor Density:** 11.4
**Evaporation Rate:** Not available.
**Viscosity:** Not available.
**Boiling Point:** 282.0 - 290.0 deg C @ 746.00m
**Freezing/Melting Point:** 87.00 - 89.00 deg C
**Decomposition Temperature:** Not available.
**Solubility:** soluable@14,000parts@15C
**Specific Gravity/Density:** 2.55
**Molecular Formula:** C₆H₃Br₃O
**Molecular Weight:** 330.79

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under normal temperatures and pressures. Substance sublimes at 282-290°C.
**Conditions to Avoid:** Incompatible materials, dust generation, strong oxidants.
**Incompatibilities with Other Materials:** Acid chlorides - acid anhydrides - oxidizing agents.
**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Carbon monoxide, irritating and toxic fumes and gases, carbon dioxide, hydrogen bromide.
**Hazardous Polymerization:** Has not been reported.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

**RTECS#:**
CAS# 118-79-6: SN1225000
LD50/LC50:
CAS# 118-79-6:
  Draize test, rabbit, eye: 100 mg Mild;
  Inhalation, rat: LC50 = >1630 mg/m3/4H;
  Oral, rat: LD50 = 200 mg/kg;
.
Carcinogenicity:
CAS# 118-79-6: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

Epidemiology: No information available.
Teratogenicity: No information available.
Reproductive Effects: No information available.
Mutagenicity: No information available.
Neurotoxicity: No information available.
Other Studies:

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: No data available. No information available.
Environmental: No information found.
Physical: No information found.
Other: No information available.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.
RCRA P-Series: None listed.
RCRA U-Series: None listed.

Section 14 - Transport Information

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Section 15 - Regulatory Information

Hazard Symbols:
XN

Risk Phrases:
R 22 Harmful if swallowed.
R 36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.

Safety Phrases:
S 26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
S 28A After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

Section 16 - Additional Information

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