# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)

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# SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

# Bromobenzene

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# SECTION 2 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Bromobenzene

Synonym: phenyl bromide

CAS#: 108-86-1

# **SECTION 3 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Colorless liquid with an aromatic odor like moth balls.

Moderately toxic by ingestion and inhalation.

Combustible. Moderate fire risk.

Irritant to body tissue.

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Health-2

Flammability-1

Reactivity-1

Exposure-1

Storage-0

0 is low hazard, 3 is high hazard

#### **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Call a physician and seek medical attention for further treatment, observation, and support after first aid.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air at once. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration immediately.

Eye: Immediately flush with fresh water for at least 15 minutes.

External: Wash continuously with fresh water for at least 15 minutes.

Internal: Give large quantities of water. Call a physician or poison control at once.

#### **SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Class II combustible liquid.	NFPA CODE
Heating to decomposition emits toxic bromide fumes.	H-2
Flash Point: 124 °F Upper: 36.5% Lower: 6% Autoignition Temperature: 1051 °F	F-2
Fire Fighting Instructions: Use a triclass, dry chemical fire extinguisher. Firefighters should we	ar PPE and R-0
SCBA with full facepiece operated in positive pressure mode.	

# SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Restrict unprotected personnel from the area. Remove all ignition sources and ventilate area. Contain the spill with sand or other inert absorbent material and deposit in a sealed bag or container. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

## SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #4. Store with ethers, ketones, halogenated hydrocarbons, and ethylene oxide. Use and dispense in a hood. Store in a cool, dry place.

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

Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wear chemical splash goggles, chemical-resistant gloves, and chemical-resistant apron. Use ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits. Always wear a NIOSH-approved respirator with proper cartridges or a positive pressure, air-supplied respirator when handling this material in emergency situations (spill or fire).

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**SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES** 

Clear, colorless liquid with an aromatic odor.

Solubility: Insoluble in water.

Formula: C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>Br Formula Weight: 157.02 Boiling Point: 155 °C Melting Point: -31 °C Specific Gravity: 1.52

Vapor Density: 5.41 (Air=1) Vapor Pressure: 4 mm @ 25 °C

SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Prudent laboratory practices should be observed.

Avoid contact with strong oxidizers.

SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute effects: Irritant, stomach pains, vomiting, and diarrhea.

Chronic effects: N.A. Target organs: N.A.

ORL-RAT LD<sub>50</sub>: 2699 mg/kg IHL-RAT LC<sub>50</sub>: 20411 mg/m<sup>3</sup> SKN-RBT LD<sub>50</sub>: N.A.

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

**SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION** 

Data not yet available.

**SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS** 

Please consult with state and local regulations.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #4b is one option.

**SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION** 

Shipping Name: Bromobenzene Hazard Class: 3, Flammable Liquid

UN Number: UN2514 N/A = Not applicable

**SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION** 

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (203-623-8), RCRA code D001.

# SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION

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