Material Safety Data Sheet
4-Hydroxyisophthalic Acid, 98%

ACC# 71188

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

**MSDS Name:** 4-Hydroxyisophthalic Acid, 98%

**Catalog Numbers:** AC263020000, AC263020250, AC263021000

**Synonyms:** 4-Hydroxy-1,3-benzenedicarboxylic acid

**Company Identification:**
Acros Organics N.V.
One Reagent Lane
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

*For information in North America, call:* 800-ACROS-01
*For emergencies in the US, call CHEMTREC:* 800-424-9300

Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

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Section 3 - Hazards Identification

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

Appearance: white solid.

**Warning!** Causes eye and skin irritation. Causes digestive and respiratory tract irritation. The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated.

**Target Organs:** None known.

**Potential Health Effects**

**Eye:** Causes eye irritation. The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated.

**Skin:** Causes skin irritation. The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated.

**Ingestion:** The toxicological properties of this substance have not been fully investigated. Causes gastrointestinal tract irritation.

**Inhalation:** Causes respiratory tract irritation. The toxicological properties of this substance have not been fully investigated.

**Chronic:** No information found.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

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

**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:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid immediately. Do NOT induce vomiting. If conscious and alert, rinse mouth and drink 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water.

**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.

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### 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. Vapors may be heavier than air. They can spread along the ground and collect in low or confined areas.

**Extinguishing Media:** In case of fire, use water, dry chemical, chemical foam, or alcohol-resistant foam.

**Flash Point:** 314 deg C ( 597.20 deg F)

**Autoignition Temperature:** Not available.

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

**Upper:** N/A

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

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### 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.

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### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Use only in a well-ventilated area. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

**Storage:** Store in a cool, dry place. Keep container closed when not in use.

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### Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:** Use adequate general or local exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below the permissible exposure limits. Use process enclosure, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels.

**Exposure Limits**

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https://fscimage.fishersci.com/msds/71188.htm
OSHA Vacated PELs: 4-Hydroxyisophthalic acid: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

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 gloves to prevent skin exposure.

Clothing: Wear appropriate protective clothing to minimize contact with skin.

Respirators: Wear a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved full-facepiece airline respirator in the positive pressure mode with emergency escape provisions.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Solid
Appearance: white
Odor: None reported.
pH: Not available.
Vapor Pressure: Not available.
Vapor Density: 6.3
Evaporation Rate: Not available.
Viscosity: Not available.
Boiling Point: Not available.
Freezing/Melting Point: 314.00 - 315.00 deg C
Decomposition Temperature: 314 deg C
Solubility: 1g/3l (24 c)
Specific Gravity/Density: Not available.
Molecular Formula: C8H6O5
Molecular Weight: 182.13

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.
Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials, strong oxidants.
Incompatibilities with Other Materials: Strong oxidizing agents - strong bases.
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.
Hazardous Polymerization: Has not been reported.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS#: CAS# 636-46-4: NT2544000
LD50/LC50:
Not available.

Carcinogenicity:
CAS# 636-46-4: 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

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

US FEDERAL

TSCA
CAS# 636-46-4 is not listed on the TSCA inventory. It is for research and development use only.

Health & Safety Reporting List
None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

Chemical Test Rules
None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

Section 12b
None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

TSCA Significant New Use Rule
None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs

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None of the chemicals in this material have an RQ.

**SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances**
None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

**Section 313**
No chemicals are reportable under Section 313.

**Clean Air Act:**
This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants.
This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depletors.
This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depletors.

**Clean Water Act:**
None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA.
None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA.
None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

**OSHA:**
None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

**STATE**
CAS# 636-46-4 is not present on state lists from CA, PA, MN, MA, FL, or NJ.

**California Prop 65**
California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

**European/International Regulations**
**European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives**

**Hazard Symbols:**
XI

**Risk Phrases:**
R 36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

**Safety Phrases:**
S 24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

**WGK (Water Danger/Protection)**
CAS# 636-46-4: No information available.

**Canada - DSL/NDSL**
None of the chemicals in this product are listed on the DSL or NDSL list.

**Canada - WHMIS**
WHMIS: Not available.
This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

**Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List**

### Section 16 - Additional Information

**MSDS Creation Date:** 5/19/1998
**Revision #4 Date:** 11/20/2008

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