

**Safety data sheet**  
according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31 (REACH)

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

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Benzene, Multisolvent® HPLC grade ACS ISO UV-VIS
- **Article number:** BE0041
- **CAS Number:**  
71-43-2
- **EC number:**  
200-753-7
- **Index number:**  
601-020-00-8
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the preparation:** Laboratory reagent
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**



GHS02 flame

Flam. Liq. 2 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.



GHS06 skull and crossbones

Acute Tox. 1 H310 Fatal in contact with skin.



GHS08 health hazard

Muta. 1B H340 May cause genetic defects.

Carc. 1A H350 May cause cancer.

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STOT RE 1 H372 Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Asp. Tox. 1 H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.



GHS07

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

### 2.2 Label elements

#### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The substance is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

#### Hazard pictograms



GHS02



GHS06



GHS08

#### Signal word Danger

#### Hazard statements

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H310 Fatal in contact with skin.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H340 May cause genetic defects.

H350 May cause cancer.

H372 Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

#### Precautionary statements

P301+P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).

P331 Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P361+P364 Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

#### 2.3 Other hazards

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT:** Not applicable.

**vPvB:** Not applicable.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Chemical characterisation: Substances

#### CAS No. Description

71-43-2 benzene

#### Identification number(s)

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### SECTION 4: First aid measures

**4.1 Description of first aid measures****General information:**

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

**After inhalation:**

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

**After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.**After eye contact:**

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

**After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.**4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

No further relevant information available.

**4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

**5.1 Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing agents:**

CO<sub>2</sub>, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

**For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Water with full jet**5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

No further relevant information available.

**5.3 Advice for firefighters****Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

**6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

**6.2 Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.**6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

**6.4 Reference to other sections**

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

**7.1 Precautions for safe handling** Open and handle receptacle with care.**Information about fire - and explosion protection:**

Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.

Protect against electrostatic charges.

Keep respiratory protective device available.

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- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store in a cool location.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**  
Keep container tightly sealed.  
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.
- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

**71-43-2 benzene**

WEL Long-term value: 3.25 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 1 ppm  
Carc; Sk

- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.
- **8.2 Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**  
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.  
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.  
Store protective clothing separately.  
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Respiratory protection:**  
In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.
- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.  
Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.  
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves**  
The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.
- **Penetration time of glove material**  
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

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· **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

· **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

<b>Form:</b>	Fluid
<b>Colour:</b>	Colourless
<b>Odour:</b>	Aromatic
<b>Odour threshold:</b>	Not determined.
<b>pH-value:</b>	Not determined.

· **Change in condition**

<b>Melting point/freezing point:</b>	6 °C
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range:</b>	80 °C

· **Flash point:** -11 °C

· **Flammability (solid, gas):** Not applicable.

· **Ignition temperature:** 555 °C

· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

· **Auto-ignition temperature:** Not determined.

· **Explosive properties:** Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapour mixtures are possible.

· **Explosion limits:**

<b>Lower:</b>	1.2 Vol %
<b>Upper:</b>	8 Vol %

· **Vapour pressure at 20 °C:** 100 hPa

· **Density at 20 °C:** 0.88 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

· **Relative density** Not determined.

· **Vapour density** Not determined.

· **Evaporation rate** Not determined.

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with water at 20 °C:** 0.7 g/l

· **Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:** Not determined.

· **Viscosity:**

<b>Dynamic at 20 °C:</b>	0.66 mPas
<b>Kinematic:</b>	Not determined.

· **9.2 Other information** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

· **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.

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- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**  
No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity**  
Fatal in contact with skin.
- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**

Oral	LD50	4,894 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	48 mg/kg (mouse)
Inhalative	LC50/4 h	9,980 mg/l (mouse)
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**  
Causes skin irritation.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**  
Causes serious eye irritation.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell mutagenicity**  
May cause genetic defects.
- **Carcinogenicity**  
May cause cancer.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure**  
Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
- **Aspiration hazard**  
May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**  
Water hazard class 3 (German Regulation) (Assessment by list): extremely hazardous for water  
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.  
Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

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- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**  
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

- **14.1 UN-Number**  
**ADR, IMDG, IATA** UN1114
  - **14.2 UN proper shipping name**
  - **ADR** 1114 BENZENE
  - **IMDG, IATA** BENZENE
  - **14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**
  - **ADR, IMDG, IATA**
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- **Class** 3 Flammable liquids.
  - **Label** 3
  - **14.4 Packing group**
  - **ADR, IMDG, IATA** II
  - **14.5 Environmental hazards:**
  - **Marine pollutant:** No
  - **14.6 Special precautions for user** Warning: Flammable liquids.
  - **Danger code (Kemler):** 33
  - **EMS Number:** 3-03
  - **Stowage Category** B
  - **Stowage Code** SW2 Clear of living quarters.
  - **14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code** Not applicable.
  - **Transport/Additional information:**
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- **ADR**
  - **Limited quantities (LQ)** 1L
  - **Transport category** 2
  - **Tunnel restriction code** D/E
  - **UN "Model Regulation":** UN 1114 BENZENE, 3, II

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** Substance is not listed.

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- **Seveso category**  
H1 ACUTE TOXIC  
P5c FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements** 5 t
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements** 20 t
- **REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII** Conditions of restriction: 3, 5, 28, 29, 40
- **Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 Annex I Part 1**
- **National regulations:**
- **Information about limitation of use:**  
Workers are not allowed to be exposed to this hazardous material. Exceptions can be made by the authorities in certain cases.
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

**SECTION 16: Other information**

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
The classification of the mixture is generally based on the calculation method using substance data according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.
- **Department issuing SDS:** product safety department
- **Contact:** msds@scharlab.com
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**  
RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)  
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation  
ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)  
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods  
IATA: International Air Transport Association  
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals  
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances  
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)  
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent  
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent  
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic  
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative  
Flam. Liq. 2: Flammable liquids – Category 2  
Acute Tox. 1: Acute toxicity – Category 1  
Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2  
Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2  
Muta. 1B: Germ cell mutagenicity – Category 1B  
Carc. 1A: Carcinogenicity – Category 1A  
STOT RE 1: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 1  
Asp. Tox. 1: Aspiration hazard – Category 1