Section 1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name: Protocatechuic Acid
Product ID: P6857
Chemical Name: 3,4-Dihydroxybenzoic acid
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Section 2. Hazards Identification

GHS Classification
Skin Corrosion/Irritation (Category 2) H315
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation (Category 2A) H319
Specific target organ toxicity - Single Exposure (Category 3) H335

GHS Label elements including precautionary statements

Pictogram
Signal word: Warning
Hazard statements
H315 - Causes skin irritation.
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statements
P261 - Avoid breathing (dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray).
P264 - Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P362 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P312 - Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/... if you feel unwell.
P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P405 - Store locked up.
P501 - Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

HMIS Classification
Health hazard: 2
Flammability: 0
Physical hazard: 0

NFPA Rating
Health hazard: 2
Fire hazard: 0
Reactivity hazard: 0

Potential Health Effects
Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled.
Skin: Causes skin irritation.
Eyes: Causes eye irritation.
Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

Section 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

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Section 4. First Aid Measures

General advice
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

Eye Contact
Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

Skin Contact
Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

Inhalation
If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

Ingestion
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

Section 5. Firefighting Measures

Flash Point
Not available.

Extinguishing Media
Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Firefighting Procedures
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

Unusual Fire Hazards
Not available.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions
Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust.

Environmental Precautions
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

Methods and materials for containment and cleanup
Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

Handling
Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

Storage Conditions
Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Recommended storage temperature: Ambient

Hazardous Decomposition Products
Not available.

Other Remarks
None.
Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Personal protective equipment

EXPOSURE CONTROLS
Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

PERSONAL PROTECTION
Eye/face protection: Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN 166. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166 (EU).
Skin protection: Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove’s outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.
Body protection: Complete suit protecting against chemicals. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.
Respiratory protection: For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

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Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Materials To Avoid
Not available.

Hazardous Decomposition Products
Not available.
### Section 11. Toxicological Information

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**Carcinogenicity**
- IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
- ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.
- NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
- OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

### Section 12. Ecological Information

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Section 13. Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal
Dispose of material according to all federal, state and local regulations. Offer material to a licensed, professional waste disposal company to dispose of as unused product.

Section 14. Transport Information

DOT (US) Not dangerous goods.
IATA Not dangerous goods.
IMDG Not dangerous goods.

Further Information

Section 15. Regulatory Information

Reach No.

SARA 302 Components SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Components No SARA hazards.

Massachusetts Right To Know Components No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components 3,4-Dihydroxybenzoic Acid CAS #: 99-50-3

New Jersey Right To Know Components 3,4-Dihydroxybenzoic Acid CAS #: 99-50-3

California Prop 65 Components This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

Section 16. Other Information

Other information The information in this document is believed to be correct but is not necessarily complete. LKT does not guarantee the accuracy of the information. The burden of verifying the information in this document rests solely upon the user.