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SAFETY DATA SHEET

Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Inc.

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product identifier

Product Name m-Xylene
Product Code SC-250273

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

For research use only. Not intended for diagnostic or therapeutic use.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Classification

Acute toxicity - Dermal	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3
Aspiration toxicity	Category 1
Flammable liquids	Category 3

Label elements

Signal word	Warning
Hazard statements	May be harmful if swallowed Causes skin irritation Causes serious eye irritation May cause respiratory irritation May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways Flammable liquid and vapor

Symbols/Pictograms



Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking
Keep container tightly closed
Ground/bond container and receiving equipment
Use only non-sparking tools
Take precautionary measures against static discharge



Precautionary Statements - Response

Keep cool
 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention
 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention
 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
 Do NOT induce vomiting
 In case of fire: Use CO2, dry chemical, or foam for extinction
 Store locked up Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
 Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

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Not applicable

Other Information

Other hazards

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Harmful to aquatic life.

NFPA	Health hazards	2
	Flammability	3
	Stability	0
	Physical and chemical properties	-



HMIS	Health hazards	2
	Flammability	3
	Physical hazards	0
	Personal protection	-

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS No 108-38-3
 Molecular Weight 106.17
 Formula C₈H₁₀

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
m-Xylene	108-38-3	>98	= 5 g/kg (Rat)	= 12.18 g/kg (Rabbit) = 14100 µL/kg (Rabbit)	= 5984 ppm (Rat) 6 h

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First Aid Measures

General advice Consult a physician if necessary. Remove to fresh air.
 Eye contact Wash with plenty of water.
 Skin Contact Wash skin with soap and water.
 Inhalation Remove to fresh air If breathing is difficult, give oxygen If not breathing, give artificial respiration
 Ingestion Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Clean mouth with water.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed



Symptoms No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards arising from the chemical No information available.

Hazardous combustion products Carbon oxides.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature.

Incompatible materials None known based on information supplied.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION



Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
m-Xylene 108-38-3	STEL: 150 ppm TWA: 100 ppm	-	IDLH: 900 ppm TWA: 100 ppm TWA: 435 mg/m ³ STEL: 150 ppm STEL: 655 mg/m ³

NIOSH IDLH *Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health*

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Showers
 Eyewash stations
 Ventilation systems

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).
 Skin and Body Protection Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.
 Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.
 General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State liquid
 Appearance No information available
 Odor No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>
pH	No information available
Melting point/freezing point	-48 °C
Boiling point	138 °C
Flash point	25 °C CC (closed cup)
Liquid Density	No information available
Evaporation rate	No information available
Upper flammability limits	No information available
Lower flammability limit	No information available
Vapor pressure	No information available
Vapor density	No information available
Specific gravity	No information available
Water solubility	No information available
Solubility in other solvents	No information available
Partition coefficient	No information available
Autoignition temperature	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available
Kinematic viscosity	No information available
Explosive properties	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity Not applicable
 Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.



Possibility of Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.
 Hazardous polymerization No information available.
 Conditions to avoid Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.
 Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.
 Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon oxides.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation No data available.
 Eye contact No data available.
 Skin Contact No data available.
 Ingestion No data available.

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No information available.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Chronic Toxicity May cause adverse effects on the bone marrow and blood-forming system. May cause adverse liver effects.

Target Organ Effects Blood, Gastrointestinal tract (GI), Central nervous system, Eyes, Respiratory system, Kidney, Liver, Skin.

Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
m-Xylene 108-38-3	-	Group 3	-	-

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) Not classifiable as a human carcinogen

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown acute toxicity No information available
 The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document
 ATEmix (oral) 5000 mg/kg
 ATEmix (dermal) 1100 mg/kg
 ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist) 1.5 mg/l

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to Microorganisms	Crustacea
m-Xylene 108-38-3	4.9: 72 h Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata mg/L EC50 static	14.3 - 18: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through 12.9: 96 h Poecilia reticulata mg/L LC50 semi-static 8.4: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 semi-static	-	2.81 - 5.0: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 Static

0% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

Persistence and degradability No information available.
 Bioaccumulation No information available.
 Mobility No information available.

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
m-Xylene 108-38-3	3.2



13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal of wastes	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.
Contaminated packaging	Do not reuse container.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN/ID no	UN1307
Hazard Class	3
Packing Group	III
Proper shipping name	Xylenes
Reportable Quantity (RQ)	(m-Xylene: RQ (kg)= 454.00)
Description	UN1307, Xylenes, 3, III
Emergency Response Guide Number	130

IMDG

UN/ID no	UN1307
Hazard Class	3
Packing Group	III
Proper shipping name	Xylenes
Description	UN1307, Xylenes, 3, III, (25°C c.c.)
Special Provisions	223
EmS-No	F-E, S-D

IATA

UN/ID no	UN1307
Hazard Class	3
Packing Group	III
Proper shipping name	Xylenes
Description	UN1307, Xylenes, 3, III
ERG Code	3L

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

All of the components in the product are on the following Inventory lists

TSCA (United States): Canada (DSL/NDSL) Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP) Australia (AICS) South Korea (KECL): China (IECSC)
ENCS (Japan): Philippines (PICCS)

Chemical name	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
m-Xylene	X	X	-	X	-	X	X	X	X	X

X - Listed

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances



US Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire hazard	Yes
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive hazard	No

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
m-Xylene 108-38-3				X

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
m-Xylene 108-38-3	X	X	X

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision note

No information available

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