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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 Mesityl oxide  
Product Code SC-250308

### 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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### Emergency telephone number

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+1.703.527.3887 (Outside USA)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

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

### Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral Category 4  
Acute toxicity - Dermal Category 4  
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Vapors) Category 3  
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  
Flammable liquids Category 3

### Label elements

Signal word Danger  
Hazard statements HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED  
Harmful in contact with skin  
Toxic if inhaled  
Causes skin irritation  
Causes serious eye irritation  
May cause respiratory irritation  
FLAMMABLE LIQUID AND VAPOR

Symbols/Pictograms





Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
 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  
 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  
 Keep cool

Precautionary Statements - Response

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 SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell  
 Rinse mouth

Precautionary Statements - Storage

In case of fire: Use CO2, dry chemical, or foam for extinction  
 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed  
 Store locked up

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

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Not applicable

**Other Information**

**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 141-79-7  
 Molecular Weight 98.14  
 Formula C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight %	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Mesityl oxide	141-79-7	>98	= 655 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	= 9 g/m <sup>3</sup> ( Rat ) 4 h

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**



## First Aid Measures

General advice	Immediate medical attention is required. In case of accident or unwellness, seek medical advice immediately (show directions for use or safety data sheet if possible).
Eye contact	Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Skin Contact	Wash off immediately with plenty of water.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air Call a physician If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration Avoid direct contact with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. Drink plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician. Do NOT induce vomiting.
Self-protection of the first aider	Remove all sources of ignition.

## Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms	No information available.
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## Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians	Treat symptomatically.
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## 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	None.

### 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.
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## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions	Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.
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### Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.
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### 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. Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust).



## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Keep away from heat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep tightly closed in a dry and cool place. Keep in properly labeled containers. Store at room temperature.

Incompatible materials None known based on information supplied.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines .

Other Information Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992).

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Mesityl oxide 141-79-7	STEL: 25 ppm TWA: 15 ppm	TWA: 25 ppm TWA: 100 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) TWA: 15 ppm (vacated) TWA: 60 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) STEL: 25 ppm (vacated) STEL: 100 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 1400 ppm TWA: 10 ppm TWA: 40 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

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 Tight sealing safety 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 When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State liquid

Appearance Oil

Odor No information available

### Property

pH Values  
No information available



Melting point/freezing point	-41.5 °C
Boiling point	130 °C
Flash point	31 °C CC (closed cup)
Density	0.86 g/mL
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	Heat, flames and sparks.
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.
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### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Chronic Toxicity	May cause adverse liver effects.
Target Organ Effects	Central nervous system, Eyes, Respiratory system, Kidney, Liver, Skin.

### 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)	655 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal)	1100 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)	1.5 mg/l
ATEmix (inhalation-vapor)	9 mg/l

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity	May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life
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100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

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

### 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.  
 Other Information Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### DOT

UN/ID no UN1229  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group III  
 Proper shipping name Mesityl oxide  
 Description UN1229, Mesityl oxide, 3, III  
 Emergency Response Guide Number 129

#### IMDG

UN/ID no UN1229  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group III  
 Proper shipping name Mesityl oxide  
 Description UN1229, Mesityl oxide, 3, III, (31°C c.c.)  
 EmS-No F-E, S-D

#### IATA

UN/ID no UN1229  
 Hazard Class 3  
 Packing Group III  
 Proper shipping name Mesityl oxide  
 Description UN1229, Mesityl oxide, 3, III

### 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
Mesityl oxide	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  
 IECS - 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 does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

## 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
Mesityl oxide 141-79-7	X	X	X

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Revision note No information available

### **Disclaimer**

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