MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS)

1. PRODUCT NAME AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name:

- Toluene (Industrial Grade)
- Synonyms: Methylbenzene, Phenylmethane, Toluol

Manufacturer/Supplier:

Swadesh (India) Chemical Pvt. Ltd.

Address:

Survey No: 512, Plot No. 7, Shri Hari Industrial Park, Kadadra Village, Near ZAK GIDC, Dehgam, Gandhinagar, Gujarat, India – 382330

Contact:

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Recommended Use:

• Industrial solvent, paint thinner, chemical intermediate, fuel additive

2. COMPOSITION/INGREDIENT INFORMATION

Component	CAS No.	Concentration (%)
Toluene	108-88-3	≥99.5%

Additional Notes:

Contains no hazardous additives



3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification:

- Flammable Liquid (Category 2, H225)
- Reproductive Toxicity (Category 2, H361d)
- Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Category 1, H370)
- Aspiration Hazard (Category 1, H304)

Hazard Statements (H-Codes):

- Highly flammable liquid and vapor
- Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child
- Causes damage to organs (central nervous system)
- May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways

Precautionary Statements (P-Codes):

- P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames
- P301+P310: IF SWALLOWED: Call poison center immediately
- P331: Do NOT induce vomiting
- P410+P403: Protect from sunlight. Store in well-ventilated place

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- Inhalation: Move to fresh air; seek medical attention if symptoms persist
- Skin Contact: Wash with soap and water; remove contaminated clothing
- Eye Contact: Rinse immediately with water for 15 mins; seek medical advice
- Ingestion: Rinse mouth; do NOT induce vomiting. Call a doctor

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

- Extinguishing Media: Foam, CO₂, dry chemical powder
- Flash Point: 4°C (closed cup)
- Autoignition Temp.: 480°C
- Explosion Limits: 1.1-7.1% (v/v in air)

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES (STEPS FOR SPILLS)

- Personal Precautions: Use self-contained breathing apparatus
- Containment Methods: Use sand or inert absorbent material
- Environmental Precautions: Prevent entry into waterways and soil

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- Handling:
 - Use explosion-proof equipment; avoid breathing vapors
- Storage:
 - Store in flammable liquid cabinet away from oxidizers

8. EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

- Engineering Controls: Use local exhaust ventilation
- PPE:
 - Respiratory: Organic vapor respirator (NIOSH-approved)
 - Skin Protection: Chemical-resistant gloves (Viton® recommended)
 - Eye Protection: Tight-fitting safety goggles
 - O Body Protection: Chemical-resistant apron

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Property	Value	
Appearance	Clear, colorless liquid	
Odor	Characteristic aromatic	
Boiling Point	110.6°C	
Melting Point	-95°C	
Density (20°C)	0.867 g/cm³	
Solubility in Water	0.52 g/L (20°C)	

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability:

• Stable under recommended conditions

Incompatible Materials:

Strong oxidizers, nitric acid

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity:

• LC₅₀ (rat): 636 mg/kg (oral)

Inhalation Effects:

TWA: 20 ppm (OSHA PEL)

Chronic Effects:

May cause liver/kidney damage

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

• **Biodegradability:** Readily biodegradable

Aquatic Toxicity: LC₅₀ (Fish): 10-100 mg/L

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal:

• Treat as hazardous waste; incinerate

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT/IMO/IATA:

Not classified as dangerous goods

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

India:

Compliant with CPCB regulations

International:

- REACH registered
- OSHA compliant



16. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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