

## 2,4-Dihydroxy-3-methylbenzaldehyde

CAS-No.: 6248-20-0

The scope of this Standard includes, but is not limited to the CAS number(s) indicated above; any other CAS number(s) used to identify this fragrance ingredient should be

considered in scope as well.

Synonyms: Benzaldehyde, 2,4-dihydroxy-3-methyl-

4-Formyl-2-methylresorcinol

History: Publication date: 2006 (Amendment 40) Previous 1980 Publications: 1989

2002

Implementation dates:

For new creation\*:

Not applicable.

Not applicable.

\*These dates apply to the supply of fragrance mixtures (formulas) only, not to the finished consumer products in the marketplace.

RECOMMENDATION: PROHIBITION

FRAGRANCE INGREDIENT PROHIBITION: 2,4-Dihydroxy-3-methylbenzaldehyde should not be

used as a fragrance ingredient.

CONTRIBUTIONS FROM OTHER SOURCES: NONE TO CONSIDER BEYOND TRACES (SEE

ALSO THE SECTION ON CONTRIBUTIONS FROM OTHER SOURCES IN CHAPTER 1 OF THE GUIDANCE FOR THE USE OF IFRA

STANDARDS)

INTRINSIC PROPERTY DRIVING RISK DERMAL SENSITIZATION

**MANAGEMENT:** 

## EXPERT PANEL FOR FRAGRANCE SAFETY RATIONALE / CONCLUSION:

The Expert Panel for Fragrance Safety reviewed all the available data for 2,4-Dihydroxy-3-methylbenzaldehyde and recommends not to use 2,4-Dihydroxy-3-methylbenzaldehyde as or in fragrance ingredients in any finished product application.

## **REFERENCES:**

The IFRA Standard on 2,4-Dihydroxy-3-methylbenzaldehyde is based on at least one of the following publications:

• The RIFM Safety Assessment on 2,4-Dihydroxy-3-methylbenzaldehyde is available at the RIFM Safety Assessment Sheet Database: http://fragrancematerialsafetyresource.elsevier.com/.



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