# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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### SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

## **Dodecyl Alcohol**

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CHEMTREC Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300 Signal Word WARNING

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#### **SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Hazard class: Skin and serious eye damage, corrosion or irritation (Category 2, 2A). Causes skin and serious eye irritation (H315+H319).

SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Dodecyl alcohol	112-53-8	CH <sub>3</sub> (CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>11</sub> OH	186.34	
Synonyms: 1-Dodecanol, Lauryl alcohol				

#### **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.

If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

**If in eyes:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing (P305+P351+P338). **If eye irritation persists:** Get medical advice or attention (P337+P313).

If on skin: Wash with plenty of water (P302+P352). If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice or attention (P332+P313).

If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.

### **SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Class IIIB combustible solid.

Flash point: 127 °C Autoignition Temperature: 275 °C

When heated to decomposition, may emit toxic fumes.

In case of fire: Use a tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.

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#### **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Remove all ignition sources. Sweep up the spill, place in a sealed bag or container and dispose. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

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#### **SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #2. Store with alcohols, glycols, amines, and amides.

### SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection (P280). Wash thoroughly after handling (P264).

#### SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Moist white solid. Floral odor. Due to melting point may be liquid.

Soluble: 70% ethyl alcohol. Insoluble in water.

Boiling point: 260-262 °C Melting point: 24 °C Specific gravity: 0.8309

#### **SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Avoid contact with acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides, and oxidizers.

Shelf life: Indefinite, if stored properly.

#### **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute effects: Eye and skin irritant.

ORL-RAT LD<sub>50</sub>: 12800 mg/kg

Chronic effects: N.A. IHL-RAT  $LC_{50}$ : N.A. Target organs: Eyes and skin. SKN-RBT  $LD_{50}$ : N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

#### **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Data not yet available.

#### **SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #18b is one option.

#### **SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Shipping name: Not regulated. Hazard class: N/A. UN number: N/A.

N/A = Not applicable

#### **SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (203-982-0).

#### SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION

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