



Rhubarb Flavouring SS.598

Safety Data Sheet

according to the REACH Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 amended by Regulation (EU) 2020/878
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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture
Trade name : Rhubarb Flavouring SS.598
Product code : SS.598

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Use of the substance/mixture : Food and/or beverage Flavouring

1.2.2. Uses advised against

Restrictions on use : Not for direct consumption

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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United Kingdom
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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : +44 (0)1442 822621

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Not classified

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

To our knowledge, this product does not present any particular risk, provided it is handled in accordance with good occupational hygiene and safety practice.

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

No labelling applicable

2.3. Other hazards

Contains no PBT/vPvB substances $\geq 0.1\%$ assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

Component

4-hydroxy-3-methoxybenzaldehyde (121-33-5)	This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII
Propylene glycol (57-55-6)	This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

The mixture does not contain substance(s) included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or is not identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at a concentration equal to or greater than 0,1 %

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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

This mixture does not contain any substances to be mentioned according to the criteria of section 3.2 of REACH Annex II

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Wash skin with plenty of water.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse eyes with water as a precaution.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No additional information available

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material.
Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

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6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Wear personal protective equipment.
Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

Propylene glycol (57-55-6)	
United Kingdom - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Propane-1,2-diol
WEL TWA (OEL TWA) [1]	474 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³
WEL TWA (OEL TWA) [2]	150 ppm
Regulatory reference	EH40/2005 (Fourth edition, 2020). HSE

8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

No additional information available

8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



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8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Safety glasses

Eye protection			
Type	Field of application	Characteristics	Standard
Safety goggles	Droplet, Dust	clear, Plastic	EN 166 1B3

8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Skin and body protection	
Type	Standard
Lab coat	ASTM F903

Hand protection:

Protective gloves against chemicals (EN 374)

Hand protection					
Type	Material	Permeation	Thickness (mm)	Penetration	Standard
Disposable gloves	Nitrile rubber (NBR)	5 (> 240 minutes)	0.20-0.30	2 (< 1.5)	EN 420, EN 16523-1, EN ISO 374-1, EN 374-2, EN 374-4, EN ISO 374-5

8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

Respiratory protection			
Device	Filter type	Condition	Standard
Powered Air-Purifying Respirator (PAPR)	Filter AX (brown), Filter P (white), Type A - High-boiling (>65 °C) organic compounds	Protection for Liquid particles, Protection for Solid particles, Short term exposure	EN 12941

8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Environmental exposure controls:

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Colour	: Almost Colourless.
Odour	: Characteristic. Conforms to Standard.
Odour threshold	: Not available
Melting point	: Not applicable
Freezing point	: Not available
Boiling point	: Not available
Flammability	: Not applicable

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Explosive limits	: Not available
Lower explosion limit	: Not available
Upper explosion limit	: Not available
Flash point	: > 60 °C
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not available
Decomposition temperature	: Not available
pH	: Not available
Viscosity, kinematic	: Not available
Solubility	: Not available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: Not available
Vapour pressure	: Not available
Vapour pressure at 50°C	: Not available
Density	: 1.04 (1.03 – 1.05) g/ml at 20°C
Relative density	: Not available
Relative vapour density at 20°C	: Not available
Particle characteristics	: Not applicable

9.2. Other information

9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No additional information available

9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

Refractive index : 1.435 – 1.455

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified

4-hydroxy-3-methoxybenzaldehyde (121-33-5)

LD50 oral rat	3300 mg/kg bodyweight (Equivalent or similar to OECD 401, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Oral, 14 day(s))
LD50 oral	3500 mg/kg bodyweight

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4-hydroxy-3-methoxybenzaldehyde (121-33-5)

LD50 dermal rat	> 2000 mg/kg bodyweight (OECD 402: Acute Dermal Toxicity, 24 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Dermal, 14 day(s))
ATE CLP (oral)	3300 mg/kg bodyweight

Propylene glycol (57-55-6)

LD50 oral rat	22000 mg/kg (Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Oral)
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg bodyweight (24 h, Rabbit, Experimental value, Dermal, 14 day(s))
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 44.9 mg/l (4 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Inhalation (aerosol), 7 day(s))
ATE CLP (oral)	22000 mg/kg bodyweight

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified

Propylene glycol (57-55-6)

pH	6.5 – 7.5 (50 %)
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Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified

Propylene glycol (57-55-6)

pH	6.5 – 7.5 (50 %)
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Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified
Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified
STOT-single exposure : Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified
Aspiration hazard : Not classified

4-(p-Hydroxyphenyl)-2-butanone (5471-51-2)

Viscosity, kinematic	Not applicable
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4-hydroxy-3-methoxybenzaldehyde (121-33-5)

Viscosity, kinematic	Not applicable
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Propylene glycol (57-55-6)

Viscosity, kinematic	41.426 mm ² /s
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11.2. Information on other hazards

11.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

11.2.2. Other information

Other information : H.E. Stringer Flavours do not test on animals, this is historical information

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms nor to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) : Not classified
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) : Not classified

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4-hydroxy-3-methoxybenzaldehyde (121-33-5)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	57 mg/l (Equivalent or similar to OECD 203, 96 h, Pimephales promelas, Flow-through system, Fresh water, Experimental value)
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	36.79 mg/l (OECD 202: Daphnia sp. Acute Immobilisation Test, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)
ErC50 algae	120 mg/l (OECD 201: Alga, Growth Inhibition Test, 72 h, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)

Propylene glycol (57-55-6)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	40613 mg/l (96 h, Oncorhynchus mykiss, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value)
ErC50 algae	24200 mg/l (OECD 201: Alga, Growth Inhibition Test, 72 h, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)

12.2. Persistence and degradability

4-(p-Hydroxyphenyl)-2-butanone (5471-51-2)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability in water: no data available.

4-hydroxy-3-methoxybenzaldehyde (121-33-5)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.

Propylene glycol (57-55-6)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradable in the soil. Readily biodegradable in water.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.96 – 1.08 g O ₂ /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.63 g O ₂ /g substance
ThOD	1.69 g O ₂ /g substance

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

4-(p-Hydroxyphenyl)-2-butanone (5471-51-2)	
Bioaccumulative potential	No bioaccumulation data available.

4-hydroxy-3-methoxybenzaldehyde (121-33-5)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	1.17 (Experimental value, OECD 107: Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water): Shake Flask Method, 25 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (Log Kow < 4).

Propylene glycol (57-55-6)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-1.07 (Experimental value, EU Method A.8: Partition Coefficient, 20.5 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

12.4. Mobility in soil

4-hydroxy-3-methoxybenzaldehyde (121-33-5)	
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	3.438 (log Koc, Experimental value)
Ecology - soil	Low potential for mobility in soil.

Propylene glycol (57-55-6)	
Surface tension	71.6 mN/m (21.5 °C, 1.01 g/l, EU Method A.5: Surface tension)

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Propylene glycol (57-55-6)

Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	0.46 (log Koc, Calculated value)
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Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.
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12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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4-hydroxy-3-methoxybenzaldehyde (121-33-5)	This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII
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Propylene glycol (57-55-6)	This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII
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12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

14.1. UN number or ID number

UN-No. (ADR)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (IMDG)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (IATA)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (ADN)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (RID)	: Not applicable

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (ADR)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (IATA)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (ADN)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (RID)	: Not applicable

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR) : Not applicable

IMDG

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : Not applicable

IATA

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : Not applicable

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ADN

Transport hazard class(es) (ADN) : Not applicable

RID

Transport hazard class(es) (RID) : Not applicable

14.4. Packing group

Packing group (ADR) : Not applicable
Packing group (IMDG) : Not applicable
Packing group (IATA) : Not applicable
Packing group (ADN) : Not applicable
Packing group (RID) : Not applicable

14.5. Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment : No
Marine pollutant : No
Other information : No supplementary information available

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Not applicable

Transport by sea

Not applicable

Air transport

Not applicable

Inland waterway transport

Not applicable

Rail transport

Not applicable

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)

Contains no substance(s) listed on REACH Annex XVII (Restriction Conditions)

REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

Contains no substance(s) listed on REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the REACH Candidate List

PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the PIC list (Regulation EU 649/2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals)

POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the POP list (Regulation EU 2019/1021 on persistent organic pollutants)

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Ozone Regulation (1005/2009)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Ozone Depletion list (Regulation EU 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer)

Explosives Precursors Regulation (2019/1148)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Explosives Precursors list (Regulation EU 2019/1148 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors)

Drug Precursors Regulation (273/2004)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Drug Precursors list (Regulation EC 273/2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances)

15.1.2. National regulations

Germany

Water hazard class (WGK) : Not classified according to Regulation Governing Systems for Handling Substances Hazardous to Waters (AwSV).

Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV) : Is not subject of the Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)

Netherlands

SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen : None of the components are listed

SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen : None of the components are listed

SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Borstvoeding : None of the components are listed

SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – : None of the components are listed

Vruchtbaarheid

SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Ontwikkeling : None of the components are listed

Denmark

Classification remarks : Emergency management guidelines for the storage of flammable liquids must be followed

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
ATE	Acute Toxicity Estimate
BCF	Bioconcentration factor
BLV	Biological limit value
BOD	Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)
COD	Chemical oxygen demand (COD)
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect level
DNEL	Derived-No Effect Level
EC-No.	European Community number
EC50	Median effective concentration
EN	European Standard
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
LC50	Median lethal concentration
LD50	Median lethal dose

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOAEC	No-Observed Adverse Effect Concentration
NOAEL	No-Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOEC	No-Observed Effect Concentration
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
STP	Sewage treatment plant
ThOD	Theoretical oxygen demand (ThOD)
TLM	Median Tolerance Limit
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds
CAS-No.	Chemical Abstract Service number
N.O.S.	Not Otherwise Specified
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative
ED	Endocrine disrupting properties