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# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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SECTION 1.----- CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION------

CATALOG #: 3637-3-03 NAME: 3-FLUOROBENZONITRILE SYNONYMS: *m*-CYANOFLUOROBENZENE *m*-FLUOROBENZONITRILE

SECTION 2. ---- COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS -----

CAS #: 403-54-3 MF: C<sub>7</sub>H<sub>4</sub>FN = 121.11

SECTION 3.----- HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION ------

LABEL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HARMFUL. HARMFUL BY INHALATION, IN CONTACT WITH SKIN AND IF SWALLOWED. IRRITATING TO EYES, RESPIRATORY SYSTEM AND SKIN. COMBUSTIBLE.

SECTION 4.----- FIRST-AID MEASURES------

ORAL EXPOSURE IF SWALLOWED, WASH OUT MOUTH WITH WATER PROVIDED PERSON IS CONSCIOUS. CALL A PHYSICIAN. INHALATION EXPOSURE IF INHALED, REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. IF BREATHING IS DIFFICULT, GIVE OXYGEN. DERMAL EXPOSURE IN CASE OF CONTACT, IMMEDIATELY WASH SKIN WITH SOAP AND COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER. EYE EXPOSURE IN CASE OF CONTACT, IMMEDIATELY FLUSH EYES WITH COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES.

# SECTION 5. ----- FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES -----

FLASH POINT

154 °F / 68 °C METHOD: CLOSED CUP

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

SUITABLE: FOR SMALL (INCIPIENT) FIRES, USE MEDIA SUCH AS "ALCOHOL" FOAM, DRY CHEMICAL, OR CARBON DIOXIDE. FOR LARGE FIRES, APPLY WATER FROM AS FAR AS POSSIBLE. USE VERY LARGE QUANTITIES (FLOODING) OF WATER APPLIED AS A MIST OR SPRAY; SOLID STREAMS OF WATER MAY BE INEFFECTIVE. COOL ALL AFFECTED CONTAINERS WITH FLOODING QUANTITIES OF WATER. FIREFIGHTING PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS AND PROTECTIVE CLOTHING TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. SPECIFIC HAZARD(S): EMITS TOXIC FUMES UNDER FIRE CONDITIONS.

EXPOSURE HAZARD(S)

MATERIAL: HARMFUL SOLID. IRRITANT.

#### SECTION 6.----- ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES------

PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED IN CASE OF LEAK OR SPILL

EVACUATE AREA.

PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)

WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS, RUBBER BOOTS, AND HEAVY RUBBER GLOVES.

METHODS FOR CLEANING UP

COVER WITH DRY LIME OR SODA ASH, PICK UP, KEEP IN A CLOSED CONTAINER, AND HOLD FOR WASTE DISPOSAL. VENTILATE AREA AND WASH SPILL SITE AFTER MATERIAL PICKUP IS COMPLETE.

## SECTION 7. ----- HANDLING AND STORAGE-----

HANDLING

USER EXPOSURE: AVOID BREATHING VAPOR. AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES, SKIN, AND CLOTHING. AVOID PROLONGED OR REPEATED EXPOSURE. STORAGE

SUITABLE: KEEP TIGHTLY CLOSED. KEEP AWAY FROM HEAT AND OPEN FLAME. STORE IN A COOL DRY PLACE.

## SECTION 8. ----- EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION-----

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

SAFETY SHOWER AND EYE BATH. MECHANICAL EXHAUST REQUIRED. PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT RESPIRATORY: USE RESPIRATORS AND COMPONENTS TESTED AND APPROVED UNDER APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS NIOSH (US) OR CEN (EU). WHERE RISK ASSESSMENT SHOWS AIR-PURIFYING RESPIRATORS ARE APPROPRIATE USE A DUST MASK TYPE N95 (US) OR TYPE P1 (EN 143) RESPIRATOR.

HAND: COMPATIBLE CHEMICAL-RESISTANT GLOVES.

EYE: CHEMICAL SAFETY GOGGLES.

GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES

WASH CONTAMINATED CLOTHING BEFORE REUSE. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.

## SECTION 9.----- PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES ------

APPEARANCE LIQUID PHYSICAL PROPERTIES BOILING POINT: 182 - 183 °C MELTING POINT: -16 °C FLASH POINT: 154 °F / 68 °C METHOD: CLOSED CUP DENSITY: 1.133 G/CM<sup>3</sup> REFRACTIVE INDEX: 1.5043 @ 20 °C

#### SECTION 10. -----STABILITY AND REACTIVITY -----

STABILITY

MATERIALS TO AVOID: STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS, STRONG ACIDS, STRONG BASES. HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: CARBON MONOXIDE, CARBON DIOXIDE, NITROGEN OXIDES, HYDROGEN FLUORIDE.

## SECTION 11. ----- TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION ------

ROUTE OF EXPOSURE

SKIN CONTACT: CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION.

MULTIPLE ROUTES: MAY BE HARMFUL BY INHALATION, INGESTION, OR SKIN ABSORPTION. VAPOR OR MIST IS IRRITATING TO THE EYES, MUCOUS MEMBRANES, AND UPPER RESPIRATORY TRACT.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE, THE CHEMICAL, PHYSICAL, AND TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES HAVE NOT BEEN THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED.

SECTION 12. ----- ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION -----

DATA NOT YET AVAILABLE.

SECTION 13. ----- DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS ------

APPROPRIATE METHOD OF DISPOSAL OF SUBSTANCE OR PREPARATION THIS COMBUSTIBLE MATERIAL MAY BE BURNED IN A CHEMICAL INCINERATOR EQUIPPED WITH AN AFTERBURNER AND SCRUBBER. OBSERVE ALL FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS.

## SECTION 14. ----- TRANSPORT INFORMATION -----

DOT PROPER SHIPPING NAME: NITRILES, TOXIC, N.O.S. UN#: 3276 CLASS: 6.1 PACKING GROUP: PACKING GROUP III HAZARD LABEL: TOXIC SECTION 15. ----- REGULATORY INFORMATION -----

EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION SYMBOL OF DANGER: Xn INDICATION OF DANGER: HARMFUL. R: 20/21/22 RISK STATEMENTS: HARMFUL BY INHALATION, IN CONTACT WITH SKIN AND IF SWALLOWED. S: 36/37 SAFETY STATEMENTS: WEAR SUITABLE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND GLOVES. US CLASSIFICATION AND LABEL TEXT INDICATION OF DANGER: HARMFUL. RISK STATEMENTS: HARMFUL BY INHALATION, IN CONTACT WITH SKIN AND IF SWALLOWED. IRRITATING TO EYES, RESPIRATORY SYSTEM AND SKIN. SAFETY STATEMENTS: IN CASE OF CONTACT WITH EYES, RINSE IMMEDIATELY WITH PLENTY OF WATER AND SEEK MEDICAL ADVICE. WEAR SUITABLE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. US STATEMENTS: COMBUSTIBLE. UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION TSCA INVENTORY ITEM: YES

SECTION 16. ----- OTHER INFORMATION-----

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