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**Material Safety Data Sheet**

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

CATALOG #: 3837-3-13

NAME: 2-[3-(TRIFLUOROMETHYL)PHENYL]ACETONITRILE

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

CAS NUMBER: 2338-76-3

MOLECULAR FORMULA: C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>6</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 185.15

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

**LABEL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

HARMFUL.

HARMFUL BY INHALATION, IN CONTACT WITH SKIN AND IF SWALLOWED.

IRRITANT.

IRRITATING TO EYES, RESPIRATORY SYSTEM AND SKIN.

**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 BREATHING BECOMES DIFFICULT, CALL A PHYSICIAN.

**DERMAL EXPOSURE**

IN CASE OF CONTACT, IMMEDIATELY WASH SKIN WITH SOAP AND COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER.

**EYE EXPOSURE**

IN CASE OF CONTACT WITH EYES, FLUSH WITH COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES. ASSURE ADEQUATE FLUSHING BY SEPARATING THE EYELIDS WITH FINGERS. CALL A PHYSICIAN.

**SECTION 5. ----- FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES -----**

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

SUITABLE: WATER SPRAY. CARBON DIOXIDE, DRY CHEMICAL POWDER, OR APPROPRIATE FOAM.

**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.

**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**

ABSORB ON SAND OR VERMICULITE AND PLACE IN CLOSED CONTAINERS FOR DISPOSAL. VENTILATE AREA AND WASH SPILL SITE AFTER MATERIAL PICKUP IS COMPLETE.

**SECTION 7. ----- HANDLING AND STORAGE-----**

**HANDLING**

USER EXPOSURE: DO NOT BREATHE VAPOR. AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES, SKIN, AND CLOTHING. AVOID PROLONGED OR REPEATED EXPOSURE.

**STORAGE**

SUITABLE: KEEP TIGHTLY CLOSED.

**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 FULL-FACE RESPIRATOR WITH MULTI-PURPOSE COMBINATION (US) OR TYPE AXBEK (EN 14387) RESPIRATOR CARTRIDGES AS A BACKUP TO ENGINEERING CONTROLS. IF THE RESPIRATOR IS THE SOLE MEANS OF PROTECTION, USE A FULL-FACE SUPPLIED AIR RESPIRATOR.

HAND: COMPATIBLE CHEMICAL-RESISTANT GLOVES.

EYE: CHEMICAL SAFETY GOGGLES.

**GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES**

WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.

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

APPEARANCE AND ODOR

LIQUID

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

BOILING POINT: 92 - 93 °C @ 4 mmHg  
REFRACTIVE INDEX: 1.456 @ 20 °C  
DENSITY: 1.187 g/mL @ 20 °C

**SECTION 10. ----- STABILITY AND REACTIVITY -----**

STABILITY

STABLE: STABLE.

MATERIALS TO AVOID: STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

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NITROGEN OXIDES, HYDROGEN FLUORIDE.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR

**SECTION 11. ----- TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION -----**

ROUTE OF EXPOSURE

SKIN CONTACT: CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION.

SKIN ABSORPTION: HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN.

EYE CONTACT: CAUSES EYE IRRITATION.

INHALATION: MATERIAL IS IRRITATING TO MUCOUS MEMBRANES AND UPPER  
RESPIRATORY TRACT. HARMFUL IF INHALED.

INGESTION: HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

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

CONTACT A LICENSED PROFESSIONAL WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICE TO DISPOSE  
OF THIS MATERIAL. DISSOLVE OR MIX THE MATERIAL WITH A COMBUSTIBLE  
SOLVENT AND BURN 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, LIQUID, N.O.S.

UN#: 3276

CLASS: 6.1

PACKING GROUP: PACKING GROUP III

HAZARD LABEL: TOXIC LIQUID

**SECTION 15. ----- REGULATORY INFORMATION -----**

EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION

SYMBOL OF DANGER: X<sub>n</sub>

INDICATION OF DANGER: HARMFUL.

RISK STATEMENTS: 20/21/22-36/37/38

SAFETY STATEMENTS: 23-24/25-36/37/39-45

UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA: LISTED ON TSCA INVENTORY; FOR R&D USE ONLY

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

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