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Material Safety Data Sheet

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

CATALOG #: 4737-1-X0

NAME: 3-METHOXY-4-METHYLBENZONITRILE

SYNONYM: 5-CYANO-2-METHYLANISOLE; 4-CYANO-2-METHOXYTOLUENE

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

CAS NUMBER: 3556-60-3

MOLECULAR FORMULA: C₉H₉NO

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 147.17

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

LABEL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HARMFUL.

HARMFUL 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 SKIN CONTACT, FLUSH WITH COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES. REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES.

CALL A PHYSICIAN.

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.

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(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)

WEAR RESPIRATOR, CHEMICAL SAFETY GOGGLES, RUBBER BOOTS, AND HEAVY RUBBER GLOVES.

METHODS FOR CLEANING UP

SWEEP UP, PLACE IN A BAG AND HOLD FOR WASTE DISPOSAL. AVOID RAISING DUST. VENTILATE AREA AND WASH SPILL SITE AFTER MATERIAL PICKUP IS COMPLETE.

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

HANDLING

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

STORAGE

SUITABLE: KEEP TIGHTLY CLOSED.

STORE AT 2-8°C

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

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

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.

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

APPEARANCE AND ODOR

SOLID

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

MELTING POINT: 54 °C

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

STABILITY

STABLE: STABLE.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

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

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR

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

ROUTE OF EXPOSURE

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

INGESTION: HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

MULTIPLE ROUTES: CAUSES EYE AND SKIN IRRITATION. MAY BE HARMFUL BY INHALATION OR SKIN ABSORPTION.

CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE

THE 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

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

UNRESTRICTED

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

EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION

SYMBOL OF DANGER: Xn

INDICATION OF DANGER: HARMFUL.

RISK STATEMENTS: 22-36/37/38

SAFETY STATEMENTS: 22-24/25-26-36/37/39-45

UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA: NOT LISTED ON TSCA INVENTORY; FOR R&D USE ONLY

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

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