

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

According to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name: Phenylacetonitrile

Product code: P0128

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

Identified uses: Reagents.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier:

TCI EUROPE N.V. Boerenveldseweg 6 Haven 1063 B-2070 Zwijndrecht

Telephone: +32(0)3 735 07 00 E-mail: sales-eu@tcichemicals.com

**1.4 Emergency telephone number:** +32(0)70 245 245

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Acute toxicity (Oral)Category 3Acute toxicity (Dermal)Category 3Acute toxicity (Inhalation)Category 2

2.2 Label elements

Pictograms or hazard symbols



Signal word Danger

Hazard statements H330-Fatal if inhaled.

H301+H311-Toxic if swallowed or in contact with skin.

**Precautionary statements** P260-Do not breathe mist, vapours or spray.

P284-Wear respiratory protection.

P280-Wear protective gloves, protective clothing.

P301+P310+P330-IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor. Rinse mouth. P302+P352+P312+P361+P364-IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before

reuse.

P304+P340+P310-IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.

2.3 Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable vPvB: Not applicable

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

 Components:
 Phenylacetonitrile

 Percent:
 >98.0%(GC)

 CAS RN:
 140-29-4

 EC-No:
 205-410-5

**Synonyms:**  $\alpha$ -Cyanotoluene ,  $\alpha$ -Tolunitrile , Benzyl Cyanide

Chemical Formula: C8H7N

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

Inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a

POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Skin contact: Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Gently wash with plenty of soap and water.

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

**Eye contact:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Rinse mouth.

**Protection of first-aiders:** A rescuer should wear personal protective equipment, such as rubber gloves and air-tight goggles.

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

No data available

Ingestion:

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

No data available

# SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Dry chemical, foam, water spray, carbon dioxide. Unsuitable extinguishing media: Solid streams of water

5.2 Special hazards arising from the

substance or mixture

Take care as it may decompose upon combustion or in high temperatures to generate poisonous fume.

Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide, Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

5.3 Advice for firefighters Fire-extinguishing work is done from the windward and the suitable fire-extinguishing method according

to the surrounding situation is used. Uninvolved persons should evacuate to a safe place. In case of fire in the surroundings: Remove movable containers if safe to do so. When extinguishing fire, be sure

to wear personal protective equipment

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Ensure adequate ventilation. Entry to non-involved personnel should be controlled around the leakage area by roping off,

etc

**6.2 Environmental precautions** Prevent product from entering drains

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Absorb spilled material in a suitable absorbent (e.g. rag, dry sand, earth, saw-dust). In case of large amount of spillage, contain a spill by bunding. Adhered or collected material should be promptly

disposed of, in accordance with appropriate laws and regulations.

**6.4 Reference to other sections** For disposal see section 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Handling is performed in a well ventilated place. Wear suitable protective equipment. Prevent generation of vapour or mist. Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling. Use a closed system if possible. Use a ventilation, local exhaust if vapour or aerosol will be generated. Avoid contact with

skin, eyes and clothing.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool, dark and well-ventilated place. Store locked up. Store

away from incompatible materials such as oxidizing agents.

7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters No data available

8.2 Exposure controls Install a closed system or local exhaust. Also install safety shower and eye bath.

Respiratory protection: Half or full facepiece respirator, self-contained breathing apparatus(SCBA), supplied air respirator, etc.

Use respirators approved under appropriate government standards and follow local and national

regulations.

Hand protection: Impervious gloves.

**Eye protection:** Safety goggles. A face-shield, if the situation requires.

Skin and body protection: Impervious protective clothing. Protective boots, if the situation requires.

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### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state (20°C): Liquid Form: Clear

Colorless - Slightly pale yellow

Odour: Aromatic

pH: No data available

Melting point/freezing point:-24°CBoiling point/range:230°CFlash point:101°C

Evaporation rate(Butyl Acetate=1): No data available Flammability(solid, gas): No data available

Flammability or explosive limits:

Lower: No data available
Upper: No data available
Vapour pressure: 0.1kPa/60°C
Vapour density: 4.0

Relative density: 1.02
Solubility(ies):

[Water] Insoluble (100mg/L, 25°C)

[Other solvents]

Soluble: Ether, Alcohols, Acetone

Partition coefficient: 1.56

n-octanol/water:

Autoignition temperature: 590°C

Decomposition temperature:No data availableDynamic Viscosity:No data availableKinematic viscosity:No data available

9.2 Other safety information No data available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity No data available

**10.2 Chemical stability** Stable under proper conditions.

**10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No special reactivity has been reported.

**10.4 Conditions to avoid**No data available

10.5 Incompatible materials Oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Strong bases, Reducing agents

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide, Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

# SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute Toxicity: ihl-mus LC50:100 mg/m³/2H

ihl-rat LC50:430 mg/m³/2H orl-rat LD50:270 mg/kg skn-rbt LD50:270 mg/kg skn-rbt 500 mg/24H MLD

Skin corrosion/irritation: skn-rbt 500 mg/24H Ml
Serious eye damage/irritation: No data available
Respiratory or skin sensitization: No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Germ cell mutagenicity:

sln-dmg-ihl 170 ppm

Carcinogenicity:

IARC = No data available
NTP = No data available
Reproductive toxicity: No data available
STOT-single exposure: No data available
STOT-repeated exposure: No data available
Aspiration hazard: No data available
RTECS Number: AM1400000

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Fish: No data available
Crustacea: No data available
Algae: No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability 77% (by BOD), 100% (by HPLC), 96% (by TOC)

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

**Log Pow:** 1.56

Soil adsorption (Koc): No data available Henry's Law (PaM ³/mol): No data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable vPvB: Not applicable

**12.6 Other adverse effects**No data available

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Recycle to process, if possible. Consult your local regional authorities. You may be able to burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber system. Observe all federal, state and local regulations when disposing of the substance.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

**14.1 UN number** 2470

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID Phenylacetonitrile, liquid IMDG/IMO Phenylacetonitrile, liquid ICAO/IATA Phenylacetonitrile, liquid

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID 6.1: Toxic substance
IMDG/IMO 6.1: Toxic substance
ICAO/IATA 6.1: Toxic substance

14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID III
IMDG/IMO III
ICAO/IATA III

14.5 Environmental hazards

Marine pollutant -

14.6 Special precautions for user No data available

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

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

Water Hazard Classes (WGK): Class 2 - Hazard to waters

Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the

REACH Regulations (EC) No.1907/2006

A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out.

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Not listed

SECTION 16: Other information

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**End of Safety Data Sheet** 

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