



MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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4-NITROBENZONITRILE, 97%

SECTION 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

MSDS Name: 4-NITROBENZONITRILE, 97%

Catalog Numbers:

12848-0000, 12848-0250

Synonyms:

Company Identification (Europe): Acros Organics BVBA

Janssen Pharmaceuticaaan 3a
2440 Geel, Belgium

Company Identification (USA): Acros Organics

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SECTION 2 - COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS#	:	619-72-7
Chemical Name	:	4-NITROBENZONITRILE, 97%
%	:	
EINECS#	:	210-610-0
Haz Symbols	:	T
Risk Phrases	:	23/24/25

SECTION 3 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

Potential Health Effects

Eye:

May cause eye irritation.

Skin:

May cause skin irritation. Toxic in contact with skin.

Ingestion:

Poison by ingestion.

Inhalation:

May cause respiratory tract irritation. Toxic if inhaled.

Chronic:

Not available.

SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

Eyes:

Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. If irritation develops, get medical aid.

Skin:

Flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes.

Ingestion:

Induce vomiting. If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water.

Inhalation:

Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately.

Notes to Physician:

SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

General Information:

As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear.

Extinguishing Media:

Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or chemical foam.

SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

General Information: Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

Spills/Leaks:

Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container.

SECTION 7 - HANDLING and STORAGE

Handling:

Do not breathe dust, vapor, mist, or gas. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use only in a chemical fume hood.

Storage:

Store in a cool, dry place. Store in a tightly closed container.

SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Controls:

Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eyes:

Wear chemical goggles.

Skin:

Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

Clothing:

Wear a chemical apron.

Respirators:

A NIOSH/MSHA approved air purifying dust or mist respirator or European Standard EN 149.

SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State: Crystalline powder

Color: yellow

Odor: Not available.

pH: Not available.

Vapor Pressure: Not available.

Viscosity: Not available.

Boiling Point: Not available.

Freezing/Melting Point: 144 - 149 deg C

Autoignition Temperature: Not available.

Flash Point: Not available.

Explosion Limits, lower: Not available.

Explosion Limits, upper: Not available.

Decomposition Temperature:

Solubility in water: sparingly soluble in water

Specific Gravity/Density:

Molecular Formula: C7H4N2O2

Molecular Weight: 148.12

SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability:

Not available.

Conditions to Avoid:

Incompatible materials.

Incompatibilities with Other Materials:

Strong oxidizing agents, strong bases.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

Hydrogen cyanide, nitrogen oxides, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

Hazardous Polymerization: Has not been reported.

SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

RTECS#:

CAS# 619-72-7: DI4903500

LD50/LC50:

CAS# 619-72-7: Oral, mouse: LD50 = 140 mg/kg; Oral, rat: LD50 = 30 mg/kg.

Carcinogenicity:

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Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NIOSH, NTP, or OSHA.

Other:

See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity:

Fish toxicity: LC50 (96 hr) fathead minnow 24.4 mg/kg

SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in a manner consistent with federal, state, and local regulations.

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IATA

Shipping Name: NITRILES, SOLID, TOXIC, N.O.S.*

Hazard Class: 6.1

UN Number: 3276

Packing Group: II

IMO

Shipping Name: NITRILES, TOXIC, N.O.S.

Hazard Class: 6.1

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RID/ADR

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Hazard Class: 6.1

UN Number: 3276

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SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

European/International Regulations

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

Hazard Symbols: T

Risk Phrases:

R 23/24/25 Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

Safety Phrases:

S 28A After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

S 36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

S 45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

WGK (Water Danger/Protection)

CAS# 619-72-7: No information available.

United Kingdom Occupational Exposure Limits

United Kingdom Maximum Exposure Limits

Canada

CAS# 619-72-7 is listed on Canada's NDSL List.

CAS# 619-72-7 is not listed on Canada's Ingredient Disclosure List.

Exposure Limits

US FEDERAL

TSCA

CAS# 619-72-7 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

SECTION 16 - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

MSDS Creation Date: 7/16/1996 Revision #0 Date: Original.

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