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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# SECTION 1. CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION

CATALOG #: 37196

NAME: Dimethylmalononitrile

SYNONYMS: Dimethyldicyanomethane

24 HOUR EMERGENCY

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# SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE

GHS CLASSIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS (CATEGORY 4), H227 ACUTE TOXICITY, ORAL (CATEGORY 3), H301 ACUTE TOXICITY, INHALATION (CATEGORY 3), H331 ACUTE TOXICITY, DERMAL (CATEGORY 3), H311 SKIN IRRITATION (CATEGORY 2), H315 EYE IRRITATION (CATEGORY 2A), H319 SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - SINGLE EXPOSURE (CATEGORY 3), RESPIRATORY SYSTEM, H335

FOR THE FULL TEXT OF THE H-STATEMENTS MENTIONED IN THIS SECTION, SEE SECTION 16.

### GHS LABEL ELEMENTS, INCLUDING PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

**PICTOGRAM** 

SIGNAL WORD DANGER

#### **HAZARD STATEMENT(S)**

H227 COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID.

H301 + H311 + H331 TOXIC IF SWALLOWED, IN CONTACT WITH SKIN OR IF

INHALED.

H315 CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION.

H319 CAUSES SERIOUS EYE IRRITATION. H335 MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY IRRITATION.

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT(S)

P210	KEEP AWAY FROM HEAT/SPARKS/OPEN FLAMES/HOT

SURFACES. NO SMOKING.

P261 AVOID BREATHING DUST/ FUME/ GAS/ MIST/ VAPOURS/

SPRAY.

P264 WASH SKIN THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.

P270 DO NOT EAT, DRINK OR SMOKE WHEN USING THIS

PRODUCT.

P271 USE ONLY OUTDOORS OR IN A WELL-VENTILATED AREA.

P280 WEAR PROTECTIVE GLOVES/ PROTECTIVE CLOTHING/ EYE

PROTECTION/ FACE PROTECTION.

P301 + P310 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: IMMEDIATELY CALL A POISON

CENTER/DOCTOR. RINSE MOUTH.

P302 + P352 + P312 IF ON SKIN: WASH WITH PLENTY OF WATER. CALL A POISON

CENTER/DOCTOR IF YOU FEEL UNWELL.

P304 + P340 + P311 IF INHALED: REMOVE PERSON TO FRESH AIR AND KEEP

COMFORTABLE FOR BREATHING. CALL A POISON

CENTER/DOCTOR.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: RINSE CAUTIOUSLY WITH WATER FOR SEVERAL

MINUTES. REMOVE CONTACT LENSES, IF PRESENT AND

EASY TO DO. CONTINUE RINSING.

P332 + P313 IF SKIN IRRITATION OCCURS: GET MEDICAL ADVICE/

ATTENTION.

P337 + P313 IF EYE IRRITATION PERSISTS: GET MEDICAL ADVICE/

ATTENTION.

P362 TAKE OFF CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND WASH BEFORE

REUSE.

P370 + P378 IN CASE OF FIRE: USE DRY SAND, DRY CHEMICAL OR

ALCOHOL-RESISTANT FOAM TO EXTINGUISH.

P403 + P233 STORE IN A WELL-VENTILATED PLACE. KEEP CONTAINER

TIGHTLY CLOSED.

P403 + P235 STORE IN A WELL-VENTILATED PLACE. KEEP COOL.

P405 STORE LOCKED UP.

P501 DISPOSE OF CONTENTS/ CONTAINER TO AN APPROVED

WASTE DISPOSAL PLANT.

HAZARDS NOT OTHERWISE

CLASSIFIED (HNOC) OR NOT COVERED

**BY GHS** 

# SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**NONE** 

MF:  $C_5H_6N_2$ 

MW: 94.12

CAS-NO. 7321-55-3

PURITY:  $\geq 99\%$  (GC)

#### **HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS**

COMPONENT	CLASSIFICATION	CONCENTRATION
Dimethylmalononitrile		•
	FLAM. LIQ. 4; ACUTE TOX. 3;	<= 100 %
	SKIN IRRIT. 2; EYE IRRIT. 2A;	
	STOT SE 3; H227, H301, H331,	
	H311, H315, H319, H335	

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# **SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES**

#### **DESCRIPTION OF FIRST AID MEASURES**

GENERAL ADVICE CONSULT A PHYSICIAN. SHOW THIS SAFETY DATA

SHEET TO THE DOCTOR IN ATTENDANCE.MOVE OUT

OF DANGEROUS AREA.

**IF INHALED** IF BREATHED IN, MOVE PERSON INTO FRESH AIR. IF

NOT BREATHING. GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION.

CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

IN CASE OF SKIN

CONTACT

WASH OFF WITH SOAP AND PLENTY OF WATER. TAKE

VICTIM IMMEDIATELY TO HOSPITAL. CONSULT A

PHYSICIAN.

IN CASE OF EYE RINSE THOROUGHLY WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR AT

**CONTACT** LEAST 15 MINUTES AND CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

IF SWALLOWED DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. NEVER GIVE ANYTHING

> BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON. RINSE MOUTH WITH WATER. CONSULT A PHYSICIAN.

THE MOST IMPORTANT KNOWN SYMPTOMS AND

EFFECTS ARE DESCRIBED IN THE LABELLING (SEE

MOST IMPORTANT SYMPTOMS AND

EFFECTS, BOTH ACUTE

SECTION 2.2) AND/OR IN SECTION 11

AND DELAYED

**NEEDED** 

INDICATION OF ANY IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION AND SPECIAL TREATMENT

NO DATA AVAILABLE

#### SECTION 5. FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

#### **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

**SUITABLE** SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA** USE WATER SPRAY, ALCOHOL-RESISTANT FOAM, DRY

CHEMICAL OR CARBON DIOXIDE.

UNSUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

DO NOT USE WATER JET.

SPECIAL HAZARDS CARBON OXIDES, NITROGEN OXIDES (NOX), ARISING FROM THE HYDROGEN CYANIDE (HYDROCYANIC ACID)

COMBUSTIBLE. SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE

WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS FOR ADVICE FOR

FIREFIGHTING IF NECESSARY. **FIREFIGHTERS** 

**FURTHER INFORMATION** USE WATER SPRAY TO COOL UNOPENED CONTAINERS.

# SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PERSONAL WEAR RESPIRATORY PROTECTION. AVOID BREATHING

PRECAUTIONS, VAPOURS, MIST OR GAS. ENSURE ADEQUATE

**PROTECTIVE** VENTILATION. REMOVE ALL SOURCES OF IGNITION. EVACUATE PERSONNEL TO SAFE AREAS. BEWARE OF **EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY** VAPOURS ACCUMULATING TO FORM EXPLOSIVE **PROCEDURES** CONCENTRATIONS. VAPOURS CAN ACCUMULATE IN

LOW AREAS.

FOR PERSONAL PROTECTION SEE SECTION 8.

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS

PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE TO DO SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS.

METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP CONTAIN SPILLAGE, AND THEN COLLECT WITH NON-COMBUSTIBLE ABSORBENT MATERIAL, (E.G. SAND, EARTH, DIATOMACEOUS EARTH, VERMICULITE) AND PLACE IN CONTAINER FOR DISPOSAL ACCORDING TO LOCAL/NATIONAL REGULATIONS (SEE SECTION 13). KEEP IN SUITABLE, CLOSED CONTAINERS FOR

DISPOSAL.

REFERENCE TO OTHER SECTIONS

FOR DISPOSAL SEE SECTION 13.

#### SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE

HANDLING

AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. AVOID

INHALATION OF VAPOUR OR MIST.

KEEP AWAY FROM SOURCES OF IGNITION - NO SMOKING.TAKE MEASURES TO PREVENT THE BUILD

UP OF ELECTROSTATIC CHARGE. FOR PRECAUTIONS SEE SECTION 2.2.

CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE, INCLUDING ANY INCOMPATIBILITIES

KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED IN A DRY AND WELL-VENTILATED PLACE. CONTAINERS WHICH ARE OPENED MUST BE CAREFULLY RESEALED AND KEPT

UPRIGHT TO PREVENT LEAKAGE.

Store at 0 - 8 °C

**SPECIFIC END USE(S)** 

APART FROM THE USES MENTIONED IN SECTION 1.2

NO OTHER SPECIFIC USES ARE STIPULATED

# SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# **CONTROL PARAMETERS**

COMPONENTS WITH WORKPLACE CONTROL PARAMETERS
CONTAINS NO SUBSTANCES WITH OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMIT VALUES.

# **EXPOSURE CONTROLS**

APPROPRIATE AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN, EYES AND CLOTHING. WASH

**ENGINEERING** HANDS BEFORE BREAKS AND IMMEDIATELY AFTER

**CONTROLS** HANDLING THE PRODUCT.

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

EYE/FACE FACE SHIELD AND SAFETY GLASSES USE EQUIPMENT FOR

**PROTECTION** EYE PROTECTION TESTED AND APPROVED UNDER

APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS NIOSH

(US) OR EN 166(EU).

**SKIN** HANDLE WITH GLOVES. GLOVES MUST BE INSPECTED PRIOR

TO USE. USE PROPER GLOVE REMOVAL TECHNIQUE

(WITHOUT TOUCHING GLOVE"S OUTER SURFACE) TO AVOID

SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS PRODUCT. DISPOSE OF

CONTAMINATED GLOVES AFTER USE IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS AND GOOD LABORATORY PRACTICES.

WASH AND DRY HANDS.

BODY COMPLETE SUIT PROTECTING AGAINST CHEMICALS, THE

**PROTECTION** TYPE OF PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT MUST BE SELECTED

> ACCORDING TO THE CONCENTRATION AND AMOUNT OF THE DANGEROUS SUBSTANCE AT THE SPECIFIC WORKPLACE.

RESPIRATORY WHERE RISK ASSESSMENT SHOWS AIR-PURIFYING **PROTECTION** 

RESPIRATORS ARE APPROPRIATE USE A FULLFACE

RESPIRATOR WITH MULTI-PURPOSE COMBINATION (US) OR TYPE ABEK (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. USE RESPIRATORS AND

COMPONENTS TESTED AND APPROVED UNDER APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS NIOSH (US) OR CEN (EU).

CONTROL OF ENVIRONMENTAL

**PROTECTION** 

**EXPOSURE** 

PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE TO DO

SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS.

#### SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# INFORMATION ON BASIC PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE White to off-white solid ODOUR NO DATA AVAILABLE ODOUR THRESHOLD NO DATA AVAILABLE PH NO DATA AVAILABLE

MELTING

POINT/FREEZING POINT INITIAL BOILING POINT AND BOILING RANGE

FLASH POINT

**EVAPORATION RATE** NO DATA AVAILABLE FLAMMABILITY (SOLID, NO DATA AVAILABLE

GAS)

UPPER/LOWER NO DATA AVAILABLE

FLAMMABILITY OR EXPLOSIVE LIMITS

VAPOUR PRESSURE NO DATA AVAILABLE VAPOUR DENSITY NO DATA AVAILABLE

RELATIVE DENSITY

WATER SOLUBILITY NO DATA AVAILABLE PARTITION COEFFICIENT: NO DATA AVAILABLE

N- OCTANOL/WATER

AUTO-IGNITION NO DATA AVAILABLE

TEMPERATURE

DECOMPOSITION NO DATA AVAILABLE

TEMPERATURE

VISCOSITY NO DATA AVAILABLE EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES NO DATA AVAILABLE OXIDIZING PROPERTIES NO DATA AVAILABLE

# OTHER SAFETY INFORMATION

NO DATA AVAILABLE

#### SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**REACTIVITY** NO DATA AVAILABLE

CHEMICAL STABILITY STABLE UNDER RECOMMENDED STORAGE

CONDITIONS.

POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS NO DATA AVAILABLE

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID** HEAT, FLAMES AND SPARKS.

INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS

STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS

HAZARDOUSHAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS FORMEDDECOMPOSITIONUNDER FIRE CONDITIONS. - CARBON OXIDES,

PRODUCTS NITROGEN OXIDES (NOX), HYDROGEN CYANIDE

(HYDROCYANIC ACID)

OTHER DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS - NO DATA

**AVAILABLE** 

IN THE EVENT OF FIRE: SEE SECTION 5

# SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS

ACUTE TOXICITY NO DATA AVAILABLE

INHALATION: NO DATA AVAILABLE

DERMAL: NO DATA AVAILABLE

NO DATA AVAILABLE

**SKIN** NO DATA AVAILABLE

CORROSION/IRRITATION

SERIOUS EYE NO DATA AVAILABLE DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION

RESPIRATORY OR SKIN NO DATA AVAILABLE

GERM CELL NO DATA AVAILABLE

**CARCINOGENICITY** 

**SENSITISATION** 

MUTAGENICITY

**EXPOSURE** 

IARC: NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT

LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS

IDENTIFIED AS PROBABLE, POSSIBLE OR CONFIRMED

HUMAN CARCINOGEN BY IARC.

NTP: NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT

LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS IDENTIFIED AS A KNOWN OR ANTICIPATED

CARCINOGEN BY NTP.

OSHA: NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT

LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS ON OSHA'S LIST OF REGULATED CARCINOGENS.

REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY NO DATA AVAILABLE

**SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN** INHALATION - MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY

TOXICITY - SINGLE IRRITATION. EXPOSURE

SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN NO DATA AVAILABLE TOXICITY - REPEATED

**ASPIRATION HAZARD** NO DATA AVAILABLE

ADDITIONAL RTECS: NOT AVAILABLE INFORMATION

TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE, THE CHEMICAL, PHYSICAL, AND TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES HAVE

NOT BEEN THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED.

# SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**TOXICITY** NO DATA AVAILABLE

PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY

NO DATA AVAILABLE

BIOACCUMULATIVE

**POTENTIAL** 

NO DATA AVAILABLE

MOBILITY IN SOIL NO DATA AVAILABLE

**RESULTS OF PBT AND** PBT/VPVB ASSESSMENT NOT AVAILABLE AS

VPVB ASSESSMENT CHEMICAL SAFETY ASSESSMENT NOT

REQUIRED/NOT CONDUCTED

OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS NO DATA AVAILABLE

#### SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# WASTE TREATMENT METHODS

PRODUCT OFFER SURPLUS AND NON-RECYCLABLE SOLUTIONS

TO A LICENSED DISPOSAL COMPANY. THIS

COMBUSTIBLE MATERIAL MAY BE BURNED IN A CHEMICAL INCINERATOR EQUIPPED WITH AN

AFTERBURNER AND SCRUBBER. CONTACT A LICENSED PROFESSIONAL WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICE TO DISPOSE

OF THIS MATERIAL.

CONTAMINATED

**PACKAGING** 

DISPOSE OF AS UNUSED PRODUCT.

# SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: FLAMMABLE SOLIDS, TOXIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S.

(Dimethylmalononitrile)

UN NUMBER: 2926 CLASS: 4.1 (6.1) PACKING GROUP: III REPORTABLE QUANTITY

(RO):

POISON INHALATION NO

HAZARD:

**IMDG** 

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: FLAMMABLE SOLIDS, TOXIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S.

(Dimethylmalononitrile)

UN NUMBER: 2926 CLASS: 4.1 (6.1) PACKING GROUP: III EMS-NO: F-A, S-G

**IATA** 

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: FLAMMABLE SOLIDS, TOXIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S.

(Dimethylmalononitrile)

UN NUMBER: 2926 CLASS: 4.1 (6.1) PACKING GROUP: III

# **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

SARA 302 COMPONENTS NO CHEMICALS IN THIS MATERIAL ARE SUBJECT TO

THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF SARA TITLE III,

SECTION 302.

SARA 313 COMPONENTS THIS MATERIAL DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CHEMICAL

COMPONENTS WITH KNOWN CAS NUMBERS THAT EXCEED THE THRESHOLD (DE MINIMIS) REPORTING LEVELS ESTABLISHED BY SARA TITLE III, SECTION

313.

SARA 311/312 HAZARDS FIRE HAZARD, ACUTE HEALTH HAZARD

MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS

NO COMPONENTS ARE SUBJECT TO THE MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW ACT.

PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS

CAS-NO. REVISION DATE

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NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS

CAS-NO. REVISION DATE

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# SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

FULL TEXT OF H-STATEMENTS REFERRED TO UNDER SECTIONS 2 AND 3.

H227 COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID.

H301 + H311 + H331 TOXIC IF SWALLOWED, IN CONTACT WITH SKIN OR IF

INHALED.

H315 CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION.

H319 CAUSES SERIOUS EYE IRRITATION. H335 MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY IRRITATION.

MSDS LEGEND

MW: MOLECULAR WEIGHT MF: MOLECULAR FORMULA

VOC: VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

ACGIH: AMERICAN CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENENTAL

INDUSTRIAL HYGINISTS

CAS: CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS SERIVE REGISTRY NUMBER
OSHA: OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

PEL: PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT (OSHA) TLV: THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE (ACGIH)

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