

Safety Data Sheet per OSHA HazCom 2012

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1 Identification

Product identifier

Product name: m-Tolylacetonitrile

Stock number: L02048

CAS Number: 2947-60-6

EC number: 220-962-7

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

Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2 Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)



GHS06 Skull and crossbones

Acute Tox. 3 H331 Toxic if inhaled.



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Acute Tox. 4 H312 Harmful in contact with skin.

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation. **Hazards not otherwise classified** No information known.

Label elements

GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Hazard pictograms



GHS06

Signal word Danger
Hazard statements
H302+H312 Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin.
H331 Toxic if inhaled.

H315 H319 Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation. **Precautionary statements**

Precautionary statements
P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
Store locked up.
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P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. WHMIS classification

D1B - Toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects D2B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects



Classification system

HMIS ratings (scale 0-4) (Hazardous Materials Identification System)



Health (acute effects) = 2

Flammability = 1

Physical Hazard = 1

Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable. vPvB: Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients Chemical characterization: Substances CAS# Description: 2947-60-6 m-Tolylacetonitrile

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4 First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

After inhalation
Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm.
Seek immediate medical advice.
After skin contact
Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

After swallowing Seek medical treatment.

Information for doctor

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing agents Carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide Hydrogen cyanide (HCN) Nitrogen oxides (NOx) Advice for firefighters Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respirator. Wear fully protective impervious suit.

6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation
Environmental precautions: Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.

Prevention of secondary hazards: No special measures required.

Reference to other sections
See Section 7 for information on safe handling
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

Handling
Precautions for safe handling
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.
Ensure good ventilation at the workplace overlosion

Information about protection against explosions and fires: No information known.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage
Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.
Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from oxidizing agents.

Further information about storage conditions:
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.
Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:
Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

Control parameters

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

2947-60-6 m-Tolylacetonitrile (100.0%) PEL (USA) Long-term value: 5 mg/m³ as CN; Skin

Additional information: No data

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

Personal protective equipment
General protective and hygienic measures
The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.
Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.
Recommended filter device for short term use:
Use a respirator with organic vapor/acid gas cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. Risk assessment should be performed to determine if air-purifying respirators are appropriate. Only use equipment tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (USA) or CEN (EU).
Protection of hands:
Impervious gloves
Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.
The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer.

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Eye protection: Safety glasses Body protection: Protective work clothing.

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9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance: Form: Color:

Odor: Odor threshold:

pH-value:

Change in condition Melting point/Melting range: Boiling point/Boiling range: Sublimation temperature / start:

Flash point:

Flammability (solid, gaseous) Ignition temperature: Decomposition temperature: Auto igniting:

Danger of explosion:
Explosion limits:
Lower:
Upper:
Vapor pressure:
Density at 20 °C (68 °F):
Relative density
Vapor density
Fivanoration rate Evaporation rate Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:

Not miscible or difficult to mix Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.

dynamic: kinematic: Not determined Not determined. Other information

No further relevant information available.

Colorless

Almond-like Not determined.

Not determined.

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Not determined

Not determined 240-241 °C (464-466 °F) Not determined

110 °C (> 230 °F)

10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity No information known.

Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions Reacts with strong oxidizing agents

Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Hydrogen cyanide Nitrogen oxides

11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects
Acute toxicity:
Harmful in contact with skin.
Harmful if swallowed.
Toxic if inhaled.
Danger through skin absorption.
LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data
Skin irritation or corrosion: Causes skin irritation.
Eye irritation or corrosion: Causes skin irritation.
Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.
Germ cell mutagenicity: No effects known.
Carcinogenicity: No classification data on carcinogenic properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.
Reproductive toxicity: No effects known.
Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known.
Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: May cause respiratory irritation.
Aspiration hazard: No effects known.
Subacute to chronic toxicity: No effects known.

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Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

12 Ecological information

Toxicity
Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.
Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.
Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.
Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.
Additional ecological information:

Additional ecological information: General notes:

General notes: Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities to reach ground water, water course or sewage system. Avoid transfer into the environment.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.
Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

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13 Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Recommendation Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal. Uncleaned packagings:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.	
14 Transport information	
UN-Number DOT, IMDG, IATA	UN3276
UN proper shipping name DOT IMDG, IATA	Nitriles, liquid, toxic, n.o.s. (m-Tolylacetonitrile) NITRILES, LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (m-Tolylacetonitrile)
Transport hazard class(es)	
DOT	
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Class	6.1 Toxic substances.
Label Class	6.1 6.1 (T1) Toxic substances 6.1
Label IMDG, IATA	6.1
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Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA	III
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable.
Special precautions for user EMS Number:	Warning: Toxic substances F-A,S-A
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.	
Transport/Additional information:	

No

UN3276, Nitriles, liquid, toxic, n.o.s. (m-Tolylacetonitrile), 6.1, III

15 Regulatory information

Marine Pollutant (DOT):

UN "Model Regulation":

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) Hazard pictograms



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National regulations

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National regulations
This product is not listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory. Use of this product is restricted to research and development only. This product must be used by or directly under the supervision of a technically qualified individual as defined by TSCA. This product must not be used for commercial purposes or in formulations for commercial purposes.

This product is not listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) or the Canadian Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL).

SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings) Substance is not listed.

California Proposition 65
Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.

Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals.

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations

Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.

The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed.

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Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.

Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

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16 Other information

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ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road) IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods by Road) BOT: US Department of Transport Association

INTA: International Air Transport Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society) HMIS: Hazardous Materials Information System (USA)

WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada) LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent PV-9E: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA) SAHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)

NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)

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