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## Safety Data Sheet according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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1 Identification of substance

**Product details** 

3-Fluoro-4-(trifluoromethoxy)benzonitrile Trade name

Stock number:

Manufacturer/Supplier:

Alfa Aesar GmbH & Co.KG Benzstrasse 3 D-76185 Karlsruhe / Germany

Informing department:

Product safety department. Giftnotruf Universität Mainz / Poison Information Center Mainz www.giftinfo.uni-mainz.de Telefon:+49(0)6131/19240 Emergency information:

2 Hazards identification

Hazard designation:

Xn Harmful

Information pertaining to particular dangers

for man and environment

**GHS** label elements

Prevention:

R 20/21/22 Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. R 36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.

Warning

H302 - Harmful if swallowed. H312 - Harmful in contact with skin. H332 - Harmful if inhaled. H315 - Causes skin irri avairritation.

Response:

H315 - Causes skin irritation.
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.
P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Disposal: 3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Designation: (CAS#)

3-Fluoro-4-(trifluoromethoxy)benzonitrile (CAS#?): 100%

4 First aid measures

After inhalation Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms

persist. Seek immediate medical advice.

After skin contact Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly. Seek immediate medical advice.

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

After eye contact After swallowing Seek immediate medical advice.

5 Fire fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing agents Special hazards caused by the material, its products of combustion or flue gases:

CO2, extinguishing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet or alcohol-resistant foam.

Can be released in case of fire:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Hydrogen fluoride (HF)
Nitrogen oxides (NOx)
Hydrogen cyanide (HCN)
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
Wear full protective suit Protective equipment: Wear full protective suit.

6 Accidental release measures

Person-related safety precautions: Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Measures for environmental protection:

Measures for cleaning/collecting:

Ensure adequate ventilation

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust). Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for information on disposal.

Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.

7 Handling and storage

Additional information:

Handling Information for safe handling:

Keep containers tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers. Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: Information about storage in one common

storage facility: Further information about storage conditions:

No special requirements.

Store away from oxidizing agents.

Keep container tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

8 Exposure controls and 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.

Components with critical values that require monitoring at the workplace: Additional information:

Not required. No data

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Personal protective equipment General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to in handling the chemicals. Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food. Instantly remove any soiled and impregnated garments. Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Use breathing protection with high concentrations.

Breathing equipment: Protection of hands: Material of gloves

Not determined Not determined Not determined

Not determined

Not determined

Not determined

Not determined

Not determined

Not determined

Not determined

Product is not explosive.

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Impervious gloves Not determined Penetration time of glove material Safety glasses Face protection Eye protection: **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties:

**General Information** Form: Colour: Liquid Colourless Smell: Not determined

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

Flash point: Ignition temperature:

**Decomposition temperature:** Danger of explosion:

Critical values for explosion:

Upper: Steam pressure: **Density** 

10 Stability and reactivity

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be

Materials to be avoided:

Dangerous reactions: Dangerous products of decomposition: Oxidizing agents No dangerous reactions known

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide Hydrogen fluoride Nitrogen oxides (NOx) Hydrogen cyanide (prussic acid)

## 11 Toxicological information

Acute toxicity: Primary irritant effect: on the skin: on the eye:

Additional toxicological information:

Irritant for skin and mucous membranes. Irritant effect.

No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.

Irritant effect.
No sensitizing effect known.
To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.
Danger by skin resorption.
No classification data on carcinogenic properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.

12 Ecological information:

Additional ecological information: General notes:

Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.
Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

13 Disposal considerations

Product:

Recommendation

Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste. Must be specially treated under adherence to official regulations. Consult state, local or national regulations for proper disposal.

Uncleaned packagings: Recommendation:

Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

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14 Transport information

Land transport ADR/RID and GGVS/GGVE (cross-border/domestic)

ADR/RID-GGVS/E Class:

6.1 (T1) Toxic substances

Kemler Number: UN-Number: Packaging group:

Label Designation of goods:

3276 NITRILES, TOXIC, LIQUID, N.O.S. (3-Fluoro-4-(trifluoromethoxy)benzonitrile)

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Limited quantities (LQ) LQ7

Maritime transport IMDG/GGVSea:

6.1 3276 6.1 III IMDG/GGVSea Class: UN Number: Label Packaging group: Marine pollutant: Correct technical name:

No NITRILES, TOXIC, LIQUID, N.O.S. (3-Fluoro-4-(trifluoromethoxy)benzonitrile)

Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:

ICAO/IATA Class: UN/ID Number: 6.1 3276 6.1 Label

Packaging group: Correct technical name: NITRILES, TOXIC, LIQUID, N.O.S. (3-Fluoro-4-(trifluoromethoxy)benzonitrile)

UN "Model Regulation": UN3276, NITRILES, TOXIC, LIQUID, N.O.S., 6.1, III

15 Regulatory information

Designation according to EC guidelines:

Code letter and hazard designation of

product:

Xn Harmful

/22 Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

Irritating to eyes and skin. Risk phrases:

26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. 36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves. Safety phrases:

National regulations

Information about limitation of use:

For use only by technically qualified individuals. Employment restrictions concerning young persons must be observed. Water hazard class: Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

16 Other information:

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

Department issuing data specification sheet:
Contact:
Abbreviations and acronyms:

Health, Safety and Environmental Department.
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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 Raio)
RID: Réglement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Raii)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)
ICAC: International Civil Aviation Organization
ICAO: The Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)