# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

### 1. PRODUCT

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Name: Musk xylene solution

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

Identified uses: Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

## GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable liquids (Category 2), H225

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332

Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4), H312

Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram	
Signal word	Danger
Hazard statement(s)	H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour. H302 + H312 + H332 Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
Precautionary statement(s)	P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking. P233 Keep container tightly closed. P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment. P242 Use only non-sparking tools. P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge. 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 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell. P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention. P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish. P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

No data available

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1 Mixtures

### **Hazardous components**

Component		Classification	Concentration		
Acetonitrile					
CAS-No.	75-05-8		>= 90 -<= 100 %		
EC-No.	200-835-2	H312 + H332, H319			
Musk xylene Included in the Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH)					
CAS-No.	81-15-2	Expl. 1.2; Carc. 2; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1;	< 0.1 %		
EC-No.	201-329-4	H202, H351, H410			

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 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. Consult a physician.				
In case of eye contact				
Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at 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.				

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

## 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

## 5.1 Extinguishing media

## Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

## 5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

## **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive

concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Use explosion-proof equipment. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

For precautions see section 2.2.

### 7.2 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.

Recommended storage temperature 2 - 8 °C

Handle and store under inert gas.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Flammable liquids

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

## Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Acetonitrile	75-05-8	TWA	20.000000 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Remarks	Lower Respiratory Tract irritation Not classifiable as a human carcinogen Danger of cutaneous absorption		
est <sup>o</sup>		TWA	20.000000 ppm 34.000000 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
		Forms cyanic	de in the body.	
Clier		TWA	40.000000 ppm 70.000000 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) -Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
		The value in i	mg/m3 is approxim	pate.

## 8.2 Exposure controls

## **Appropriate engineering controls**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

## Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection	Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).		
Skin protection	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 Protection	Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.		
Respiratory protection	Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face 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 environmen tal exposure	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.		

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Form: liquid
Odour	No data available
Odour Threshold	No data available
pH	No data available
Melting point/freezing point	-48 °C (-54 °F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	81 - 82 °C (178 - 180 °F) at 1,013 hPa (760 mmHg)
Flash point	2 °C (36 °F) - closed cup
Evaporation rate	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Upper explosion limit: 16 %(V) Lower explosion limit: 4.4 %(V)
Vapour pressure	97.1 hPa (72.8 mmHg) at 20 °C (68 °F)
Vapour density	1.41
Relative density	0.782 g/cm3 at 20 °C (68 °F)
Water solubility	No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Decomposition temperature	No data available
Viscosity	No data available
Explosive properties	No data available
Oxidizing properties	No data available

## 9.2 Other safety information

Relative vapour density: 1.41

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

## 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

## 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

acids, Bases, Oxidizing agents, Alkali metals

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Acute toxicity estimate - 1,320 mg/kg

(Calculation method) Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available No data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: Mild skin irritation

### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Irritating to eyes.

## Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

### Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

#### Carcinogenicity

This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

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 identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

## Reproductive toxicity

No data available

No data available

### Specific target organ toxicity -single exposure

No data available

## Specific target organ toxicity -repeated exposure

No data available

## **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

## **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

Treat as cyanide poisoning., Always have on hand a cyanide first-aid kit, together with proper instructions., The onset of symptoms is generally delayed pending conversion to cyanide., Nausea, Vomiting, Diarrhoea, Headache, Dizziness, Rash, Cyanosis, excitement, depression, Drowsiness

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish	LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 1,640 mg/l - 96 h
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 3,600 mg/l - 48 h
Toxicity to algae	No data available

Toxicity to bacteria No data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### **Product**

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

# Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

## DOT (US)

UN number: 1648 Class: 3 Packing group: II Proper shipping name: Acetonitrile, solution

Reportable Quantity (RQ): 5000 lbs

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

### **IMDG**

UN number: 1648 Class: 3 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-E, S-D

Proper shipping name: ACETONITRILE, SOLUTION

#### **IATA**

UN number: 1648 Class: 3 Packing group: II Proper shipping name: Acetonitrile, solution

### 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**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Acetonitrile	75-05-8	2007-07-01

## SARA 311/312 Hazards

## **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Acetonitrile	75-05-8	2007-07-01

### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Acetonitrile	75-05-8	2007-07-01

#### **New Jersey Right To Know Components**

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Acetonitrile	75-05-8	2007-07-01

### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

## Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

Acute Tox. Acute toxicity

Aquatic Acute Acute aquatic toxicity

Aquatic Chronic Chronic aquatic toxicity

Carc. Carcinogenicity

Expl. Explosives

Eye Irrit. Eye irritation

Flam. Liq. Flammable liquids

H202 Explosive, severe projection hazard.

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H302 + H312 +H332 Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled

H312 Harmful in contact with skin.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H332 Harmful if inhaled.

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

#### **HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 2

Chronic Health Hazard: \*

Flammability: 3

Physical Hazard 0

## **NFPA Rating**

Health hazard: 2

Fire Hazard: 3

Reactivity Hazard: 0

Health hazard: 2

Fire Hazard: 3