1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product name Benzoyl cyanide

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

According to Regulation (EC) No1272/2008

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 2)

According to European Directive 67/548/EEC as amended.

Toxic if swallowed.

Label elements Pictogram

Signal word

Danger Hazard statement(s)

H300

Precautionary statement(s)

Wash hands thoroughly after handling. IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/

P264 P301 + P310

physician.

Hazard symbol(s) Toxic

R-phrase(s) R25

S-phrase(s) S36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

S45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

Other hazards - none

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS Synonyms Phenylglyoxylonitrile

Fatal if swallowed.

Toxic if swallowed.

Formula C8H5NO

131,13 g/mol Molecular Weight CAS-No. EC-No. Classification

Benzoyl cyanide 210-359-7 Acute Tox. 2; H300 613-90-1 T, R25

Concentration

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16. 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

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.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

If swallowed

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Personal precautions

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

Evacuate personnel to safe areas. **Environmental precautions**

Suitable extinguishing media

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE **Precautions for safe handling**

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

Conditions for safe storage Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Moisture sensitive.

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

type N99 (US) or type P2 (EN 143) 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

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

Hand protection The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the

Skin and body protection

work place.

standard EN 374 derived from it. Handle with gloves. Eye protection Face shield and safety glasses

Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator

Hygiene measures Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

crystalline

colourless

28 - 31 °C - lit.

84 °C - closed cup

no data available

no data available

206 °C - lit.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Safety data no data available рΗ

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx)

May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

Melting point

Boiling point

Flash point

Ignition temperature

Lower explosion limit

Appearance

Form

Colour

Upper explosion limit no data available 1,106 g/mL at 25 °C Density no data available Water solubility 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions Conditions to avoid no data available Materials to avoid Strong acids, Strong bases, Strong oxidizing agents, Strong reducing agents

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION **Acute toxicity** LD50 Oral - rat - 37,6 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation

Germ cell mutagenicity

Reproductive toxicity

no data available

no data available

no data available

Carcinogenicity

no data available

no data available

Hazardous decomposition products

Serious eye damage/eye irritation no data available Respiratory or skin sensitization

Toxic if swallowed.

May cause eye irritation.

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.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure no data available Aspiration hazard no data available

Potential health effects

Inhalation

Ingestion

Skin

Eyes

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Additional Information RTECS: Not available

no data available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION **Toxicity**

Mobility in soil no data available PBT and vPvB assessment

Other adverse effects

Bioaccumulative potential

Persistence and degradability

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS **Product** Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste

disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADR/RID

IMDG UN-Number: 3439 Class: 6.1

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UN-Number: 3439 Class: 6.1 Proper shipping name: Nitriles, toxic, solid, n.o.s. (Benzoyl cyanide)

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Proper shipping name: NITRILES, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S. (Benzoyl cyanide) Marine pollutant: No **IATA**

16. OTHER INFORMATION Text of H-code(s) and R-phrase(s) mentioned in Section 3 Acute Tox.

Acute toxicity

Proper shipping name: NITRILES, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S. (Benzoyl cyanide)

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

H300 Fatal if swallowed.

R25

Toxic if swallowed. **Further information**

Packing group: II

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damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice

EMS-No: F-A, S-A

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