

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

Product name : 5-Methyl-2-nitrobenzyl chloride

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

According to Regulation (EC) No1272/2008  
Skin corrosion (Category 1B)  
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3)

According to European Directive 67/548/EEC as amended.  
Causes burns. Irritating to eyes and respiratory system.

Label elements

Pictogram	
Signal word	Danger
Hazard statement(s) H314 H335	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. May cause respiratory irritation.
Precautionary statement(s) P261 P280 P305 + P351 + P338	Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray. Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.
P310	
Hazard symbol(s) C	Corrosive
R-pharse(s) R34 R36/37	Causes burns. Irritating to eyes and respiratory system.
S-pharse(s) S26	In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
S27	Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.
S28	After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.
S36/37/39 S45	Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

Other hazards

Lachrymator.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula : C8H8ClNO2  
Molecular Weight : 185,61 g/mol

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Classification	Concentration
<b><i>α</i> -Chloro-5-methyl-2-nitrotoluene</b> 66424-91-7	266-359-2	- Skin Corr. 1B; Eye Dam. 1; STOT SE 3; H314, H335 C, R34 - R36/37	-

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

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. 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.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

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

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

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

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Storage conditions

Store in a cool, dry place. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store in cool place.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (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 components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Hand 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.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Eye 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 and body protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Hygiene measures

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

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance

Form	powder
Colour	tan

Safety data

pH	no data available
Melting point	41 - 43 °C - lit.
Boiling point	no data available
Flash point	113 °C - closed cup
Ignition temperature	no data available
Lower explosion limit	no data available
Upper explosion limit	no data available
Water solubility	no data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Conditions to avoid

Avoid moisture.

Materials to avoid

Alcohols, Bases, Amines, Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products

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

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

Carcinogenicity

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.

Reproductive toxicity

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

no data available

Aspiration hazard

no data available

Potential health effects

<b>Inhalation</b>	May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
<b>Ingestion</b>	May be harmful if swallowed. Causes burns.
<b>Skin</b>	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.
<b>Eyes</b>	Causes eye burns.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., Depending on the intensity and duration of exposure, effects may vary from mild irritation to severe destruction of tissue., burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea, Vomiting, spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi

Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

no data available

Persistence and degradability

no data available

Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

Mobility in soil

no data available

PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

Other adverse effects

no data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. 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

UN-Number: 3261 Class: 8 Packing group: II  
Proper shipping name: CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. ( *α* -Chloro-5-methyl-2-nitrotoluene)

IMDG

UN-Number: 3261 Class: 8 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-A, S-B  
Proper shipping name: CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. ( *α* -Chloro-5-methyl-2-nitrotoluene)  
Marine pollutant: No

IATA

UN-Number: 3261 Class: 8 Packing group: II  
Proper shipping name: Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s. ( *α* -Chloro-5-methyl-2-nitrotoluene)

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

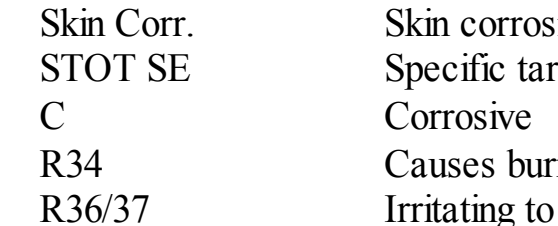
16. OTHER INFORMATION

Text of H-code(s) and R-pharse(s) mentioned in Section 3

Eye Dam.	Serious eye damage
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
Skin Corr.	Skin corrosion
STOT SE	Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
C	Corrosive
R34	Causes burns.
R36/37	Irritating to eyes and respiratory system.

Further information

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