1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name: 2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene solution
Product Number: 47244
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

OSHA Hazards
Flammable liquid, Target Organ Effect, Harmful by ingestion., Harmful by skin absorption., Irritant

Target Organs
Central nervous system, Liver, Kidney, Blood, Lungs

GHS Classification
Flammable liquids (Category 2)
Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4)
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4)
Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4)
Skin irritation (Category 3)
Serious eye damage (Category 1)

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram

Signal word: Danger

Hazard statement(s)
H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H302 + H312 Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin
H316 Causes mild skin irritation.
H318 Causes serious eye damage.
H332 Harmful if inhaled.

Precautionary statement(s)
P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ 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.
HMIS Classification

Health hazard: 3
Chronic Health Hazard: *
Flammability: 3
Physical hazards: 0

NFPA Rating

Health hazard: 2
Fire: 3
Reactivity Hazard: 0

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
Skin Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
Eyes Causes eye irritation.
Ingestion Harmful if swallowed.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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4. 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.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Conditions of flammability
Flammable in the presence of a source of ignition when the temperature is above the flash point. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flame/hot surface. No smoking.

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

Special protective equipment for firefighters
Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

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

Further information
Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES
**Personal precautions**
Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, 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.

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

**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).

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**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**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.

**Conditions for safe storage**
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. Do not allow material to become dry.

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**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Components with workplace control parameters**

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Remarks
Lower Respiratory Tract irritation Not classifiable as a human carcinogen Danger of cutaneous absorption

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**Personal protective equipment**

**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).

**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.

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Eye protection
Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). 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. 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.

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 liquid
Colour no data available

Safety data
pH no data available
Melting point/freezing point no data available
Boiling point 81 - 82 °C (178 - 180 °F) at 1,013 hPa (760 mmHg)
Flash point 2 °C (36 °F) - closed cup
Ignition temperature no data available
Autoignition temperature 523 °C (973 °F)
Lower explosion limit 4.4 %(V)
Upper explosion limit 16 %(V)
Vapour pressure 97.1 hPa (72.8 mmHg) at 20 °C (68 °F)
Density no data available
Water solubility no data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water no data available
Relative vapour density no data available
Odour no data available
Odour Threshold no data available
Evaporation rate no data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions
Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

Conditions to avoid
Heat, flames and sparks. Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

Materials to avoid
Ammonia, Lead, Bases, Oxidizing agents, Alkali metals, Strong oxidizing agents, Potassium, Reducing agents, Heavy metals, Nitric acid, acids, charcoal, Strong reducing agents, Sulfuric acid, Hydroxides, Alcohols
11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

**Oral LD50**
LD50 Oral - rat - 2,460 mg/kg

**Inhalation LC50**
LC50 Inhalation - rat - 8 h - 7551 ppm

**Dermal LD50**
LD50 Dermal - rabbit - 2,000 mg/kg

**Other information on acute toxicity**
no data available

**Skin corrosion/irritation**
Skin - rabbit - Mild skin irritation

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**
Eyes - rabbit - Severe eye irritation

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**
Did not cause sensitization on laboratory animals.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**
no data available

**Carcinogenicity**

IARC: 3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans (2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene)
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

**Teratogenicity**

no data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System)**
no data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System)**
no data available

**Aspiration hazard**
no data available

**Potential health effects**

- Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
- Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed.
- Skin: Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
- Eyes: Causes eye irritation.
Signs and Symptoms of Exposure
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. Headache, Dizziness, Rash, Cyanosis, excitement, depression, Drowsiness

Synergistic effects
no data available

Additional Information
RTECS: Not available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity
- Toxicity to fish: LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 1,640.00 mg/l - 96 h
- Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 3,600.00 mg/l - 48 h
- NOEC - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 640 mg/l - 14 d

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
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
Marine pollutant: No
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG
UN number: 1648  Class: 3  Packing group: II  EMS-No: F-E, S-D
Proper shipping name: ACETONITRILE, SOLUTION
Marine pollutant: No

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

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION
OSHA Hazards
Flammable liquid, Target Organ Effect, Harmful by ingestion., Harmful by skin absorption., Irritant

SARA 302 Components
SARA 302: 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:

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SARA 311/312 Hazards
Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

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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

Further information
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