Section 1 - Product and Company Information

Product Name: CYANOACETIC ACID, 99+%  
Product Number: 239976  
Brand: ALDRICH  
Company: Sigma-Aldrich Canada, Ltd  
Address: 2149 Winston Park Drive  
Oakville ON L6H 6J8 CA  
Technical Phone: 9058299500  
Fax: 9058299292  
Emergency Phone: 800-424-9300

Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient

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Formula: C3H3NO2  
Synonyms: Acide cyanacétique (French) * Cyanessigsaeure (German) * Cyanoacetic acid * Kyselina kyanoctova (Czech) * Malonic mononitrile * Monocyanoacetic acid * USAF KF-17  
RTECS Number: AG3675000

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW  
Corrosive.  
Causes burns. Contact with acids liberates toxic gas. Harmful if swallowed.  
Target organ(s): Cardiovascular system. Nerves.

HMIS RATING  
HEALTH: 3*  
FLAMMABILITY: 0  
REACTIVITY: 0

NFPA RATING  
HEALTH: 3  
FLAMMABILITY: 0  
REACTIVITY: 0  
*additional chronic hazards present.

For additional information on toxicity, please refer to Section 11.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

ORAL EXPOSURE  
If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician immediately.
INHALATION EXPOSURE
If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

DERMAL EXPOSURE
In case of skin contact, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Call a physician.

EYE EXPOSURE
In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. Call a physician.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

FLASH POINT
224.6 °F   107 °C   Method: closed cup

AUTOIGNITION TEMP
N/A

FLAMMABILITY
N/A

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA
Suitable: Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.

FIREFIGHTING
Protective Equipment: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. Specific Hazard(s): Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED IN CASE OF LEAK OR SPILL
Evacuate area.

PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus, rubber boots, and heavy rubber gloves.

METHODS FOR CLEANING UP
Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

HANDLING
User Exposure: Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

STORAGE
Suitable: Keep tightly closed.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE

ENGINEERING CONTROLS
Safety shower and eye bath. Use only in a chemical fume hood.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT
Respiratory: Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU). 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.

Hand: Compatible chemical-resistant gloves.

Eye: Chemical safety goggles.

GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Discard contaminated shoes. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

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N/A = not available

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

STABILITY
Stable: Stable.
Conditions to Avoid: Moisture.
Materials to Avoid: Acids, Bases, Strong oxidizing agents, Strong reducing agents.
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION
Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

ROUTE OF EXPOSURE
Skin Contact: Causes burns.
Skin Absorption: May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.
Eye Contact: Causes burns.
Inhalation: Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. May be harmful if inhaled.
Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed.

TARGET ORGAN(S) OR SYSTEM(S)
Nerves. Cardiovascular system.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE
Inhalation may result in spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx and bronchi, chemical pneumonitis, and pulmonary edema. Symptoms of exposure may include burning sensation, coughing, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, headache, nausea, and vomiting. Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin. To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

TOXICITY DATA

Oral
Rat
1500 mg/kg
LD50

Intraperitoneal
Mouse
200 MG/KG
LD50

Section 12 - Ecological Information

No data available.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

APPROPRIATE METHOD OF DISPOSAL OF SUBSTANCE OR PREPARATION
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. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

DOT
Proper Shipping Name: Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.
UN#: 3261
Class: 8
Packing Group: Packing Group II
Hazard Label: Corrosive
PIH: Not PIH

IATA
Proper Shipping Name: Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.
IATA UN Number: 3261
Hazard Class: 8
Packing Group: II

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION
Symbol of Danger: C
Indication of Danger: Corrosive.
R: 22-31-34
Risk Statements: Harmful if swallowed. Contact with acids liberates toxic gas. Causes burns.
S: 26-36/37/39-45
Safety Statements: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. 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).

US CLASSIFICATION AND LABEL TEXT
Indication of Danger: Corrosive.
Risk Statements: Causes burns. Contact with acids liberates toxic gas. Harmful if swallowed.
Safety Statements: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, and eye/face protection. Do not breathe dust.
US Statements: Target organ(s): Cardiovascular system. Nerves.

UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION
SARA LISTED: No
TSCA INVENTORY ITEM: Yes

CANADA REGULATORY INFORMATION
WHMIS Classification: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.
DSL: Yes
NDSL: No

Section 16 - Other Information

DISCLAIMER
For R&D use only. Not for drug, household or other uses.

WARRANTY
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