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

Product Identifier

Product Description: 4-Fluoro-2-methylbenzoic acid
Cat No. 399300000; 399300010; 399300050

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

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals
Uses advised against No Information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

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Emergency Telephone Number

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For information in Europe, call: +32 14 57 52 11

Emergency Number, Europe: +32 14 57 52 99
Emergency Number, US: 001-201-796-7100

CHEMTREC Phone Number, US: 001-800-424-9300
CHEMTREC Phone Number, Europe: 001-703-527-3887

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Skin Corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2
Specific target organ systemic toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3

Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

For the full text of the R-phrases and H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

Symbol(s) Xi - Irritant
R-phrases none
Risk Combination Phrases R36/37/38 - Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

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SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Label Elements



Signal Word

Warning

Hazard Statements

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary Statements - EU (§28, 1272/2008)

P261 - Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray

P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

P280 - Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ 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

Other Hazards

No information available.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	EC-No.	Weight %	CAS-No	67/548/EEC Classification	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	REACH No.
4-Fluoro-2-methylbenzoic acid 321-21-1		>95	321-21-1	Xi; R36/37/38	STOT SE 3 (H335) Skin Irrit. 2 (H315) Eye Irrit. 2 (H319)	-

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SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

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SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**Description of first aid measures**

Eye Contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.
Skin Contact	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.
Ingestion	Do not induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Obtain medical attention.
Notes to Physician	Treat symptomatically

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**Extinguishing media****Suitable Extinguishing Media**

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

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors

Advice for fire-fighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

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

Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**Precautions for Safe Handling**

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Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Specific End Uses

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure limits This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Biological limit values This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) No information available.

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) No information available.

Exposure controls

Engineering Measures Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas

Personal protective equipment

Eye Protection Safety glasses with side-shields

Hand Protection Protective gloves

Skin and body protection Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

Respiratory Protection Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

Environmental exposure controls No information available.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State

Solid

Boiling Point/Range

No information available.

Melting Point/Range

168 - 172°C / 334 - 342°F

Flash Point

No information available.

Autoignition Temperature

No information available.

Water Solubility

Insoluble

Molecular Formula

C8 H7 F O2

Molecular Weight

154.14

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SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Hazardous Polymerization
Hazardous Reactions .

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
None under normal processing..

Conditions to Avoid

Incompatible products, Excess heat, Avoid dust formation.

Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute Toxicity

Product Information

No acute toxicity information is available for this product

Component Information

Chronic Toxicity

Carcinogenicity

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

Sensitization

No information available.

Mutagenic Effects

No information available

Reproductive Effects

No information available.

Developmental Effects

No information available.

Target Organs

Skin Respiratory system Eyes

Other Adverse Effects

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

Endocrine Disruptor Information

None known

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SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

Ecotoxicity effects Do not empty into drains

Persistence and degradability

No information available

Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

Component	log Pow
4-Fluoro-2-methylbenzoic acid	1.895

Mobility in soil

No information available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Other adverse effects

No information available

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues / Unused Products Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

Contaminated Packaging Empty containers should be taken to local recyclers for disposal

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IMDG/IMO Not regulated

ADR Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

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SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

International Inventories

Component	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	CHINA	AICS	KECL
4-Fluoro-2-methylbenzoic acid	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	X	-	-

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

CHINA - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

AICS - Inventory of Chemical Substances

KECL - Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

Chemical Safety Assessment

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3

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Revision Summary Not applicable

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

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