

Safety Data Sheet
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1 Identification of substance**Product details**

Trade name

3-Cyanopyridine


Stock number:

A14850
L07188

Manufacturer/Supplier:

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www.giftinfo.uni-mainz.de Telefon:+49(0)6131/19240**2 Hazards identification**

Hazard designation:

 Xn Harmful
Information pertaining to particular dangers
for man and environmentR 22 Harmful if swallowed.
R 36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

GHS label elements

 **Warning**
H302 - Harmful if swallowed.
H315 - Causes skin irritation.
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation.

Prevention:

P280 Wear protective gloves/clothing.

Response:

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization:

3-Cyanopyridine (CAS# 100-54-9)

Designation: (CAS#)

4 First aid measures

After inhalation

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

After skin contact

Seek immediate medical advice.
Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

After eye contact

Seek immediate medical advice.
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult doctor.

After swallowing

Seek immediate medical advice.

5 Fire fighting measuresSuitable extinguishing agents
Special hazards caused by the material, its
products of combustion or flue gases:CO₂, extinguishing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet or alcohol-resistant foam.

Protective equipment:

Can be released in case of fire:
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)
Hydrogen cyanide (HCN)
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
Wear full protective suit.**6 Accidental release measures**

Person-related safety precautions:

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation

Measures for environmental protection:

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Measures for cleaning/collecting:

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Additional information:

Ensure adequate ventilation.
See Section 7 for information on safe handling
See section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for information on disposal.**7 Handling and storage**

Handling

Information for safe handling:

Keep containers tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.Information about protection against
explosions and fires:

Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.

Storage
Requirements to be met by storerooms and
containers:

No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common
storage facility:

Store away from oxidizing agents.

Further information about storage
conditions:Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.**8 Exposure controls and personal protection**Additional information about design of
technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

Components with critical values that require monitoring at the workplace:

Not required.

Additional information:

No data

Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to in handling the chemicals.
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.
Instantly remove any soiled and impregnated garments.
Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
Use breathing protection with high concentrations.

Breathing equipment:

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Protection of hands:	Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.	(Contd. of page 1)
Material of gloves	The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.	
Eye protection:	Safety glasses	
Body protection:	Face protection Protective work clothing.	

9 Physical and chemical properties:**General Information**

Form:	Crystalline
Colour:	Whitish
Smell:	Pungent
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	48-51°C
Boiling point/Boiling range:	206-208°C
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined
Flash point:	84°C
Ignition temperature:	>600°C
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined
Danger of explosion:	Product is not explosive.
Critical values for explosion:	
Lower:	Not determined
Upper:	Not determined
Steam pressure at 25°C:	0.296 hPa
Density at 20°C	1.16 g/cm ³
Solubility in / Miscibility with Water at 20°C:	140 g/l

10 Stability and reactivity

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:	No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.
Materials to be avoided:	Oxidizing agents
Dangerous reactions:	No dangerous reactions known
Dangerous products of decomposition:	Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide Nitrous vitriol gases Hydrogen cyanide (prussic acid)

11 Toxicological information**Acute toxicity:****LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

Oral	LD50	1185 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	2000-4000 mg/kg (rabbit)

Primary irritant effect:

Irritant for skin and mucous membranes.

on the skin:

Irritant effect.

Sensitization:

No sensitizing effect known.

Additional toxicological information:

To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

No classification data on carcinogenic properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.

12 Ecological information:**General notes:** Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.

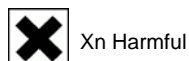
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13 Disposal considerations

Product:	Consult state, local or national regulations for proper disposal.
Recommendation	Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste. Must be specially treated under adherence to official regulations.
Uncleaned packagings:	
Recommendation:	Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
Recommended cleaning agent:	Water, if necessary with cleaning agent.

14 Transport information

Land transport ADR/RID and GGVS/GGVE (cross-border/domestic)	
ADR/RID-GGVS/E Class:	None
Maritime transport IMDG/GGVSea:	
IMDG/GGVSea Class:	None
Marine pollutant:	No
Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:	
ICAO/IATA Class:	None
Transport/Additional information:	Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

15 Regulatory information**Designation according to EC guidelines:****Code letter and hazard designation of product:**

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Risk phrases:22 Harmful if swallowed.
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Safety phrases: 26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

National regulations

Information about limitation of use: Employment restrictions concerning young persons must be observed.
For use only by technically qualified individuals.

Water hazard class: Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

16 Other information:

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

Department issuing data specification sheet: Health, Safety and Environmental Department.

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization
ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

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