

4-METHYL BENZONITRILE CAS No 104-85-8

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET SDS/MSDS

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1	Product identifiers Product name	:	4-Methyl Benzonitrile
	CAS-No.	:	104-85-8
1.2	2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against		
	Identified uses	:	Laboratory chemicals, Industrial & for professional use only.
1.3	Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet		
	Company	:	Central Drug House (P) Ltd 7/28 Vardaan House New Delhi -110002 INDIA
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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +91 11 49404040 (9:00am - 6:00 pm) [Office hours]

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 Skin irritation (Category 2), H315 Eye irritation (Category 2), H319 Respiratory sensitisation (Category 1), H334 Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008





Signal word

Hazard statement(s) H315 H319 H334	Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statement(s)	
P261	Avoid breathing dust.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P342 + P311	If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
Supplemental Hazard Statements	none

2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Synonyms :	4-Methylbenzonitrile
Molecular weight : CAS-No.	CH ₃ C ₆ H₄CN 117.15 g/mol 104-85-8 203-244-8

Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008				
Component		Classification	Concentration	
p-Toluonitrile				
CAS-No.	104-85-8	Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2; Resp.	<= 100 %	
EC-No.	203-244-8	Sens. 1; STOT SE 3; H315,		

H319, H334, H335

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of 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

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

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

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

- 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx)
- **5.3** Advice for firefighters Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.
- 5.4 Further information
 - No data available

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

- 6.3 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.
- 6.4 Reference to other sections For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling Avoid contact with skip and eyes. Avoid form

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Storage class (TRGS 510): Non Combustible Solids

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- 8.1 Control parameters
- 8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

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

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face 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 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.

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.

Respiratory protection

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle r (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a)	Appearance	Form: Solidified mass or fragments Colour: light yellow
b)	Odour	No data available
c)	Odour Threshold	No data available
d)	рН	No data available
e)	Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 26 - 28 °C - lit.
f)	Initial boiling point and boiling range	103 - 106 °C at 27 hPa - lit. 217 °C - lit.
g)	Flash point	No data available
h)	Evaporation rate	No data available
i)	Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j)	Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k)	Vapour pressure	No data available
I)	Vapour density	No data available
m)	Relative density	0.981 g/mL at 25 °C
n)	Water solubility	No data available
o)	Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	log Pow: 2.084
p)	Auto-ignition	No data available
q)	temperature Decomposition temperature	No data available

- r) Viscosity No data available
- s) Explosive properties No data available
- t) Oxidizing properties No data available

9.2 Other safety information No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- 10.1 Reactivity No data available
- **10.2 Chemical stability** Stable under recommended storage conditions.
- **10.3** Possibility of hazardous reactions No data available
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No data available
- **10.5** Incompatible materials Strong bases

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx) Other decomposition products - No data available In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - 3,800 mg/kg(p-Toluonitrile)

Skin corrosion/irritation Skin - Rabbit(p-Toluonitrile) Result: Mild skin irritation

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit(p-Toluonitrile) Result: Mild eye irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitisation No data available(p-Toluonitrile)

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available(p-Toluonitrile)

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(p-Toluonitrile)

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.(p-Toluonitrile)

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration hazard

No data available(p-Toluonitrile)

Additional Information

RTECS: XV0700000

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- 12.1 Toxicity No data available
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No data available
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No data available
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No data available(p-Toluonitrile)

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6 Other adverse effects Harmful to aquatic life.

No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chem scrubber.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1	UN number ADR/RID: -	IMDG: -	IATA: -
14.2	UN proper shipping nameADR/RID:Not dangerous goodsIMDG:Not dangerous goodsIATA:Not dangerous goods		
14.3	Transport hazard class(es) ADR/RID: -	IMDG: -	IATA: -
14.4	Packaging group ADR/RID: -	IMDG: -	IATA: -
14.5	Environmental hazards ADR/RID: no	IMDG Marine pollutant: no	IATA: no

14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1** Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment** For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

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Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Central Drug House (P) Ltd and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.cdhfinechemical.com for additional terms and conditions of sale.