



Product Specification

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ACETONITRILE FOR SYNTHESIS

PRODUCT CODE	029220
SYNONYMS	Methyl cyanide
C.I. NO.	N/A
CASR NO.	75-05-8
ATOMIC OR MOLECULAR FORMULA	CH₃CN
ATOMIC OR MOLECULAR WEIGHT	41.05
PROPERTIES	Limpid liquid, high dielectric constant, high polarity, strongly reactive, burns with a luminous flame.





PARAMETER	LIMIT
Description	A clear liquid, not more than 10 Hazen units in colour.
Solubility	Miscible with water and methanol forming a clear & colourless soln.
Minimum assay (By GC)	99.0%
pH (10% soln)	Neutral to litmus
Wt per ml at 20°C	0.780-0.783 g
Refractive index (n) ²⁰ _D	1.343-1.345
Boiling Range	80-82°C

MAXIMUM LIMIT OF IMPURITY	
Water	0.2%

Note(s): 1] Assay (if applicable) method mentioned.

WARNING HAZARD STATEMENTS : May cause respiratory irritation. Flammable liquid and vapour. Harmful if swallowed. Causes mild skin irritation. Causes eye irritation. PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS : Prevention : Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Use only nonsparking tools. Take precautionary Measures against static discharge. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flame - No smoking. Keep container tightly closed. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. Wear protective gloves and eye/face protection. Response : If eye irritation persists, get medical advice/attention. If skin irritation occurs, seek medical advice/attention. IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Specific treatment: refer to Label or MSDS. If on skin or hair: remove/take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse with water/shower. In case of fire, use foam for extinction. Disposal : Allow to evaporate in safe open area (applicable for small quantities). The chemical should be burnt in a chemical incinerator equipped with burner and scrubber. If the volumes are larger than 500ml and no incinerator and site of evaporation is not available then transfer the waste chemical to waste solvent drum for collection by specialist disposal company.	IMDG Code : 3/II UN No. : 1648 IATA : 3
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Hazard Pictogram(s) :
 
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