

according to Regulation UK SI 2019/758 and UK SI 2020/1577 as amended

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# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product Description: Sodium cyanide

Cat No. : L13278

Synonyms Hydrocyanic acid, sodium salt; Prussiate of soda; Cyanide of sodium

 Index No
 006-007-00-5

 CAS No
 143-33-9

 EC No
 205-599-4

 Molecular Formula
 C N Na

REACH registration number -

## 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Sector of use SU3 - Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites

**Product category** PC21 - Laboratory chemicals

**Process categories** PROC15 - Use as a laboratory reagent

**Environmental release category** ERC6a - Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance (use of intermediates)

Uses advised against No Information available

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

Avocado Research Chemicals Ltd. (Part of Thermo Fisher Scientific)

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Office Tel: +44 (0) 1524 850506 Office Fax: +44 (0) 1524 850608

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

For information **US** call: 001-800-227-6701 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11 Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99 **CHEMTREC** Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

## **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

CLP Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567

**Physical hazards** 

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Substances/mixtures corrosive to metal Category 1 (H290)

#### **Health hazards**

Acute oral toxicity

Acute dermal toxicity

Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists

Category 1 (H300)

Category 1 (H310)

Category 1 (H330)

Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)

Category 1 (H372)

#### **Environmental hazards**

Acute aquatic toxicity

Chronic aquatic toxicity

Category 1 (H400)

Category 1 (H410)

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

#### 2.2. Label elements



Signal Word

**Danger** 

## **Hazard Statements**

H290 - May be corrosive to metals

H372 - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

H300 + H310 + H330 - Fatal if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled

EUH032 - Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas

#### **Precautionary Statements**

P390 - Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

P330 - Rinse mouth

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing

P302 + P350 - IF ON SKIN: Gently wash with plenty of soap and water

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

#### 2.3. Other hazards

In accordance with Annex XIII of the REACH Regulation, inorganic substances do not require assessment

Toxic to terrestrial invertebrates
Toxicity to Soil Dwelling Organisms

Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

## **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### 3.1. Substances

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| Component      | CAS No   | EC No             | Weight % | CLP Classification - According to<br>GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and<br>UK SI 2020/1567  |
|----------------|----------|-------------------|----------|--|
| Sodium cyanide | 143-33-9 | EEC No. 205-599-4 | >95      | Met. Corr. 1 (H290) STOT RE 1 (H372) Acute Tox. 1 (H300) Acute Tox. 1 (H310) Acute Tox. 1 (H330) Aquatic Tox. 1 (H400) Aquatic Chronic 1 (H410) EUH032 |

| Component      | Specific concentration limits (SCL's) | M-Factor | Component notes |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|----------|-----------------|
| Sodium cyanide | -                                     | 10       | -               |

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|---------------------------|---|

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

## **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**General Advice** Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is

required.

Eye Contact In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical

advice. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15

minutes.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical

attention is required.

**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Do not use mouth-to-mouth

method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device.

Immediate medical attention is required.

Self-Protection of the First Aider Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None reasonably foreseeable. Systemic Toxicity: Respiratory disorders: Symptoms may include tightness in the chest, flushing, headache, nausea, vomiting, respiratory depression, weakness, irregular heartbeat, abdominal pain, convulsions, and shock: May cause cyanosis (bluish discoloration of skin due to deficient oxygenation of the blood):

Exposure may result in death

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Symptoms may be delayed. Treat as cyanide poisoning. Exposure may result in death. The

effects may be delayed therefore medical observation is essential.

## **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** 

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Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam.

## Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

Do not use water or foam.

## 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-combustible. Do not allow run-off from fire-fighting to enter drains or water courses.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid).

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

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**

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Provide adequate ventilation. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit. Avoid dust formation. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Do not expose spill to water.

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal: Prevent contact with water. Do NOT use water for clean-up: Use personal protective equipment as required

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid dust formation. Use only under a chemical fume hood. Do not breathe (dust, vapor, mist, gas). Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance.

#### **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep locked up. Keep away from acids. Keep away from combustible material. Do not store in aluminum containers.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

## **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### 8.1. Control parameters

#### **Exposure limits**

List source(s): **UK** - EH40/2005 Work Exposure Limits, Fourth edition. Published 2020. **IRE -** 2021 Code of Practice for the Chemical Agents Regulations, Schedule 1. Published by the Health and Safety Authority **EU** - Commission Directive (EU) 2019/1831 of 24 October 2019 establishing a fifth list of indicative occupational exposure limit values pursuant to Council Directive 98/24/EC and amending Commission Directive 2000/39/EC

|   | Component      | The United Kingdom               | European Union                    | Ireland                           |
|---|----------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Ī | Sodium cyanide | STEL: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min | TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8h)     | TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr. CN |
| ١ |                | TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr    | STEL: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (15min) | STEL: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min  |
| - |                | Skin                             | Skin                              | Skin                              |

#### **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) / Derived Minimum Effect Level (DMEL)

See table for values

| Component                          | Acute effects local (Dermal) | Acute effects<br>systemic (Dermal) | Chronic effects local (Dermal) | Chronic effects systemic (Dermal) |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Sodium cyanide<br>143-33-9 ( >95 ) |                              | DNEL = 3.03mg/kg<br>bw/day         |                                | DNEL = 0.102mg/kg<br>bw/day       |

| Component                          | Acute effects local (Inhalation) | Acute effects systemic (Inhalation) | Chronic effects local (Inhalation) | Chronic effects systemic (Inhalation) |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Sodium cyanide<br>143-33-9 ( >95 ) |                                  | DNEL = 9.4mg/m <sup>3</sup>         |                                    | $DNEL = 0.72 mg/m^3$                  |

## **Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)**

See values below.

| Component        | Fresh water  | Fresh water   | Water Intermittent  | Microorganisms in | Soil (Agriculture) |
|------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
|                  |              | sediment      |                     | sewage treatment  |                    |
| Sodium cyanide   | PNEC = 1µg/L | PNEC = 4µg/kg | PNEC = $3.2\mu g/L$ | PNEC = 50µg/L     | PNEC = 7µg/kg soil |
| 143-33-9 ( >95 ) | -            | sediment dw   | _                   | _                 | dw                 |

|   | Component        | Marine water        | Marine water sediment | Marine water intermittent | Food chain | Air |
|---|------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----|
|   | Sodium cyanide   | PNEC = $0.2\mu g/L$ | PNEC = 0.8µg/kg       |                           |            |     |
| ١ | 143-33-9 ( >95 ) |                     | sediment dw           |                           |            |     |

## 8.2. Exposure controls

#### **Engineering Measures**

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

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Personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

| Glove material  | Breakthrough time | Glove thickness | EU standard    | Glove comments                           |
|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------------|--|
| Butyl rubber    | > 480 minutes     | 0.35 mm         | EN 374 Level 6 | As tested under EN374-3 Determination of |
| Viton (R)       | > 480 minutes     | 0.5mm           |                | Resistance to Permeation by Chemicals    |
| Neoprene gloves | > 60 minutes      | 0.45mm          |                |  |
| PVC             | < 60 minutes      | 0.18mm          |                |  |

**Skin and body protection** Long sleeved clothing.

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Respiratory Protection When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use

appropriate certified respirators.

To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used

and maintained properly

Large scale/emergency use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits

are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced **Recommended Filter type:** Particulates filter conforming to EN 143

Small scale/Laboratory use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if exposure

limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

**Recommended half mask:-** Particle filtering: EN149:2001 When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

**Environmental exposure controls** Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water

system. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

## **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Solid

Appearance White

Odor bitter almonds
Odor Threshold No data available
Melting Point/Range 562 °C / 1043.6 °F
Softening Point No data available
Boiling Point/Range 1497 °C / 2726.6 °F

Flammability (liquid) Not applicable Solid

Flammability (solid,gas)

No information available

Explosion Limits

No data available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

Autoignition Temperature No data available

**Decomposition Temperature**No data available
pH
11-12

 pH
 11-12
 20 g/l aq. sol

 Viscosity
 Not applicable
 Solid

 Water Solubility
 370 g/l (20°C)

Solubility in other solvents No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Component log Pow Sodium cyanide -0.44

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Solid

**Vapor Pressure** 

1 hPa @ 817 °C

Density / Specific Gravity

**Bulk Density** 750 - 950 kg/m³ **Vapor Density** Not applicable

Particle characteristics No data available

9.2. Other information

Molecular Formula C N Na Molecular Weight 49

Evaporation Rate Not applicable - Solid

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

10.1. Reactivity

Yes Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions. Hygroscopic.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions**None under normal processing.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible products. Exposure to moist air or water.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Acids. Strong oxidizing agents. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Metals.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid).

## **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

#### **Product Information**

(a) acute toxicity;

OralCategory 1DermalCategory 1InhalationCategory 1

| Component      | LD50 Oral                | LD50 Dermal                    | LC50 Inhalation            |
|----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Sodium cyanide | LD50 = 5.733 mg/kg (Rat) | LD50 = 14.602 mg/kg ( Rabbit ) | LC50 = 0.16 mg/L (Rat) 1 h |
|                |                          |                                |                            |

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

**Respiratory**Skin
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

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(e) germ cell mutagenicity; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Not mutagenic in AMES Test

(f) carcinogenicity; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

(h) STOT-single exposure; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; Category 1

Target Organs Thyroid, Blood.

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable

Solid

Symptoms / effects,both acute and Systemic Toxicity. Respiratory disorders. Symptoms may include tightness in the chest,

delayed

flushing, headache, nausea, vomiting, respiratory depression, weakness, irregular heartbeat, abdominal pain, convulsions, and shock. May cause cyanosis (bluish discoloration of skin due to deficient oxygenation of the blood). Exposure may result in death.

## 11.2. Information on other hazards

**Endocrine Disrupting Properties** 

Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity effects Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic

environment. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the

environment.

| Component      | Freshwater Fish                | Water Flea | Freshwater Algae |
|----------------|--------------------------------|------------|------------------|
| Sodium cyanide | LC50: 0.0558 - 0.0586 mg/L,    |            |                  |
|                | 96h flow-through (Oncorhynchus |            |                  |
|                | mykiss)                        |            |                  |
|                | LC50: 0.0391 - 0.0548 mg/L,    |            |                  |
|                | 96h static (Oncorhynchus       |            |                  |
|                | mykiss)                        |            |                  |
|                | LC50: = 0.15 mg/L, 96h static  |            |                  |
|                | (Lepomis macrochirus)          |            |                  |
|                | LC50: 0.0712 - 0.0936 mg/L,    |            |                  |
|                | 96h flow-through (Pimephales   |            |                  |
|                | promelas)                      |            |                  |
|                | LC50: = 0.17 mg/L, 96h static  |            |                  |
|                | (Pimephales promelas)          |            |                  |
|                | LC50: 0.066 - 0.0852 mg/L, 96h |            |                  |
|                | flow-through (Lepomis          |            |                  |
|                | macrochirus)                   |            |                  |
|                |                                |            |                  |

| Component      | Microtox | M-Factor |
|----------------|----------|----------|
| Sodium cyanide |          | 10       |

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12.2. Persistence and degradability Expected to be biodegradable

Soluble in water. Persistence is unlikely, based on information available. **Persistence** 

Degradability Not relevant for inorganic substances.

Degradation in sewage treatment plant

Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste

water treatment plants.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential Bioaccumulation is unlikely

| Component      | log Pow | Bioconcentration factor (BCF) |
|----------------|---------|-------------------------------|
| Sodium cyanide | -0.44   | No data available             |

The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems. Will likely be mobile in the 12.4. Mobility in soil

environment due to its water solubility. Highly mobile in soils

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

In accordance with Annex XIII of the REACH Regulation, inorganic substances do not

require assessment.

12.6. Endocrine disrupting

properties

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** 

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

12.7. Other adverse effects

**Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential** 

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Should not be released into the environment. Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in

accordance with local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

According to the European Waste Catalog, Waste Codes are not product specific, but **European Waste Catalogue (EWC)** 

application specific.

Other Information Do not flush to sewer. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the

application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not let this

chemical enter the environment.

## **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

## IMDG/IMO

14.1. UN number UN1689

14.2. UN proper shipping name SODIUM CYANIDE, SOLID

14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 6.1 Ρ **Subsidiary Hazard Class** 14.4. Packing group Ι

ADR

14.1. UN number UN1689

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14.2. UN proper shipping name SODIUM CYANIDE, SOLID

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14.2. UN proper shipping name SODIUM CYANIDE, SOLID

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)** 6.1 **14.4. Packing group** I

**14.5. Environmental hazards** Dangerous for the environment

Product is a marine pollutant according to the criteria set by IMDG/IMO

**14.6. Special precautions for user** No special precautions required.

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable, packaged goods

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

#### International Inventories

Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), China (IECSC), Taiwan (TCSI), Korea (KECL), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Australia (AICS), New Zealand (NZIoC), Philippines (PICCS). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

| Component      | CAS No   | EINECS    | ELINCS | NLP | IECSC | TCSI | KECL     | ENCS | ISHL |
|----------------|----------|-----------|--------|-----|-------|------|----------|------|------|
| Sodium cyanide | 143-33-9 | 205-599-4 | ı      | -   | Х     | X    | KE-31401 | Х    | X    |
|                |          |           |        |     |       |      |          |      |      |

| Component      | CAS No   | TSCA | TSCA Inventory<br>notification -<br>Active-Inactive | DSL | NDSL | AICS | NZIoC | PICCS |
|----------------|----------|------|---|-----|------|------|-------|-------|
| Sodium cyanide | 143-33-9 | X    | ACTIVE  | X   | -    | X    | X     | X     |

Legend: X - Listed '-' - Not Listed KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

#### Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

| Component      | CAS No   | REACH (1907/2006) -<br>Annex XIV - Substances<br>Subject to Authorization |  | REACH Regulation (EC<br>1907/2006) article 59 -<br>Candidate List of<br>Substances of Very High<br>Concern (SVHC) |
|----------------|----------|---|--|---|
| Sodium cyanide | 143-33-9 | -   | Use restricted. See item<br>75.<br>(see link for restriction<br>details) | •   |

#### **REACH links**

https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach

#### Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC)

| Component      | CAS No   | Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) -<br>Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident | Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) -<br>Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report |
|----------------|----------|---|--|
|                |          | Notification  | Requirements   |
| Sodium cyanide | 143-33-9 | Not applicable  | Not applicable   |

Regulation (EC) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals

#### Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)?

Not applicable

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work .

Take note of Directive 2000/39/EC establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values

#### **National Regulations**

UK - Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

**WGK Classification** See table for values

| Component      | Germany - Water Classification (AwSV) | Germany - TA-Luft Class |  |  |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| Sodium cyanide | WGK3                                  |                         |  |  |

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has been conducted by the manufacturer/importer

## **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

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

H290 - May be corrosive to metals

H300 - Fatal if swallowed

H310 - Fatal in contact with skin

H330 - Fatal if inhaled

H372 - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

EUH032 - Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas

### Legend

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

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

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances **KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances **ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level **RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%

NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

Substances List

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50% POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air **Transport Association** 

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Dangerous Goods Code MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from

Ships

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate
VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

Key literature references and sources for data

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

**Training Advice** 

Chemical incident response training.

Prepared By Health, Safety and Environmental Department

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**Revision Summary** New emergency telephone response service provider.

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#### **Disclaimer**

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## **End of Safety Data Sheet**