



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

### 1.1. Product identifier

**Product Description:** 4-Fluorobenzonitrile  
**Cat No. :** 160810000; 160810050; 160810250  
**Synonyms** p-Fluorobenzonitrile.; Benzonitrile, p-fluoro-; p-Cyanofluorobenzene  
**CAS-No** 1194-02-1  
**EC-No.** 214-784-9  
**Molecular Formula** C7 H4 F N

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

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals  
**Uses advised against** No Information available

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

**Company** Acros Organics BVBA  
Janssen Pharmaceuticaaan 3a  
2440 Geel, Belgium  
**E-mail address** begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

For information **US** call: 001-800-ACROS-01 / **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 - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

##### Physical hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

##### Health hazards

Acute oral toxicity	Category 4
Acute dermal toxicity	Category 4
Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists	Category 4
Skin Corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure)	Category 3

##### Environmental hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

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

**Symbol(s)** Xn - Harmful

**SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****R-phrases(s)**

R20/21/22 - Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed  
 R36/37/38 - Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

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

**2.2. Label elements****Signal Word****Warning****Hazard Statements**

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation  
 H332 - Harmful if inhaled  
 H315 - Causes skin irritation  
 H302 - Harmful if swallowed  
 H312 - Harmful in contact with skin  
 H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

**Precautionary Statements**

P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water  
 P312 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell  
 P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing  
 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

**2.3. Other hazards**

No information available.

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

Component	CAS-No	EC-No.	Weight %	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	DSD Classification - 67/548/EEC
Benzonitrile, 4-fluoro-	1194-02-1	EEC No. 214-784-9	99	STOT SE 3 (H335) Skin Irrit. 2 (H315) Eye Irrit. 2 (H319) Acute Tox. 4 (H302) Acute Tox. 4 (H312) Acute Tox. 4 (H332)	Xn; R20/21/22 Xi; R36/37/38

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**SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES****4.1. 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.

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<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Obtain medical attention.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Clean mouth with water. Get medical attention.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove from exposure, lie down. Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Obtain medical attention.
<b>Protection of First-aiders</b>	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**

No information available

**4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed****Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically**SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES****5.1. Extinguishing media****Suitable Extinguishing Media**Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. chemical foam.**Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

No information available.

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

Combustible material. Flammable.

**Hazardous Combustion Products**Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Gaseous hydrogen fluoride (HF).**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.

**SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation

**6.2. Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so

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

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

**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**

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Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist.

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

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Exposure limits

Component	European Union	The United Kingdom	France	Belgium	Spain
Benzonitrile, 4-fluoro-		STEL: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr Skin	TWA / VME: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 heures). Peau		

Component	Italy	Germany	Portugal	The Netherlands	Finland
Benzonitrile, 4-fluoro-		TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 Stunden). MAK Höhepunkt: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Haut			

Component	Austria	Denmark	Switzerland	Poland	Norway
Benzonitrile, 4-fluoro-					TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 timer Skin

Component	Bulgaria	Croatia	Ireland	Cyprus	Czech Republic
Benzonitrile, 4-fluoro-			Skin		

#### Biological limit values

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

#### Monitoring methods

BS EN 14042:2003 Title Identifier: Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents.

**Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)** No information available.

Route of exposure	Acute effects (local)	Acute effects (systemic)	Chronic effects (local)	Chronic effects (systemic)
Oral Dermal Inhalation				

**Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)** No information available.

### 8.2. Exposure controls

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### Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. 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.

### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye Protection

Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

#### Hand Protection

Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments
Disposable gloves	See manufacturers recommendations	-	EN 374	(minimum requirement)

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 compatibility, 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.

#### 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.

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

#### Large scale/emergency use

In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment

#### 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.

When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted.

### Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

### Environmental exposure controls

No information available.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### Appearance

White

#### Physical State

Solid.

#### Odor

odorless

#### Odor Threshold

No data available

#### pH

No information available.

#### Melting Point/Range

33 - 36°C / 91.4 - 96.8°F

#### Softening Point

No data available

#### Boiling Point/Range

188°C / 370.4°F

@ 750 mmHg

#### Flash Point

65°C / 149°F

**Method** - No information available.

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<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	No data available	
<b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>	No information available.	
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	No data available.	
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	No data available	
<b>Vapor Density</b>	No data available	(Air = 1.0)
<b>Specific Gravity / Density</b>	No data available	
<b>Bulk Density</b>	No data available	
<b>Water Solubility</b>	No information available.	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available.	
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	<b>Component</b> Benzonitrile, 4-fluoro-	<b>log Pow</b> 1.74
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Viscosity</b>	No data available	
<b>Explosive Properties</b>	No information available.	
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	No information available.	

## 9.2. Other information

<b>Molecular Formula</b>	C7 H4 F N
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	121.11

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1. Reactivity

None known, based on information available.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	No information available.
<b>Hazardous Reactions</b>	No information available.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition, Incompatible products.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids. Strong bases.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Gaseous hydrogen fluoride (HF).

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

<b>Product Information</b>	Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed
<b>(a) acute toxicity;</b>	
<b>Oral</b>	Category 4
<b>Dermal</b>	Category 4
<b>Inhalation</b>	Category 4

(b) skin corrosion/irritation;	Category 2
(c) serious eye damage/irritation;	Category 2
(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;	No data available
Respiratory	No data available
Skin	No data available
(e) germ cell mutagenicity;	No data available
(f) carcinogenicity;	No data available
	There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product
(g) reproductive toxicity;	No data available
(h) STOT-single exposure;	Category 3
(i) STOT-repeated exposure;	No data available
Target Organs	No information available.
(j) aspiration hazard;	No data available
<b>Other Adverse Effects</b>	The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. See actual entry in RTECS for complete information
<b>Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed</b>	No information available.

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1. Toxicity

#### Ecotoxicity effects

Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment or that are not degradable in waste water treatment plants

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
Benzonitrile, 4-fluoro-		218 mg/l (Daphnia Magna)		

**12.2. Persistence and degradability** No information available

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential** No information available.

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
Benzonitrile, 4-fluoro-	1.74	No data available

**12.4. Mobility in soil** No information available.

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment** No data available for assessment

### 12.6. Other adverse effects

#### Endocrine Disruptor Information

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

#### Persistent Organic Pollutant

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

#### Ozone Depletion Potential

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**Waste from Residues / Unused Products**

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

**Contaminated Packaging**

Empty remaining contents. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Do not re-use empty containers.

**European Waste Catalogue (EWC)**

According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific

**Other Information**

Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### IMDG/IMO

<b>14.1. UN number</b>	3439
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>	NITRILES, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S.
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>	6.1
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	III

### ADR

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<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	III

### IATA

<b>14.1. UN number</b>	3439
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>	NITRILES, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S.*
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>	6.1
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	III

**14.5. Environmental hazards** No hazards identified

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

**14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable, packaged goods

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

**International Inventories** X = listed

Component	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	CHINA	AICS	KECL
Benzonitrile, 4-fluoro-	214-784-9	-		X	-	X	-	-	X	X	-

### National Regulations

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

Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

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



**15.2. Chemical safety assessment**

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

**SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION****Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3**

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R36/37/38 - Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

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

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H312 - Harmful in contact with skin

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H332 - Harmful if inhaled

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

**Legend**

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

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

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Industrial Hygiene

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%

**NOEC** - No Observed Effect Concentration

**PBT** - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

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

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

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

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

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

**DSL/NDL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**TWA** - Time Weighted Average

**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**PNEC** - Predicted No Effect Concentration

**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

**vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

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

**MARPOL** - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

**ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**VOC** - Volatile Organic Compounds

**Key literature references and sources for data**

Suppliers safety data sheet,

Chemadvisor - LOLI,

Merck index,

RTECS

**Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

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**Reason for revision** Not applicable

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

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