1. IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE AND SUPPLIER						
Name On Label Product Number Supplier	 2-Methyl-5-nitrobenzoic acid 13934 Johnson Matthey Catalog Company Inc. 30 Bond Street, Ward Hill, Massachusetts, 01835-8099 Emergency Telephone Number: (978) 521-6300; CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300 					
Alternative Names	5-Nitro-o-toluic acid					
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3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION						
Designation	No specific hazard					
Risk Phrases	None specified - Exercise all due care in use					
4. FIRST AID MEASURES						
Inhalation Eye Contact Skin Contact Ingestion	Remove to fresh air. Seek medical advice if symptoms persist. Flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Wash affected area with soap and water. Rinse thoroughly. Rinse out mouth and drink lots of water. If unusual symptoms are observed, seek medical advice.					
5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES						
Extinguishing Medium Protective Equipment	Use fire fighting measures which suit the environment and take into account other materials which may be involved. In general, water-based extinguishers should not be used for fires involving organic materials. Use carbon dioxide or dry powder. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.					
Hazardous Products of Combustion may include: carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, oxides of nitrogen, nitric acid, hydrogen cyanide.						
6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES						
Personal Protection	Wear protective equipment including rubber gloves, and eye protection. Keep unprotected persons					
Environmental Protection Collection	away. Take precautions to ensure product does not enter the drainage system. Mix with vermiculite or proprietary absorbent material and transfer to sealed containers for disposal.					
7. HANDLING AND STORAGE						
Handling Storage	Chemicals should be used only by those trained in handling potentially hazardous materials. Rubber gloves, eye protection and protective clothing should be worn. Operations should be carried out in an efficient fume hood or equivalent system. Store in tightly sealed containers in a cool place. Protect from moisture.					
8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION						
Respiratory Eye Hands and Body	Avoid inhalation of product. Handle in an efficient fume hood or equivalent system. Avoid eye contact. Wear safety spectacles or goggles. Avoid skin contact. Wear rubber gloves and protective clothing.					

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