# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : 2-Phenylbutyronitrile

Product Number : 222739
Brand : Aldrich

CAS-No. : 769-68-6

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich

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USA

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : (314) 776-6555

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

## GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302 Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332 Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4), H312 Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 3), H402 Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 3), H412

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

## 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram

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Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H302 + H312 + H332 Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing.

P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you

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feel unwell.

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position

comfortable for breathing.

P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.

P322 Specific measures (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).

P330 Rinse mouth.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms :  $\alpha$ -Ethylphenylacetonitrile

Formula : C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>11</sub>N Molecular Weight : 145.2 g/mol CAS-No. : 769-68-6 EC-No. : 212-213-8

#### Hazardous components

Component	Classification	Concentration
DL-2-Phenylbutyronitrile		
	Acute Tox. 4; Aquatic Acute 3; Aquatic Chronic 3; H302 + H312 + H332, H412	-

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

## 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. Move out of dangerous area.

#### 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

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### 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

#### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

## 5.1 Extinguishing media

## Suitable extinguishing media

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

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

Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx), Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid)

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

no data available

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. 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

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

For precautions see section 2.2.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

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

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## 8.1 Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

## 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.

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## Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multipurpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. 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.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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

Form: liquid a) **Appearance** 

Colour: colourless

no data available b) Odour Odour Threshold no data available no data available d) Нα

Melting point/freezing e)

point

Flash point

no data available

Initial boiling point and f)

114 - 115 °C (237 - 239 °F) at 20 hPa (15 mmHg) - lit.

boiling range

105 °C (221 °F) - closed cup

Evapouration rate no data available h) Flammability (solid, gas) no data available Upper/lower no data available j)

flammability or explosive limits

Vapour pressure no data available Vapour density no data available

m) Relative density 0.974 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)

Water solubility no data available Partition coefficient: nlog Pow: 2.547 octanol/water

Auto-ignition temperature

no data available

Decomposition

no data available

temperature

r) Viscosity no data available Explosive properties no data available Oxidizing properties no data available

#### 9.2 Other safety information

no data available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1 Reactivity

no data available

#### **Chemical stability** 10.2

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

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## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - no data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### **Acute toxicity**

no data available

no data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

no data available

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

## 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.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a

carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a

known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a

carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

## Reproductive toxicity

no data available

no data available

## Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

no data available

## Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

no data available

## **Aspiration hazard**

no data available

## **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

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## 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

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

## 12.6 Other adverse effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal. Harmful to aquatic life.

no data available

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### **Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

## Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

## DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

#### **IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

## **IATA**

Not dangerous goods

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **SARA 302 Components**

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

## **SARA 313 Components**

SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

## SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard

## **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

## Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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**New Jersey Right To Know Components** 

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### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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

Acute Tox. Acute toxicity

Aquatic Acute Acute aquatic toxicity
Aquatic Chronic Chronic aquatic toxicity
H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H302 + H312 + Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled

H332

**HMIS Rating** 

Health hazard: 1
Chronic Health Hazard: Flammability: 1
Physical Hazard 0

**NFPA** Rating

Health hazard: 1
Fire Hazard: 1
Reactivity Hazard: 0

#### **Further information**

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