

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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This safety data sheet was created pursuant to the requirements of: US OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 2024 (29 CFR 1910.1200)

## 1. Identification

**Product Name** (3,4-Dimethoxyphenyl)acetonitrile

**Cat No. :** AC155260000; AC155260250; AC155261000; AC155265000

**CAS No** 93-17-4  
**Synonyms** Veratryl cyanide; Homoveratronicitrile

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.  
**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

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

#### Company

Fisher Scientific Company  
One Reagent Lane  
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410  
Tel: (201) 796-7100

Acros Organics  
One Reagent Lane  
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

#### **Emergency Telephone Number**

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**CHEMTREC** Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous according to [US] OSHA (29 CFR 1910.1200, 2024)

Acute oral toxicity	Category 3
Acute dermal toxicity	Category 3
Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists	Category 3

### Label Elements

#### **Signal Word**

Danger

#### **Hazard Statements**

Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

**Inhalation**

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing  
Call a POISON CENTER or doctor

**Skin**

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water  
Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell  
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing  
Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

**Ingestion**

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor  
Rinse mouth

**Storage**

Store locked up  
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

**Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

None identified

**Hazards classified under paragraph (d)(1)(ii) of 1910.1200**

No information available

### 3. Composition/information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	93-17-4	> 99

### 4. First-aid measures

<b>Eye Contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove from exposure, lie down. Remove to fresh air.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink plenty of water. If possible drink milk afterwards.
<b>Most important symptoms and effects</b>	No information available.
<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Alcohol resistant foam.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** No information available

**Flash Point** 250 °C / 482 °F

**Method -** No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 360 °C / 680 °F

**Explosion Limits**

**Upper** No data available

**Lower** No data available

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** No information available

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** No information available

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

**Hazardous Combustion Products**

Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>). Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid).

**Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

**NFPA**

**Health**  
3

**Flammability**  
0

**Instability**  
0

**Physical hazards**  
N/A

## 6. Accidental release measures

**Personal Precautions** Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required.

**Environmental Precautions** See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

**Methods for Containment and Clean Up** Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

## 7. Handling and Storage

**Handling** Ensure adequate ventilation.

**Storage.** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Incompatible Materials. Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids. Strong bases.

## 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

**Exposure Guidelines** This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH	Mexico OEL (TWA)
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile		(Vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 25 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	

Legend

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH: NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

**Engineering Measures** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye/face Protection** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

**Skin and body protection** Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection** Wear a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved full-facepiece airline respirator in the positive pressure mode with emergency escape provisions.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance**

**Physical State**

Solid

**Color**

White

**Odor**

Odorless

**Odor Threshold**

No information available

**Property**

**Values**

**Remarks**

**• Method**

**Melting Point/Range**

62 - 65 °C / 143.6 - 149 °F

**Softening Point**

No data available

**Boiling Point/Range**

171 - 178 °C / 339.8 - 352.4 °F

@ 10 mmHg

**Flash Point**

250 °C / 482 °F

**Method -** No information available

**Flammability (liquid)**

Not applicable

Solid

**Flammability (solid,gas)**

No information available

**Explosion Limits**

No data available

**Autoignition Temperature**

360 °C / 680 °F

**Decomposition Temperature**

No data available

**pH**

No information available

**Viscosity**

No data available

**Water Solubility**

Insoluble

**Solubility in other solvents**

No information available

**Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)**

**Vapor Pressure**

No data available

**Density / Specific Gravity**

No data available

**Bulk Density**

No data available

**Vapor Density**

No data available

(Air = 1.0)

**Particle characteristics**

No data available

**Other Information**

**Molecular Formula**

C10 H11 N O2

**Molecular Weight**

177.2

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactive Hazard** None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Conditions to Avoid** Incompatible products.

<b>Incompatible Materials</b>	Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Strong bases
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Nitrogen oxides (NO <sub>x</sub> ), Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid)
<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	No information available.
<b>Hazardous Reactions</b>	None under normal processing.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on expected route of exposure

<b>Inhalation</b>	Not an expected route of exposure.
<b>Ingestion</b>	May be harmful if swallowed.
<b>Eyes</b>	Avoid contact with eyes.
<b>Skin</b>	Avoid contact with skin. Harmful in contact with skin.

### Toxicology data for the components

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	-	LD50 > 2000 mg/kg ( Rat )	LC50 > 5.5 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h

<b>Toxicologically Synergistic Products</b>	No information available
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<b>(b) skin corrosion/irritation;</b>	No data available
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<b>(c) serious eye damage/irritation;</b>	No data available
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<b>(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;</b>	
<b>Respiratory</b>	No data available
<b>Skin</b>	No data available

<b>(e) germ cell mutagenicity;</b>	No data available
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#### **(f) carcinogenicity;**

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen

Component	CAS No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	93-17-4	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

<b>(g) reproductive toxicity;</b>	No data available
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<b>(h) STOT-single exposure;</b>	No data available
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<b>(i) STOT-repeated exposure;</b>	No data available
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<b>Target Organs</b>	No information available.
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<b>(j) aspiration hazard;</b>	No data available
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**Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed** No information available.

**Other Adverse Effects** The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

**Endocrine Disrupting Properties** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

Do not empty into drains.

**Persistence and Degradability** No information available

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** No information available.

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste Disposal Methods** Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

## 14. Transport information

### DOT

UN-No UN2811  
Hazard Class 6.1  
Packing Group III

### TDG

UN-No UN2811  
Hazard Class 6.1  
Packing Group III

### IATA

UN-No UN2811  
Proper Shipping Name TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S.\*  
Hazard Class 6.1  
Packing Group III

### IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN2811  
Proper Shipping Name Toxic solid, organic, n.o.s.  
Hazard Class 6.1  
Packing Group III

## 15. Regulatory Information

### United States of America Inventory

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	93-17-4	-	-	-

### Legend:

**TSCA** US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

**TSCA - Per 40 CFR 751, Regulation of Certain Chemical Substances & Mixtures, Under TSCA Section 6(h) (PBT)**

Not applicable

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export

Not applicable

**International Inventories**

Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (KECL).

Component	CAS No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	IECSC	KECL
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	93-17-4	-	-	202-225-1	X	X	X	-	-	-

KECL - NIER number or KE number (<http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do>)

**U.S. Federal Regulations****SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

Component	CAS No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %	SARA 313 - Reporting thresholds
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	93-17-4	> 99	1.0 %	-

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

Not applicable

Component	CWA - Hazardous Substances	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	-	-	X	X

**Clean Air Act**

Not applicable

Component	HAPS Data	Class 1 Ozone Depletors	Class 2 Ozone Depletors
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	X		-

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Not applicable

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	-	X	X	X	X

**U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N  
DOT Marine Pollutant Y  
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

## U.S. Department of Homeland Security

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

## Other International Regulations

## Mexico - Grade

No information available

## Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Not applicable

Component	CAS No	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances	REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	93-17-4	-	-	-

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

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Persistent Organic Pollutant	Ozone Depletion Potential	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	93-17-4	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

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

Not applicable

## Other International Regulations

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements	Rotterdam Convention (PIC)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
3,4-Dimethoxyphenylacetonitrile	93-17-4	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

## 16. Other Information

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