

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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### 1. Identification

Product Name 3-Fluoro-4-methylphenol

Cat No.: H31864

**CAS-No** 452-78-8

Synonyms No information available

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

### Company

Alfa Aesar

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### **Emergency Telephone Number**

During normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 8am-7pm EST), call (800) 343-0660.

After normal business hours, call Carechem 24 at (866) 928-0789.

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Flammable liquids

Acute oral toxicity

Category 4

Acute dermal toxicity

Category 4

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

Category 1

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Category 3

Target Organs - Respiratory system.

### Label Elements

#### Signal Word

Danger

### **Hazard Statements**

Combustible liquid

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

May cause respiratory irritation Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin



#### **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

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking

Keep cool

### Response

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

#### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

#### Skin

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

#### Fves

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

## Ingestion

Rinse mouth

Do NOT induce vomiting

#### Fire

In case of fire: Use CO2, dry chemical, or foam for extinction

### 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

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS-No	Weight %		
3-Fluoro-4-methylphenol	452-78-8	<=100		

### 4. First-aid measures

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

required.

**Eye Contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Immediate medical attention is required.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove and wash

contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Call a physician

immediately.

**Inhalation** If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Remove from exposure, lie down. 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. Call a physician immediately.

**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person. Call a physician immediately.

Most important symptoms and

effects

Causes burns by all exposure routes. Difficulty in breathing. Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting: Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe

damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam. Water mist may be used to cool

closed containers.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point  $< 90 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} \, / < 194 \, ^{\circ}\text{F}$ 

Method - No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Explosion Limits** 

No information available

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

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Combustible material. Containers may explode when heated.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

None known.

## **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. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

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Health Flammability Instability Physical hazards

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### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate

personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

**Environmental Precautions**Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological

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Information.

**Methods for Containment and Clean** Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. **Up** Remove all sources of ignition.

### 7. Handling and storage

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on Handling

> clothing. Use only under a chemical fume hood. Do not breathe mist/vapors/spray. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance. Keep away from open

flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

Storage Corrosives area. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Keep away from heat, sparks and flame.

### 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure **Exposure Guidelines** 

limitsestablished by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Ensure that evewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. **Engineering Measures** 

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by **Eye/face Protection** 

OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard

EN166.

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

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard **Respiratory Protection** 

> 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.

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

### 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Physical State** Liauid

Colorless - Light yellow **Appearance** 

Odor phenolic **Odor Threshold** 

No information available No information available

Melting Point/Range No data available

Boiling Point/Range

No information available Flash Point < 90 °C / < 194 °F

**Evaporation Rate** No information available Flammability (solid,gas) Not applicable

Flammability or explosive limits

Upper No data available Lower No data available

**Vapor Pressure** No information available **Vapor Density** No information available **Specific Gravity** No information available

Solubility No information available Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water No data available

No information available **Autoignition Temperature Decomposition Temperature** No information available **Viscosity** No information available

C7 H7 FO **Molecular Formula** 

**Molecular Weight** 126.13

## 10. Stability and reactivity

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

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. **Conditions to Avoid** 

**Incompatible Materials** Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products None under normal use conditions

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

None under normal processing. **Hazardous Reactions** 

### 11. Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

**Product Information Component Information** 

No information available **Toxicologically Synergistic** 

**Products** 

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation No information available

Sensitization No information available

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

Component	CAS-No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
3-Fluoro-4-methylphen	452-78-8	Not listed				
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**Mutagenic Effects** No information available

**Reproductive Effects** No information available.

No information available. **Developmental Effects** 

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

STOT - single exposure Respiratory system None known STOT - repeated exposure

**Aspiration hazard** No information available

delayed

Symptoms / effects,both acute and Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting: Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated.

Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes

severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

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

### 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Do not empty into drains.

Persistence and Degradability Immiscible with water

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

Mobility Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility.

### 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 UN3265

**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

**Technical Name** (3-Fluoro-4-methylphenol)

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group III

TDG

UN-No UN3265

**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group III

ATA

UN-No UN3265

**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group III

IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN3265

**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Hazard Class 8
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-Fluoro-4-methylphenol	452-78-8	-	-	-

#### Legend:

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

X - Listed '-' - Not Listed

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export Not applicable

#### **International Inventories**

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

Component	CAS-No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
3-Fluoro-4-methylphenol	452-78-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

### U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

**OSHA** - Occupational Safety and

Health Administration

Not applicable

CERCLA Not applicable

**California Proposition 65** This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know

Regulations

Not applicable

**U.S. Department of Transportation** 

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
DOT Marine Pollutant N
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

### 16. Other information

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