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Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

# 1.1. Product identifier

Product name: 2-METHYL-5-NITROPHENOL

CAS number: 5428-54-6

EINECS number: 226-580-7

Product code: OR0108

Synonyms: 2-HYDROXY-4-NITROTOLUENE

5-NITRO-O-CRESOL

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

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

Company name: Apollo Scientific Ltd Units 3 & 4 Parkway Denton Manchester M34 3SG UK Tel: 0161 337 9971 Fax: 0161 336 6932 Email: david.tideswell@apolloscientific.co.uk

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

### Section 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture			
Classification under CLP:	STOT SE 3: H335; Acute Tox. 3: H311; Acute Tox. 4: H302+332; Eye Irrit. 2: H319; Skin Irrit.		
	2: H315		
Most important adverse effects:	Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled. Toxic in contact with skin. Causes skin irritation.		
	Causes serious eye irritation. May cause respiratory irritation.		
2.2. Label elements			
Label elements:			
Hazard statements:	H302+332: Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled.		
	H311: Toxic in contact with skin.		

H315: Causes skin irritation.

- H319: Causes serious eye irritation.
- H335: May cause respiratory irritation.

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Signal words: Danger Hazard pictograms: GHS06: Skull and crossbones



Precautionary statements: P260: Do not breathe dust/fumes/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P301+312: IF SWALLOWED: Call a if you feel unwell.

### 2.3. Other hazards

**PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

# Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

# 3.1. Substances

Chemical identity: 2-METHYL-5-NITROPHENOL

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# Section 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid mea	asures	
Skin contact:	Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin.	
	Drench the affected skin with running water for 10 minutes or longer if substance is still	
	on skin. Transfer to hospital if there are burns or symptoms of poisoning.	
Eye contact:	Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Transfer to hospital for specialist	
	examination.	
Ingestion:	Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. If conscious, give half a litre of water	
	to drink immediately. If unconscious, check for breathing and apply artificial respiration if	
	necessary. If unconscious and breathing is OK, place in the recovery position. Transfer	
	to hospital as soon as possible.	
Inhalation:	Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. Consult a	
	doctor.	
4.2. Most important symptoms	and effects, both acute and delayed	
Skin contact:	Irritation or pain may occur at the site of contact. There may be redness or whiteness of	
	the skin in the area of exposure. Absorption through the skin may be fatal.	
Eye contact:	There may be pain and redness. The vision may become blurred. The eyes may water	
	profusely.	
Ingestion:	There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. Nausea and stomach	
	pain may occur. There may be vomiting.	
Inhalation:	There may be shortness of breath with a burning sensation in the throat. Exposure may	
	cause coughing or wheezing.	
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Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Immediate** / **special treatment:** Immediate medical attention is required. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

## Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media: Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, foam. Suitable extinguishing media for the

surrounding fire should be used. Use water spray to cool containers.

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

**Exposure hazards:** Toxic. In combustion emits toxic fumes of carbon dioxide / carbon monoxide. Nitrogen oxides (NOx).

#### 5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

Advice for fire-fighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

# Section 6: Accidental release measures

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

**Personal precautions:** Notify the police and fire brigade immediately. If outside keep bystanders upwind and away from danger point. Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel. Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective clothing - see section 8 of SDS.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Do not discharge into drains or rivers.

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

Clean-up procedures: Clean-up should be dealt with only by qualified personnel familiar with the specific

substance. Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by an appropriate method.

# 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections: Refer to section 8 of SDS.

## Section 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handling requirements: Avoid direct contact with the substance. Avoid the formation or spread of dust in the air.

Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Only use in fume hood.

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

Storage conditions: Store in a cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

Suitable packaging: Must only be kept in original packaging.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s): No data available.

## Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

## 8.1. Control parameters

Workplace exposure limits: No data available.

### **DNEL/PNEC** Values

DNEL / PNEC No data available.

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering measures:	Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area.
Respiratory protection:	Self-contained breathing apparatus must be available in case of emergency. Respiratory
	protective device with particle filter.
Hand protection:	Protective gloves.
Eye protection:	Safety glasses with side-shields. Ensure eye bath is to hand.
Skin protection:	Protective clothing.

# Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

State:	Powder		
Colour:	Pale brown		
Odour:	Phenol-like		
Evaporation rate:	No data available.		
Oxidising:	No data available.		
Solubility in water:	Slightly soluble		
Viscosity:	No data available.		
Boiling point/range℃:	180/15mm Melting point/range	°C:	111-115
Flammability limits %: lower:	No data available. upp	er:	No data available.
Flash point℃:	No data available. Part.coeff. n-octanol/wa	ter:	No data available.
Autoflammability°C:	No data available. Vapour pressu	ire:	No data available.
Relative density:	No data available.	pH:	No data available.
VOC g/l:	No data available.		

9.2. Other information

Other information: No data available.

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### Section 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity: Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Chemical stability: Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.

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Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.
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#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

#### Conditions to avoid: Heat.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid: Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Haz. decomp. products: In combustion emits toxic fumes of carbon dioxide / carbon monoxide. Nitrogen oxides

(NOx).

# Section 11: Toxicological information

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

### **Relevant hazards for product:**

Hazard	Route	Basis
Acute toxicity (ac. tox. 4)	INH ING	Hazardous: calculated
Acute toxicity (ac. tox. 3)	DRM	Hazardous: calculated
Skin corrosion/irritation	DRM	Hazardous: calculated
Serious eye damage/irritation	OPT	Hazardous: calculated
STOT-single exposure	INH	Hazardous: calculated

### Symptoms / routes of exposure

Skin contact:	Irritation or pain may occur at the site of contact. There may be redness or whiteness of
	the skin in the area of exposure. Absorption through the skin may be fatal.
Eye contact:	There may be pain and redness. The vision may become blurred. The eyes may water
	profusely.
Ingestion:	There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. Nausea and stomach
	pain may occur. There may be vomiting.
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#### Section 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity values: No data available.

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability: No data available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility: No data available.

## 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT identification: This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects: No data available.

### Section 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

 Disposal operations:
 MATERIAL SHOULD BE DISPOSED OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS

 Disposal of packaging:
 Dispose of as special waste in compliance with local and national regulations Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations.

 NB:
 The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national

regulations regarding disposal.

## Section 14: Transport information

14.1. UN number

UN number: UN2446

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Shipping name: NITROCRESOLS, SOLID

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Transport class: 6.1

14.4. Packing group

Packing group: III

14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous: No

Marine pollutant: No

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## 14.6. Special precautions for user

Special precautions: No special precautions.

Tunnel code: E

Transport category: 2

# Section 15: Regulatory information

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

Specific regulations: Not applicable.

15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

**Chemical safety assessment:** A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture by the supplier.

# Section 16: Other information

Other information	
Other information:	This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No 2015/830.
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