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

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name: 2,3-DIFLUOROTOLUENE

CAS number: 3828-49-7
Product code: PC6523

Synonyms: 1,2-DIFLUORO-3-METHYLBENZENE

# 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

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# 1.4. Emergency telephone number

# Section 2: Hazards identification

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification under CLP: Flam. Liq. 2: H225; Acute Tox. 4: H302; Skin Irrit. 2: H315; Eye Dam. 1: H318; STOT SE 3:

H335

Most important adverse effects: Highly flammable liquid and vapour. Harmful if swallowed. Causes skin irritation.

Causes serious eye damage. May cause respiratory irritation.

# 2.2. Label elements

Label elements:

Hazard statements: H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H302: Harmful if swallowed. H315: Causes skin irritation.

H318: Causes serious eye damage. H335: May cause respiratory irritation.

Signal words: Danger

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Hazard pictograms: GHS02: Flame

GHS05: Corrosion

GHS07: Exclamation mark







Precautionary statements: P210: Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition

sources. No smoking.

P260: Do not breathe fume.

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

# 2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards: In use, may form flammable / explosive vapour-air mixture.

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

## Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

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### Section 4: First aid measures

## 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Skin contact: Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin. Wash

immediately with plenty of soap and water.

Eye contact: Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Transfer to hospital for specialist

examination.

Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water. Consult a doctor.

Inhalation: Consult a doctor.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Skin contact:** There may be mild irritation at the site of contact.

Eye contact: There may be pain and redness. The eyes may water profusely. Corneal burns may

occur.

**Ingestion:** There may be irritation of the throat.

Inhalation: There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

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

Immediate / special treatment: Eye bathing equipment should be available on the premises.

# **Section 5: Fire-fighting measures**

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# 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Extinguishing media:** Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used. Alcohol resistant

foam. Carbon dioxide. Dry chemical powder.

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

Exposure hazards: Flammable. Vapour may travel considerable distance to source of ignition and flash

back. Forms explosive air-vapour mixture. In combustion emits toxic fumes of carbon

dioxide. Hydrogen fluoride (HF).

### 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: Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details. Notify the police and fire

brigade immediately. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Turn leaking containers leak-side

up to prevent the escape of liquid.

## 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions:** Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

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

Clean-up procedures: Absorb into dry earth or sand. Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for

disposal by an appropriate method. Do not use equipment in clean-up procedure which

may produce sparks.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

# Section 7: Handling and storage

# 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handling requirements: Smoking is forbidden. Use non-sparking tools. Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of

the area. Avoid the formation or spread of mists in the air. Only use in fume hood.

# 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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

sources of ignition. Prevent the build up of electrostatic charge in the immediate area.

Ensure lighting and electrical equipment are not a source of ignition.

Suitable packaging: Must only be kept in original packaging.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

# Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

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### 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. Ensure lighting and electrical

equipment are not a source of ignition.

Respiratory protection: Respiratory protection not required.

Hand protection: Protective gloves.

Eye protection: Safety glasses. 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: Liquid

Colour: Colourless

Oxidising: Non-oxidising (by EC criteria)

Solubility in water: Not miscible

Boiling point/range ℃: 119-121 Flash point ℃: 17

Part.coeff. n-octanol/water: log Pow:2.09 Relative density: 1.096

9.2. Other information

Other information: No data available.

## 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. Stable at room temperature.

## 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

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

## 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid: Heat. Hot surfaces. Sources of ignition. Flames.

# 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. Hydrogen fluoride

(HF).

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# **Section 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Relevant hazards for substance:

| Hazard                        | Route | Basis                 |
|-------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|
| Acute toxicity (ac. tox. 4)   | ING   | 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

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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.

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### **Section 14: Transport information**

#### 14.1. UN number

**UN number:** UN1993

### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Shipping name: FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.

### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Transport class: 3

### 14.4. Packing group

Packing group: II

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous: No Marine pollutant: No

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

**Tunnel code:** D/E **Transport category:** 2

# **Section 15: Regulatory information**

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

## 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 453/2010.

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