

ACCORDING TO EC-REGULATIONS 1907/2006 (REACH), 1272/2008 (CLP) & 2015/830

SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING
1.1 Product identifier

Product Name 4-Fluoro-3-methylbenzoic acid
 Synonyms 4-Fluoro-m-toluic acid
 Chemical Name 4-Fluoro-3-methylbenzoic acid
 Chemical Formula C₈H₇FO₂
 CAS No. 403-15-6
 EC No. Not available.
 Index No. Not available.
 REACH Registration No. Not applicable.

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

Identified Use(s) PC21 Laboratory chemicals, Research and development use *only*

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Identification Ossila Limited
 Address of Supplier Solpro Business Park
 Windsor Street
 Sheffield
 Postal code S4 7WB, UK
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 Office hours 08:00 - 17:00

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # +44 (0) 20 3885 0382 (CHEMTREC)

Other Regions	Emergency Phone Number (CHEMTREC)
Europe, Middle East, Africa	+44 20 3885 0382
North America	+1 703 527 3887
Central America	+52 55 8526 4930
South America	+55 11 4349 1359
Asia, India, and Oceania	+65 3163 8374

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION
2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP) Skin Irrit. 2: Causes skin irritation
 Eye Irrit. 2: Causes serious eye irritation
 STOT SE 3: May cause respiratory irritation

2.2 Label elements

Product Name According to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP)
 4-Fluoro-3-methylbenzoic acid

Hazard Pictogram(s)



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Signal Word(s) Warning

Hazard Statement(s) H315: Causes skin irritation
 H319: Causes serious eye irritation
 H335: May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary Statement(s) P302 + P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
 P305 + P351 + P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.
 Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
 P312: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.
 P337 + P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

2.4 Additional Information

Not applicable.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

Hazardous ingredient(s)	CAS No.	EC No.	%W/W	Hazard Statement(s)
4-Fluoro-3-methylbenzoic acid	403-15-6	Not available.	≤ 100	Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Eye Irrit. 2 H319 STOT SE 3 H335

3.2 Mixtures

Not applicable.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General Advice First aiders should ensure they have taken adequate steps to protect themselves from exposure (see Section 8 for recommended personal protection equipment) Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Inhalation Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

Skin Contact Rinse skin with water. If skin irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention.

Eye Contact Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Ingestion Rinse out mouth with water. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed, are included on labelling (Section 2.2) and in Section 11.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing media As appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media As appropriate for surrounding fire.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides
Hydrogen fluoride

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Fire fighters should wear complete protective clothing including self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Follow safe handling advice and personal protective equipment recommendations (as per section 8). Provide adequate ventilation.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up spilled substance - avoid making dust. Use vacuum equipment for collecting spilt materials, where practicable. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state or national legislation.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Also Section 8, 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Avoid inhalation, ingestion, and contact with skin and eyes. Use only in a well-ventilated area. Wear protective clothing as per section 8.

Hygiene measures Keep away from food and drink. Wash hands after handling, before breaks, and at the end of workday.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage temperature Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Storage life Ambient.

Incompatible materials Stable under normal conditions.

None known.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

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

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

8.1.1 Occupational Exposure Limits No Occupational Exposure Limit assigned.

8.2 Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls Ensure adequate ventilation and/or exhaust. A washing facility/water for eye and skin cleaning purposes should be present.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment
Eye Protection Wear eye protection with side protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as EN166 (EU).

Hand protection Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use and proper glove removal techniques should be used. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of Regulation (EU) 2016/425 and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Body protection Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place.

Respiratory protection Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N99 (US) or type P2 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls.

Thermal hazards None known.

8.2.3. Environmental Exposure Controls Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Solid: Powder.
Colour	White.
Odour	Not known.
Odour threshold	Not known.
Melting point/freezing point	164 – 168 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not known.
Flammability	Not known.
Lower and upper explosion limit	Not known.
Flash Point	Not known.
Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	Not known.
Decomposition temperature (°C)	Not known.
pH	Not known.
Kinematic viscosity	Not known.
Solubility(ies)	Solubility (Water): Not known. Solubility (Other): Not known.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water (log value)	Not known.
Vapour pressure	Not known.
Density	Not known.
Relative density	Not known.
Relative vapour density	Not known.
Particle characteristics	Not known.

9.2 Other information

None.

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity

None anticipated.

10.2 Chemical Stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not known.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Not known.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Not known.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see Section 5

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity - Ingestion	No data available.
Acute toxicity - Skin Contact	No data available.
Acute toxicity - Inhalation	No data available.
Skin corrosion/irritation	No data available.
Serious eye damage/irritation	No data available.

Skin sensitization data	No data available.
Respiratory sensitization data	No data available.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available.
Carcinogenicity	No data available.
Reproductive toxicity	No data available.
Lactation	No data available.
STOT - single exposure	No data available.
STOT - repeated exposure	No data available.
Aspiration hazard	No data available.

11.2 Information on other hazards

11.2.1 Endocrine disrupting properties	None known.
11.2.2. Information on other hazards	None known.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity - Aquatic invertebrates	No data available.
Toxicity - Fish	No data available.
Toxicity - Algae	No data available.
Toxicity - Sediment Compartment	Not classified.
Toxicity - Terrestrial Compartment	Not classified.

12.2 Persistence and Degradation

Not known.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Not known.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Not known.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

Not known.

12.7 Other adverse effects

Not known.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state or national legislation. Recycle only completely emptied packaging. Normal disposal is via incineration operated by an accredited disposal contractor. Send to a licensed recycler, reclaimer or incinerator.

13.2 Additional Information

Disposal should be in accordance with local, state or national legislation.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IATA/IMO/RID/ADR	Not classified as hazardous for transport.
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SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

European Regulations - Authorisations and/or Restrictions On Use

Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation Not listed

REACH: ANNEX XIV list of substances subject to authorisation Not listed

REACH: Annex XVII Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles Not listed

Community Rolling Action Plan (CoRAP) Regulation (EC) N° 850/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council Not listed

on persistent organic pollutants Regulation (EC) N° 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer Not listed

Regulation (EU) N° 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council Not listed

concerning the export and import of
hazardous chemicals

National regulations

Other

Not known.

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

A REACH chemical safety assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The following sections contain revisions or new statements:

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Acronyms

ADN : European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR : European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
CAS : Chemical Abstracts Service
CLP : Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures
DNEL : Derived No Effect Level
EC : European Community
EINECS : European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
IATA : International Air Transport Association
IBC : Intermediate Bulk Container
ICAO : International Civil Aviation Organization
IMDG : International Maritime Dangerous Goods
LTEL : Long term exposure limit
PBT : Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
PNEC : Predicted No Effect Concentration
REACH : Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals
RID : Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
STEL : Short term exposure limit
STOT : Specific Target Organ Toxicity
UN : United Nations
vPvB : very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

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