

# Material Safety Data Sheet

## 2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile, 97%

ACC# 24583

### Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

**MSDS Name:** 2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile, 97%

**Catalog Numbers:** AC113220000, AC113220050, AC113220250, AC113221000

**Synonyms:** Dichlobenil.

**Company Identification:**

Acros Organics N.V.

One Reagent Lane

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**For information in North America, call:** 800-ACROS-01

**For emergencies in the US, call CHEMTREC:** 800-424-9300

### Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

CAS#	Chemical Name	Percent	EINECS/ELINCS
1194-65-6	2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile	97	214-787-5

### Section 3 - Hazards Identification

#### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

**Appearance:** light brown crystalline powder.

**Caution!** May be harmful if absorbed through the skin. May cause eye and skin irritation. May cause respiratory tract irritation. The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated.

**Target Organs:** None.

#### Potential Health Effects

**Eye:** May cause eye irritation.

**Skin:** May cause skin irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

**Ingestion:** May cause irritation of the digestive tract.

**Inhalation:** May cause respiratory tract irritation.

**Chronic:** Animal studies have reported the development of tumors.

### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Eyes:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical aid immediately.

**Skin:** Get medical aid immediately. Flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse.

**Ingestion:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid immediately. Do NOT induce vomiting. If conscious and alert, rinse mouth and drink 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water.

**Inhalation:** Get medical aid immediately. Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

**Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.

### Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**General Information:** As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

**Extinguishing Media:** In case of fire, use water, dry chemical, chemical foam, or alcohol-resistant foam.

**Flash Point:** Not available.

**Autoignition Temperature:** Not available.

**Explosion Limits, Lower:** Not available.

**Upper:** Not available.

**NFPA Rating:** (estimated) Health: ; Flammability: ; Instability:

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**General Information:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

**Spills/Leaks:** Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Sweep up, then place into a suitable container for disposal. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation.

### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

**Storage:** Keep container closed when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:** Use process enclosure, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels.

### Exposure Limits

Chemical Name	ACGIH	NIOSH	OSHA - Final PELs
2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile	none listed	none listed	none listed

**OSHA Vacated PELs:** 2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

### Personal Protective Equipment

**Eyes:** 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:** Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to minimize contact with skin.

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

## Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical State:** Crystalline powder

**Appearance:** light brown

**Odor:** aromatic odor

**pH:** Not available.

**Vapor Pressure:** 0.002 mbar @ 25

**Vapor Density:** Not available.

**Evaporation Rate:** Not available.

**Viscosity:** Not available.

**Boiling Point:** 270-275 deg C

**Freezing/Melting Point:** 142-147 deg C

**Decomposition Temperature:** Not available.

**Solubility:** Slightly soluble.

**Specific Gravity/Density:** Not available.

**Molecular Formula:** C<sub>7</sub>H<sub>3</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>N

**Molecular Weight:** 172.01

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Dust generation.

**Incompatibilities with Other Materials:** Strong oxidizing agents.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Hydrogen chloride, nitrogen oxides, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Has not been reported.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

### RTECS#:

**CAS#** 1194-65-6: DI3500000

### LD50/LC50:

**CAS#** 1194-65-6:

Oral, mouse: LD<sub>50</sub> = 2056 mg/kg;

Oral, rabbit: LD<sub>50</sub> = 270 mg/kg;

Oral, rat: LD<sub>50</sub> = 2710 mg/kg;

Skin, rabbit: LD<sub>50</sub> = 1350 mg/kg;

### Carcinogenicity:

CAS# 1194-65-6: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

**Epidemiology:** No information found

**Teratogenicity:** No data available.

**Reproductive Effects:** No information found

**Mutagenicity:** No information found

**Neurotoxicity:** No information found

**Other Studies:**

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity:** Fish: Fathead Minnow: LC50 = 6.0 mg/L; 96 Hr.; Static Conditions  
Fish: Rainbow trout: LC50 = 140 mg/L; 96 Hr.; Static Conditions  
Fish: Bluegill/Sunfish: LC50 = 120 mg/L; 96 Hr.; Static Conditions  
Water flea: EC50 = 10 mg/L; 48 Hr.; Unspecified Conditions  
No data available.

**Environmental:** TERRESTRIAL FATE: Upon release to the soil the primary fate of dichlobenil is expected to be volatilization. The compound is expected to leach only slowly to the groundwater due to its low water solubility (18 ppm) and moderate KOC value. Negligible leaching was observed in field studies in which less than 2% of applied herbicides were detected at depths of 5-10 cm.

**Physical:** No information available.

**Other:** ATMOSPHERIC FATE: A half-life of 22 days was estimated for the reaction of dichlobenil with hydroxyl radicals. No information concerning the photolysis of dichlobenil is available. Based on the absorption maximum of 298 nm (E=2,100) of dichlobenil in methanol, it is possible that photolysis of the herbicide can occur in the environment. However, photolysis is not expected to be a major fate process.

## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

**RCRA P-Series:** None listed.

**RCRA U-Series:** None listed.

## Section 14 - Transport Information

	US DOT	Canada TDG
<b>Shipping Name:</b>	TOXIC SOLIDS, ORGANIC, N.O.S.	No information available.
<b>Hazard Class:</b>	6.1	
<b>UN Number:</b>	UN2811	
<b>Packing Group:</b>	III	

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

### US FEDERAL

#### TSCA

CAS# 1194-65-6 is not listed on the TSCA inventory. It is for research and development use only.

#### Health & Safety Reporting List

None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

#### Chemical Test Rules

None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

#### Section 12b

None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

#### TSCA Significant New Use Rule

None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

#### CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs

CAS# 1194-65-6: 100 lb final RQ; 45.4 kg final RQ

#### SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

#### Section 313

No chemicals are reportable under Section 313.

#### Clean Air Act:

This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants.

This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depleters.

This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depleters.

#### Clean Water Act:

CAS# 1194-65-6 is listed as a Hazardous Substance under the CWA.

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA.

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

#### OSHA:

None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

#### STATE

CAS# 1194-65-6 can be found on the following state right to know lists: California, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts.

#### California Prop 65

California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

#### European/International Regulations

#### European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

#### Hazard Symbols:

XN N

#### Risk Phrases:

R 21 Harmful in contact with skin.

R 51/53 Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

#### Safety Phrases:

S 36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

S 61 Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions /safety data sheets.

**WGK (Water Danger/Protection)**

CAS# 1194-65-6: No information available.

**Canada - DSL/NDSL**

None of the chemicals in this product are listed on the DSL or NDSL list.

**Canada - WHMIS**

This product has a WHMIS classification of D2A.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

**Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List**

## Section 16 - Additional Information

**MSDS Creation Date:** 6/15/1999

**Revision #3 Date:** 10/03/2005

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