

Specification Sheet

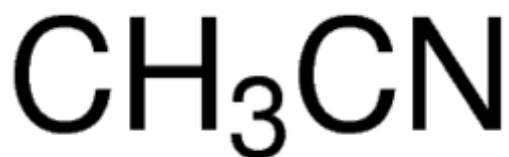
34998 Sigma-Aldrich

Acetonitrile

HPLC Plus, ≥99.9%

Synonym: ACN, Cyanomethane, Ethyl nitrile, Methyl cyanide

- CAS Number [75-05-8](#)
- Linear Formula CH₃CN
- Molecular Weight 41.05
- Beilstein/REAXYS Number 741857
- EC Number [200-835-2](#)
- MDL number [MFCD00001878](#)
- eCI@ss 39031501
- PubChem Substance ID [329755104](#)
- NACRES NA.03



SKU-Pack Size	Availability	Pack Size	Price (SGD)	Quantity
34998-1L	Estimated to ship on 28.04.2021 - FROM	1 L	199.24	<input type="text" value="0"/>
34998-2.5L	Estimated to ship on 05.05.2021 - FROM	2.5 L	297.56	<input type="text" value="0"/>
34998-6X1L	Estimated to ship on 04.05.2021 - FROM	6 x 1 L	905.62	<input type="text" value="0"/>
34998-4X2.5L	Estimated to ship on 04.05.2021 - FROM	4 x 2.5 L	991.87	<input type="text" value="0"/>

Properties

Related Categories

[Acetonitrile and Acetonitrile Solutions](#), [Analytical Reagents](#), [Analytical/Chromatography](#), [Chromatography Reagents](#), [HPLC Plus Grade Solvents](#),



Quality Level	100
grade	HPLC Plus
vapor density	1.41 (vs air)
vapor pressure	72.8 mmHg (20 °C)
assay	≥99.9%
form	liquid
autoignition temp.	973 °F
expl. lim.	16 %
baseline drift measuring range	≤12 mAU (210 nm)
application(s)	HPLC: suitable
	IR spectroscopy: suitable
impurities	≤0.0001% free alkali (as NH ₃)
	≤0.0002% non-volatile matter
	≤0.001% free acid (as CH ₃ COOH)
	≤0.01% water (Karl Fischer)
	≤0.5 ppb fluorescence (quinine) at 254 nm
	≤0.5 ppb fluorescence (quinine) at 365 nm
halogenated residue	10 ng/L (as heptachlor epoxide)
refractive index	<i>n</i> _{20/D} 1.344 (lit.)



bp	81-82 °C (lit.)
mp	-45 °C (lit.)
density	0.786 g/mL at 25 °C (lit.)
HPLC-gradient	≤0.2 mAU at 254 nm
	≤1 mAU at 210 nm
λ	H ₂ O reference
UV absorption	λ: 195 nm A _{max} : ≤0.10
	λ: 200 nm A _{max} : ≤0.02
	λ: 228 nm A _{max} : ≤0.005
	λ: 235 nm A _{max} : ≤0.0044
	λ: 250 nm A _{max} : ≤0.0044
	λ: 400 nm A _{max} : ≤0.0044
Featured Industry	Food and Beverages
storage temp.	room temp
SMILES string	CC#N
InChI	1S/C2H3N/c1-2-3/h1H3
InChI key	WEVYAHXRMPXWCK-UHFFFAOYSA-N

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Description

General description

Acetonitrile (MeCN) is widely employed as a solvent in various studies and has high dielectric constant (37.5). Various purification procedures to obtain different grades of acetonitrile for use in different studies (polarography, spectroscopy, etc.) have been reported by many researchers.^[2]

Application

Acetonitrile has been used to compose the gradient system for the HPLC detection of diphenylmethane diisocyanate, a polymeric degradation product.^[1]

New Quality UPLC Plus Acetonitrile is suitable for all applications including:

Mass spectrometry, HPLC, TLC, GPC, UV, IR, GC, Pesticide Residue Analysis, and RNA/DNA Synthesis and Purification.

Packaging

1, 6x1, 2.5, 4x2.5, 4, 4x4 L in glass bottle

20 L in Nowpak™

20, 50 L in Pure-Pac™ 2

200 L in Pure-Pac™ 1

View [returnable container options](#).

200 L in Pure-Pac™ 2

Preparation Note

Product filtered through a 0.2 µm filter

Other Notes

Pure-Pac® II containers require the Micromatic MacroValve coupler for dispensing solvents, [Z560723](#).

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