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CYANIDES, INORGANIC (other than sodium cyanide and potassium cyanide)		
Barium cyanide Calcium cyanide	1565 1575	
Copper cyanide Nickel cyanide Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s. Silver cyanide	1587 1653 1588 1684	2X

*White or green crystals or powder. Silver cyanide darkens on exposure to light.
On contact with acid, acid fumes, steam or water can produce highly toxic and flammable hydrogen cyanide gas, which has a faint almond-like odour. (Odour not detectable by 60% of the population.)
Toxic if swallowed, by skin contact or dust inhalation.
Environmental hazard—contain spillage.*

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

POLICE OR FIRE BRIGADE: Dial 000
POISONS INFORMATION CENTRE: Dial 13 11 26

Organization	Location	Telephone	Ask for

Include area code in brackets

HAZARDS

Fire	Fire or heat will produce irritating, poisonous and flammable vapours and gases. Runoff may pollute waterways.
Health	POISONOUS, MAY BE FATAL IF INHALED, SWALLOWED OR ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. Inhalation, ingestion or contact with substance may cause severe injury or death. Effects of contact or inhalation may be delayed. Runoff from fire control or dilution water may be poisonous and pollute waterways.

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*

Emergency responders	Wear SCBA and chemical splash suit. Fully-encapsulating, gas-tight suit should be worn for maximum protection. Structural firefighter's uniform is NOT effective for these materials.
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