PRODUCT CODE

CX-18

CHEMICAL NAME

3-(Hydroxyphenylphosphinyl)propanoic acid

CHEMICAL

FORMULA(STRUCTURE)

O O CsHs - P - CH₂ - CH₂C - OH OH

CAS NO.

14657-64-8

MOLECULAR WEIGHT

214

APPEARANCE FORM

WHITE SOLID

ASSAY

99%

MELTING PT.°C

160

SOLUBILITY

3.3% IN WATER @25°C

APPLICATION

Flame retarded linear polyester polymers are obtained by incorporating CX-18 via condensation reaction. For example, polyethylene terephthalate modified with CX-18 is used for FR filaments, fibers, sheets and

injection molded articles.

CHEMICAL REACTIVITY

Intermediate for condensation polymerization route to

Polymeric phosphinates.