

SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product identifier: Perchloric acid

Other means of identification

Product No.: 2764, 2766, 3999, 4806, 8828, 9359, 9656, 9653, 9652

Recommended use and restriction on use

Recommended use: For Laboratory, Research or Manufacturing Use.

Restrictions on use: Not determined.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. Hazard identification

Hazard Classification

Physical Hazards

Oxidizing liquids	Category 1
Corrosive to metal	Category 1

Health Hazards

Acute toxicity (Oral)	Category 4
Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 1A
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 1
Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure	Category 3 ¹

Target Organs

1.respiratory tract irritation

Unknown toxicity - Health

Acute toxicity, oral	0 %
Acute toxicity, dermal	60 %
Acute toxicity, inhalation, vapor	60 %
Acute toxicity, inhalation, dust or mist	60 %

Label Elements

Hazard Symbol:



Signal Word: Danger

Hazard Statement: May cause fire or explosion; strong oxidizer.
May be corrosive to metals.
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Harmful if swallowed.
May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary Statements

Prevention: Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Wear fire resistant or flame retardant clothing. Keep wetted with water. Keep only in original packaging. Keep away from clothing and other combustible materials. Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

Response: In case of fire: Use water spray, foam, dry powder or carbon dioxide for extinction. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage. In case of major fire and large quantities: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion. IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower]. IF ON CLOTHING: rinse immediately contaminated clothing and skin with plenty of water before removing clothes. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Storage: Store locked up. Store in a corrosion-resistant container with a resistant inner liner. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Disposal: Dispose of contents/container to an appropriate treatment and disposal facility in accordance with applicable laws and regulations, and product characteristics at time of disposal.

Other hazards which do not result in GHS classification: None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	Content in percent (%)*
Perchloric acid		7601-90-3	60 - 72%

* All concentrations are percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.

4. First-aid measures

General information:	Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
Ingestion:	Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Do NOT induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs, keep head low so that stomach content doesn't get into the lungs.
Inhalation:	Move to fresh air. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. If breathing stops, provide artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.
Skin Contact:	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Destroy or thoroughly clean contaminated shoes.
Eye contact:	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If easy to do, remove contact lenses. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. In case of irritation from airborne exposure, move to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Symptoms:	Corrosive to skin and eyes. Causes digestive tract burns. Spray mists may cause respiratory tract irritation.
Hazards:	None known.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment:	Treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.
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5. Fire-fighting measures

General Fire Hazards:	Contact with combustible material may cause fire. Severe corrosive hazard. Wear chemical protection suits.
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Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:	Foam, carbon dioxide or dry powder.
Unsuitable extinguishing media:	Water may be ineffective in fighting the fire.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical:	Strong oxidizer - contact with other material may cause fire. Runoff may create fire or explosion hazard. Contact with combustible material may cause fire. These substances will accelerate burning when involved in a fire. Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases.
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Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Special fire fighting procedures:	Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool. Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out.
Special protective equipment for fire-fighters:	Firefighters must use standard protective equipment including flame retardant coat, helmet with face shield, gloves, rubber boots, and in enclosed spaces, SCBA. Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:	Keep unauthorized personnel away. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Use personal protective equipment. See Section 8 of the SDS for Personal Protective Equipment. Ventilate closed spaces before entering them. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing.
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:	Keep combustibles (wood, paper, oil, etc.) away from spilled material. Stop leak if possible without any risk. Do not absorb in sawdust or other combustible materials. Absorb spill with vermiculite or other inert material. Collect in a non-combustible container for prompt disposal. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination. Dike far ahead of larger spill for later recovery and disposal.
Notification Procedures:	Dike for later disposal. Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Inform authorities if large amounts are involved.
Environmental Precautions:	Do not contaminate water sources or sewer. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling:	Keep away from combustible material. Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using the product. Do not taste or swallow. Never add water to acid! Never pour water into acid/base. Dilute by slowly pouring the product into water while stirring.
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:	Do not store in metal containers. Store away from heat and light. Keep away from combustible material. Keep containers closed when not in use. Store in a cool, dry place. Keep container in a well-ventilated place.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control Parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits

None of the components have assigned exposure limits.

Appropriate Engineering Controls

No data available.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

General information:	Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. An eye wash and safety shower must be available in the immediate work area.
Eye/face protection:	Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) and a face shield.
Skin Protection	
Hand Protection:	Chemical resistant gloves
Other:	Wear suitable protective clothing.
Respiratory Protection:	In case of inadequate ventilation use suitable respirator. Chemical respirator with acid gas cartridge.
Hygiene measures:	Provide eyewash station and safety shower. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing to remove contaminants. Discard contaminated footwear that cannot be cleaned.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state:	Liquid
Form:	Liquid
Color:	Colorless to yellow
Odor:	Odorless
Odor threshold:	No data available.
pH:	No data available.
Melting point/freezing point:	-18 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	203 °C
Flash Point:	No data available.
Evaporation rate:	No data available.
Flammability (solid, gas):	No data available.
Upper/lower limit on flammability or explosive limits	
Flammability limit - upper (%):	No data available.
Flammability limit - lower (%):	No data available.
Explosive limit - upper (%):	No data available.
Explosive limit - lower (%):	No data available.
Vapor pressure:	0,91 kPa
Vapor density:	No data available.
Density:	1,6 g/ml (20 °C)
Relative density:	1,6 (20 °C)
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility in water:	Soluble
Solubility (other):	No data available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	No data available.
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available.
Decomposition temperature:	No data available.
Viscosity:	No data available.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity:	Reacts violently with strong alkaline substances.
Chemical Stability:	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions:	Hazardous polymerization does not occur. Decomposes on heating.
Conditions to avoid:	Reacts violently with strong alkaline substances. Avoid contact with strong reducing agents. Excessive heat. Contact with incompatible materials. Light.
Incompatible Materials:	Alcohols. Reducing agents. Metals. Alkalies. Flammable/combustible material. Organic compounds. Bases.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	By heating and fire, corrosive vapors/gases may be formed. Oxides of Carbon. Hydrogen Chloride.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation:	May cause damage to mucous membranes in nose, throat, lungs and bronchial system.
Skin Contact:	Causes severe skin burns.
Eye contact:	Causes serious eye damage.
Ingestion:	May cause burns of the gastrointestinal tract if swallowed.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (list all possible routes of exposure)

Oral Product:	ATEmix (Rat): 1.527,78 mg/kg
Dermal Product:	No data available.
Inhalation Product:	No data available.

Repeated dose toxicity Product:	No data available.
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Skin Corrosion/Irritation Product:	Causes severe skin burns.
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Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Product:	Causes serious eye damage.
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Respiratory or Skin Sensitization

Product: Not a skin nor a respiratory sensitizer.

Carcinogenicity Product: This substance has no evidence of carcinogenic properties.

IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of Carcinogenic Risks to Humans:
No carcinogenic components identified

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens:
No carcinogenic components identified

ACGIH Carcinogen List:
No carcinogenic components identified

Germ Cell Mutagenicity

In vitro Product: No mutagenic components identified

In vivo Product: No mutagenic components identified

Reproductive toxicity Product: No components toxic to reproduction

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure Product: Respiratory tract irritation.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure Product: None known.

Aspiration Hazard Product: Not classified

Other effects: None known.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity:

Acute hazards to the aquatic environment:

Fish Product: No data available.

Specified substance(s):
Perchloric acid
EC 50 (Lepomis macrochirus, 96 h): 1.470 mg/l
NOAEL (Lepomis macrochirus, 96 h): 547 mg/l
NOAEL (Oncorhynchus mykiss, 96 h): 1.460 mg/l
EC 50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss, 96 h): 2.010 mg/l
LOAEL (Lepomis macrochirus, 96 h): 1.260 mg/l

Aquatic Invertebrates Product: No data available.

Specified substance(s):
Perchloric acid
EC 50 (Daphnia magna, 48 h): > 100 mg/l

Chronic hazards to the aquatic environment:

Fish

Product: No data available.

Specified substance(s):

Perchloric acid
LOAEL (Danio rerio, 12 Weeks): 0,01 mg/l
NOAEL (Danio rerio, 12 Weeks): 10 mg/l

Aquatic Invertebrates

Product: No data available.

Toxicity to Aquatic Plants

Product: No data available.

Persistence and Degradability

Biodegradation

Product: There are no data on the degradability of this product.

BOD/COD Ratio

Product: No data available.

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioconcentration Factor (BCF)

Product: No data available on bioaccumulation.

Partition Coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)

Product: No data available.

Mobility in soil:

The product is water soluble and may spread in water systems.

Other adverse effects:

The product may affect the acidity (pH-factor) in water with risk of harmful effects to aquatic organisms.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions:

Discharge, treatment, or disposal may be subject to national, state, or local laws.

Contaminated Packaging:

Since emptied containers retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

14. Transport information

TDG

UN Number:	UN 1873
UN Proper Shipping Name:	PERCHLORIC ACID
Transport Hazard Class(es)	
Class:	5.1
Label(s):	5.1, 8
Packing Group:	I
Marine Pollutant:	No

Special precautions for user: Keep away from alkalis.

IMDG

UN Number: UN 1873
 UN Proper Shipping Name: PERCHLORIC ACID
 Transport Hazard Class(es)
 Class: 5.1
 Label(s): 5.1, 8
 EmS No.: F-A, S-Q
 Packing Group: I
 Marine Pollutant: No
 Special precautions for user: Keep away from alkalis.

IATA

UN Number: UN 1873
 UN Proper Shipping Name: Perchloric acid
 Transport Hazard Class(es):
 Class: 5.1
 Label(s): 5.1, 8
 Packing Group: I
 Marine Pollutant: No
 Special precautions for user: Keep away from alkalis.
 Cargo aircraft only: Allowed.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code: Not applicable

15. Regulatory information

Canada Federal Regulations

List of Toxic Substances (CEPA, Schedule 1)

Not Regulated

Export Control List (CEPA 1999, Schedule 3)

Not Regulated

National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI)

Canada. National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI) Substances, Part 5, VOCs with Additional Reporting Requirements

NPRI PT5 Not Regulated

Canada. National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI) (Schedule 1, Parts 1-4)

NPRI Not Regulated

Greenhouse Gases

Not Regulated

Controlled Drugs and Substances Act

CA CDSI Not Regulated
 CA CDSII Not Regulated
 CA CDSIII Not Regulated
 CA CDSIV Not Regulated
 CA CDSV Not Regulated
 CA CDSVII Not Regulated
 CA CDSVIII Not Regulated

Precursor Control Regulations

Not Regulated

International regulations

Montreal protocol

Not applicable

Stockholm convention

Not applicable

Rotterdam convention

Not applicable

Kyoto protocol

Not applicable

Inventory Status:

Australia AICS:	On or in compliance with the inventory
Canada DSL Inventory List:	On or in compliance with the inventory
EINECS, ELINCS or NLP:	On or in compliance with the inventory
Japan (ENCS) List:	On or in compliance with the inventory
China Inv. Existing Chemical Substances:	On or in compliance with the inventory
Korea Existing Chemicals Inv. (KECI):	On or in compliance with the inventory
Philippines PICCS:	On or in compliance with the inventory
US TSCA Inventory:	On or in compliance with the inventory
New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals:	On or in compliance with the inventory
Japan ISHL Listing:	Not in compliance with the inventory.
Mexico INSQ:	On or in compliance with the inventory
Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory:	On or in compliance with the inventory

16. Other information

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Source of information: Sources of information used in preparing this SDS included one or more of the following: results from in house or supplier toxicology studies, information from the Toxicology Data Network (TOXNET), European Chemical Agency (ECHA) substance dossiers, IARC Monographs, US National Toxicology Program data, the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry, other manufacturer's SDSs and other sources, as appropriate.

Further Information: No data available.

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