# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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GENERIC EU MSDS - NO COUNTRY SPECIFIC DATA - NO OEL DATA

# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Trichloroacetic acid

Product Number : T6399

Brand : Sigma-Aldrich Index-No. : 607-004-00-7

REACH No. : A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance

tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged

CAS-No. : 76-03-9

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Chemie GmbH

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### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

# 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

# Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Skin corrosion (Category 1A), H314

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H400 Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H410

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

### 2.2 Label elements

# Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Pictogram

Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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Precautionary statement(s)

P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face

protection.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Rinse skin with water/shower.

P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for

breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Supplemental Hazard

Statements

none

### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher. Vesicant.

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : TCA

Formula : C<SB>2</>HCl<SB>3</>O<SB>2</>

Molecular weight : 163,39 g/mol CAS-No. : 76-03-9 EC-No. : 200-927-2 Index-No. : 607-004-00-7

Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component		Classification	Concentration
Trichloroacetic acid			
CAS-No.	76-03-9	Skin Corr. 1A; STOT SE 3;	<= 100 %
EC-No.	200-927-2	Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic	
Index-No.	607-004-00-7	Chronic 1; H314, H335, H400, H410	
		M-Factor - Aquatic Acute: 10	
		M-Factor - Aquatic Acute: 10	

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

# 4.1 Description of first aid measures

### **General advice**

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

### In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

# 5.1 Extinguishing media

### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

# 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas

# 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### 5.4 Further information

No data available

### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

# 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store under nitrogen. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store in cool place.

Recommended storage temperature 2 - 8 °C

Storage class (TRGS 510): Non-combustible, corrosive hazardous materials

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

### 8.1 Control parameters

# 8.2 Exposure controls

### Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

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### Personal protective equipment

### Eye/face protection

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Full contact

Material: Nature latex/chloroprene Minimum layer thickness: 0,6 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Lapren® (KCL 706 / Aldrich Z677558, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nature latex/chloroprene Minimum layer thickness: 0,6 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Lapren® (KCL 706 / Aldrich Z677558, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de,

test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industria situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

### **Body Protection**

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If th full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

# Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: crystalline

Colour: off-white

b) Odour
c) Odour Threshold
d) pH
No data available
1 at 81,7 g/l at 25 °C

e) Melting point/freezing

point

Melting point/range: 54 - 58 °C - lit.

f) Initial boiling point and

196 °C - lit.

boiling range

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g) Flash point > 113 °C - closed cuph) Evaporation rate No data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas) No data available

j) Upper/lower No data available

flammability or explosive limits

k) Vapour pressure 1 mmHg at 51 °C
 l) Vapour density 5,64 - (Air = 1.0)
 m) Relative density 1,62 g/cm3 at 25 °C

n) Water solubility 81,7 g/l at 20 °C - completely soluble

 Partition coefficient: noctanol/water

log Pow: 1,645

p) Auto-ignition temperature

No data available

q) Decomposition temperature

No data available

r) Viscosity No data available
 s) Explosive properties No data available
 t) Oxidizing properties No data available

9.2 Other safety information

Bulk density 900 kg/m3

Surface tension 27,8 mN/m at 80,2 °C

Relative vapour density 5,64 - (Air = 1.0)

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Exposure to moisture Heat

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong bases, Amines

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas In the event of fire: see section 5

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# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 3.320 mg/kg(Trichloroacetic acid)

### Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available(Trichloroacetic acid)

### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit(Trichloroacetic acid)

Result: Severe eye irritation - 5 s

### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available(Trichloroacetic acid)

### Germ cell mutagenicity

in vitro assay(Trichloroacetic acid)

lymphocyte

OECD Test Guideline 474(Trichloroacetic acid)

Mouse - male and female

Result: negative

### Carcinogenicity

No data available(Trichloroacetic acid)

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

### Reproductive toxicity

No data available(Trichloroacetic acid)

### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation. (Trichloroacetic acid)

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available(Trichloroacetic acid)

# **Additional Information**

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male - Oral(Trichloroacetic acid)

RTECS: AJ7875000

burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.(Trichloroacetic acid)

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

# 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available(Trichloroacetic acid)

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

### **Product**

Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chem scrubber. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the Directive on waste 2008/98/EC as well as other national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

## Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 1839 IMDG: 1839 IATA: 1839

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: TRICHLOROACETIC ACID

IMDG: TRICHLOROACETIC ACID. SOLID

IATA: Trichloroacetic acid

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 8 IMDG: 8 IATA: 8

14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: II IMDG: II IATA: II

14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no IMDG Marine pollutant: no IATA: no

14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

# 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

# 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

### **SECTION 16: Other information**

# Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

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### **Further information**

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