# SIGMA-ALDRICH

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 Version 6.0 Revision Date 31.03.2016 Print Date 06.03.2019 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	:	Osmium tetroxide
	Product Number Brand Index-No. REACH No. CAS-No.		201030 SIGALD 076-001-00-5 A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its uses are exempted from registration, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline. 20816-12-0
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 Eschenstrasse 5 D-82024 TAUFKIRCHEN
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	Emergency Phone #	:	0800 181 7059 (CHEMTREC Deutschland) +49 (0)696 43508409 (CHEMTREC weltweit)

# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

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

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 2), H300 Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 1), H330 Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 2), H310 Skin corrosion (Category 1B), H314 Respiratory sensitisation (Category 1), H334

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



Danger

Signal word

Hazard statement(s) H300 + H310 + H330

Fatal if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled

H314 H334	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled
Precautionary statement(s)	
P260	Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P284	Wear respiratory protection.
P301 + P310 + P330	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Rinse mouth.
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.
P342 + P311	If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
P403 + P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
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. Lachrymator.

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

#### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms	: 'Osmic acid' Osmium(VIII)	-oxide
Formula	: 0 <sb>4</sb>	s
		0
Molecular weight	: 254.23 g/mol	
CAS-No.	: 20816-12-0	
EC-No.	: 244-058-7	
Index-No.	: 076-001-00-5	

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

Component		Classification	Concentration
Osmic acid			
CAS-No. EC-No. Index-No.	20816-12-0 244-058-7 076-001-00-5	Acute Tox. 2; Acute Tox. 1; Acute Tox. 2; Skin Corr. 1B; Resp. Sens. 1; H300, H330, H310, H314, H334	<= 100 %

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. Take victim immediately to hospital. 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.

#### 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 Nature of decomposition products not known.

#### **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 Wear respiratory protection. 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.

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

Recommended storage temperature 2 - 8 °C Storage class (TRGS 510): Non-combustible, acute toxic Cat. 1 and 2 / very toxic 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

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

#### 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.

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

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- a) Appearance Form: crystalline, powder
- b) Odour unpleasant
- c) Odour Threshold No data available

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d)	рН	No data available
e)	Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 39.5 - 41 °C - lit.
f)	Initial boiling point and boiling range	130 °C - lit.
g)	Flash point	Not applicable
h)	Evaporation rate	No data available
i)	Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j)	Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k)	Vapour pressure	52 mmHg at 55 °C 7 mmHg at 20 °C
I)	Vapour density	No data available
m)	Relative density	4.900 g/cm3
n)	Water solubility	No data available
o)	Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	No data available
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
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#### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

10.1 Reactivity

9.2

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** No data available

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong reducing agents, Organic materials, Powdered metals, Contact with hydrochloric acid will cause formation of poisonous chlorine gas

# 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Nature of decomposition products not known. Other decomposition products - No data available In the event of fire: see section 5

#### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

Skin corrosion/irritation No data available(Osmic acid)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation No data available(Osmic acid)

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Hamster(Osmic acid) Embryo Unscheduled DNA synthesis

#### Carcinogenicity

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**

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure** No data available(Osmic acid)

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure No data available

**Aspiration hazard** No data available(Osmic acid)

#### **Additional Information**

RTECS: RN1140000

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea(Osmic 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(Osmic 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

No data available

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chem scrubber.

#### **Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

**SECTION 14: Transport information** 

14.1	<b>UN numbe</b> ADR/RID: 2	-	IMDG: 2471	IATA: 2471
14.2		shipping name OSMIUM TETROXIDE OSMIUM TETROXIDE Osmium tetroxide		
14.3	Transport ADR/RID: 6	hazard class(es) 5.1	IMDG: 6.1	IATA: 6.1
14.4	Packaging ADR/RID: I	group	IMDG: I	ΙΑΤΑ: Ι
14.5	<b>Environme</b> ADR/RID: r	ental hazards	IMDG Marine pollutant: yes	IATA: no
14.6	Special pre	ecautions for user ailable		

#### **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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H300 + H310 +	Fatal if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled
H330	
H310	Fatal in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H330	Fatal if inhaled.
H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

#### **Further information**

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