

# spectrum

chemicals & laboratory products

A Division of Spectrum Chemical Mfg. Corp.

Dear Customer,

## This File Contains Both The ANSI Material Safety Data Sheet and The GHS Safety Data Sheet For The Same Product

Spectrum is currently transitioning all chemical product labeling from the ANSI<sup>1</sup> format to the GHS<sup>2</sup> format (see note below). In order to ensure that you receive complete labeling during the transition, we have included both the ANSI MSDS and the GHS SDS in a single file. The ANSI MSDS is given first, followed by the GHS SDS. Please use whichever matches the container label.

### Why It Matters:

The complete precautionary labeling for this chemical consists of BOTH the label on the container AND the matching Material Safety Data Sheet (for ANSI labels) or Safety Data Sheet (for GHS labels). Both elements of the labeling [Label + (M)SDS] are written to be read and understood together, so as to provide complete precautionary information. It is intended for you to read and understood BOTH before handling or using the chemical.

### Picking the Right One: 2 Easy Ways To Tell Whether Your Container Has an ANSI Label or a GHS Label

- 1) GHS labels: any pictogram displayed in the upper left-hand corner will be inside a red diamond. ANSI labels: pictograms, if present, will be inside individual black boxes.
- 2) GHS labels: on the bottom of the right-hand panel of the label, locate the Lot Number. Directly to the left will be a string of control characters, followed by a single letter. For GHS labels, the string of characters will end in "GHS:"

**Label in ANSI Format**

**CAUTION!**  
MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED  
MAY CAUSE EYE AND SKIN IRRITATION  
MAY AFFECT BEHAVIOR AND  
METABOLISM

Do not taste or swallow. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Use with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**FIRST AID:** In case of contact, flush affected area with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and/or jewelry. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If irritation persists, call a physician.

**KEEP FROM CHILDREN**



**BE159      SIZ SY**  
**Benzyl Benzoate**  
(Benzoic Acid  
Phenylmethyl Ester)  
U.S.P.  
CAS 120-51-4

CAUTION: For manufacturing, processing or repacking. Read and understand the label and Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) prior to use.  
For chemical emergency, call (800)424-9300.  
www.SpectrumChemical.com

$C_{11}H_{12}O_2$       F.W. 212.24

Assay	99.0-100.5%
Specific Gravity @ 25°C	1.116-1.120
Freezing Temperature	Min. 18.0°C
Refractive Index @ 20°C	1.565-1.570
Acidity	To pass test

**MAXIMUM LIMITS**

Aldehyde	0.05%
Residual Solvents	To pass test

**FLUSHED WITH NITROGEN**

Lot No. XQ###

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14422 South San Pedro Street  
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**Label in GHS Format**

**WARNING!**

- May irritate if swallowed • May cause central nervous system effects based on animal data
- Do not use or handle • Wear protective gloves
- After handling
- WASH AND DRY IMMEDIATELY! Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Avoid mouth.

**KEEP FROM CHILDREN**

**SPECTRUM**

BE159      SIZ SY

**Benzyl Benzoate**

(Benzoic Acid Phenylmethyl Ester)

U.S.P.

CAS 129-51-4

CAUTION: For industrial use only. Do not use for food or feed. Do not use for medical purposes. Do not use for cosmetic purposes. Do not use for pharmaceutical purposes. Do not use for food or feed. Do not use for medical purposes. Do not use for cosmetic purposes. Do not use for pharmaceutical purposes.

Chemical Emergency: (800)424-9086

www.SpectrumChemical.com

$C_{15}H_{14}O_2$       F.W. 212.24

Assay ..... 99.0-100.5%

Specific Gravity @ 25°C ..... 1.115-1.120

Freezing Temperature ..... Min. 18.0°C

Refractive Index @ 20°C ..... 1.568-1.570

Acidity ..... To pass test

**MAXIMUM LIMITS**

Aldehyde ..... 0.05%

Residual Solvents ..... To pass test

**LIGHT SENSITIVE:** Keep tightly closed in light-resistant containers.

**FLUSHED WITH NITROGEN**

**Lot No. XQ####**

<sup>1</sup> American National Standards Institute

<sup>2</sup> Globally Harmonized System for Hazard Communication

Sincerely,

Regulatory Affairs

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

NFPA	HMIS	Personal Protective Equipment
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Health Hazard	3
Fire Hazard	0
Reactivity	0



See Section 8.

### 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product code:	H1035
Product Name:	HYDROCHLORIC ACID, REAGENT, ACS
Chemical Name:	Hydrochloric Acid
Synonyms:	<b>Muriatic Acid;</b> <b>Chlorohydric acid;</b> <b>Spirits of salt</b> <b>Acide chlorhydrique (French)</b>
Recommended use:	In the production of chloride; refining ore in the production of tin and tantalum; for the neutralization of basic systems; as a laboratory reagent; as a catalyst and solvent in organic synthesis; for oil and gas-well treatment; in removing scale from boilers and heat exchange equipment; pharmaceutical aid (acidifier); in the manufacture of phosphoric acid and in the production of ammonium chloride; metal treating agent (steel pickling); in food processing as a starch modifier; in the manufacturer of sodium glutamate; in the manufacturer of gelatin; in the conversion of cornstarch to syrup; in the brewing industry; in sugar refining; in the manufacture of fertilizers, dyes and dyestuffs, artificial silks, pigments for paints; in electroplating, leather tanning, the photographic industry, in soap refining, in the textile industry, in the rubber industry; in petroleum activation; metal cleaning operations; recovery of zinc from galvanized iron scrap..
CAS #:	7647--01-0
RTECS #	MW4025000
Formula:	HCl
CI#:	Not available
Supplier:	Spectrum Chemicals and Laboratory Products, Inc. 14422 South San Pedro St. Gardena, CA 90248 (310) 516-8000
Order Online At:	<a href="https://www.spectrumchemical.com">https://www.spectrumchemical.com</a>
Emergency Telephone Number:	CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300
Contact Person:	Regina Wachenheim (East Coast)
Contact Person:	Martin LaBenz (West Coast)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

#### DANGER CORROSIVE!

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes

**Odor:**  
Pungent. Irritating.

**Physical state:**  
Liquid.

**Appearance:**  
No information available

**Color:**  
Colorless. Light yellow.

### OSHA Regulatory Status

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

#### Principal Routes of Exposure:

Skin. Inhalation. Ingestion.

#### Acute Potential Health Effects:

##### Skin Contact:

Causes skin burns.

##### Eye Contact:

Causes eye burns.

##### Inhalation:

Causes chemical burns to the respiratory tract.

##### Ingestion:

Causes burns. Can burn mouth, throat, and stomach. May affect the cardiovascular system. May cause central nervous system effects. It may affect the kidneys. May affect respiration.

#### Chronic Potential Health Effects:

##### Component

Water  
7732-18-5 (62-80)  
Hydrogen chloride  
7647-01-0 (20-38)

##### Carcinogen Status:

Not applicable

A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen by ACGIH

Group 3 - Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans by IARC

#### Target Organs:

Skin. Eyes. Respiratory system.

#### Mutagenic Effects:

Animal experiments showed mutagenic effects

Cytogenetic Analysis - chromosome aberration test (Chinese Hamster ovary):

Genotoxic effects were observed

#### Teratogenic Effects:

No information available

**Aggravated Medical Conditions:** No information available

See Section 11 for additional Toxicological Information

### POTENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS

No information available

**Product code:** H1035

**Product name:** HYDROCHLORIC  
ACID, REAGENT, ACS

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### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %
Water	7732-18-5	62-80
Hydrogen chloride	7647-01-0	20-38

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

<b>General Advice:</b>	Poison information centres in each State capital city can provide additional assistance for scheduled poisons (13 1126). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves. First aider needs to protect himself.
<b>Skin Contact:</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. Continue flushing with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove all contaminated clothes and shoes. Immediate medical attention is required. Call a physician immediately.
<b>Eye Contact:</b>	Flush eye with water for 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required. Call a physician immediately.
<b>Inhalation:</b>	Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. WARNING! It may be hazardous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation when the inhaled or ingested material is toxic, infectious or corrosive. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required. Call a physician immediately.
<b>Ingestion:</b>	Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Do not give Sodium Bicarbonate (Baking Soda). Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If victim is conscious, give water or milk. Immediate medical attention is required. Call a physician or Poison Control Centre immediately.
<b>Notes to Physician:</b>	Treat symptomatically

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Flammable Properties

<b>Flashpoint (°C/°F):</b>	No information available.
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**Flash Point Tested according to:**  
Not available

<b>Lower Explosion Limit (%):</b>	No information available
<b>Upper Explosion Limit (%):</b>	No information available

<b>Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F):</b>	No information available
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<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media:</b>	The product is not flammable. If it is involved in a fire, extinguish the fire using an agent suitable for the type of surrounding fire.
<b>Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:</b>	No information available.
<b>Hazardous Combustion Products:</b>	No information available.

**Specific hazards:**

Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas. Calcium carbide reacts with hydrogen chloride gas with incandescence. Uranium phosphide reacts with hydrochloric acid to release spontaneously flammable phosphine. Rubidium acetylene carbide burns with slightly warm Hydrochloric acid. Lithium silicide in contact with hydrogen chloride becomes incandescent. When dilute hydrochloric acid is used, gas that is spontaneously flammable in air is evolved. Magnesium boride treated with concentrated hydrochloric acid produces spontaneously flammable gas. Cesium acetylene carbide burns in hydrogen chloride gas. Cesium carbide ignites in contact with Hydrochloric acid unless acid is dilute. Hydrogen chloride in contact with the following can cause an explosion, ignition on contact, or other violent/vigorous reaction: Acetic anhydride AgCIO + CCl4 Alcohols + hydrogen cyanide, Aluminum Aluminum-titanium alloys (with HCl vapor), 2-Amino ethanol, Ammonium hydroxide, Calcium carbide Ca3P2 Chlorine + dinitroanilines (evolves gas), Chlorosulfonic acid Cesium carbide Cesium acetylene carbide, 1,1-Difluoroethylene Ethylene diamine Ethylene imine, Fluorine, HClO4 Hexalithium disilicide H2SO4 Metal acetylides or carbides, Magnesium boride, Mercuric sulfate, Oleum, Potassium permanganate, beta-Propiolactone Propylene oxide Rubidium carbide, Rubidium, acetylene carbide Sodium (with aqueous HCl), Sodium hydroxide Sodium tetraselenium, Sulfonic acid, Tetraselenium tetranitride, U3P4 , Vinyl acetate.. Silver perchlorate with carbon tetrachloride in the presence of hydrochloric acid produces trichloromethyl perchlorate which detonates at 40 deg. C.

**Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters:**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear

**Specific Methods:**

No information available.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions:**

Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

**Environmental Precautions:**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Should not be released into the environment. Do not let product enter drains. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

**Methods for Cleaning Up:**

Neutralize with Sodium carbonate or Sodium bicarbonate. Dilute with water. Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. vermiculite, dry sand or earth), then place in a suitable chemical waste container. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## Handling

### Technical Measures/Precautions:

Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Keep away from incompatible materials.

### Safe Handling Advice:

Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not ingest. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## Storage

### Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. May corrode metallic surfaces. Do not store in uncoated metallic containers. Store in a segregated and approved area. Store away from incompatible materials.

### Incompatible Materials:

Oxidizing agents. Metals. Alkalis. Organic materials. Water.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Engineering measures to reduce exposure:

Ensure adequate ventilation. Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors and mist below their respective threshold limit value.

### Personal Protective Equipment

**Eye protection:** Face-shield.

**Skin and body protection:** Chemical resistant protective suit. Gloves. boots.

**Respiratory protection:** Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.

**Hygiene measures:** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

### National occupational exposure limits

#### United States

Components	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WHEEL
Water - 7732-18-5	None	None	None	None
Hydrogen chloride - 7647-01-0	5 ppm Ceiling 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling	5 ppm Ceiling 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling	2 ppm Ceiling	None

#### Canada

Components	Alberta	British Columbia	Ontario	Quebec
Water 7732-18-5	None	None	None	None
Hydrogen chloride 7647-01-0	2 ppm Ceiling 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling	2 ppm Ceiling	2 ppm Ceiling	5 ppm Ceiling 7.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling

#### Australia and Mexico

Components	Australia	Mexico
Water 7732-18-5	None	None
Hydrogen chloride 7647-01-0	None	5 ppm Ceiling 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Physical state:**

Liquid.

**Appearance:**

No information available

**Color:**

Colorless. Light yellow.

**Odor:**

Pungent. Irritating.

**Taste**

No information available

**Molecular/Formula weight:**

No information available

**Flash point (°C):**

No data available

**Lower Explosion Limit (%):**

No information available

**Upper Explosion Limit (%):**

No information available

**Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F):**

No information available

**Melting point/range(°C/°F):**

-62.25°C (-80°F) (20.69% HCl in water)

-46.2 C (31.24% HCl in water)

-25.4 C (39.17% HCl in water)

**Boiling point/range(°C/°F):**

108.58 C @ 760 mm Hg (for 20.22% HCl in water)

83 C @ 760 mm Hg (for 31% HCl in water)

50.5 C (for 37% HCl in water)

**pH:**

No information available

**Specific gravity:**

1.1- 1.19 (Water = 1)

1.10 (20%and 22% HCl solutions)

1.12 (24% HCl solution)

1.15 (29.57% HCl solution)

1.16 (32% HCl solution)

1.186 - 1.19 (37% and 38%HCl solutions)

**Density (g/cm3):**

No information available

**Decomposition temperature(°C/°F):**

No information available

**Bulk density:**

No information available

**Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa):**

No information available

**Evaporation rate:**

No information available

**Vapor density:**

1.267

**VOC content (g/L):**

No information available

**Odor threshold (ppm):**

0.25 to 10 ppm

**Partition coefficient**

**(n-octanol/water):**

No information available

**Miscibility:**

No information available

**Solubility:**

Soluble in Ether

Soluble in Water

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Stability:**

Stable at normal conditions

**Conditions to avoid:**

Stable at normal conditions

**Incompatible Materials:**

Oxidizing agents. Metals. Alkalis. Organic materials. Water.

**Hazardous decomposition products:**

Hydrogen chloride gas. Hydrogen. Hydrogen, by reaction with metals.



**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:**

For Hydrogen chloride or Hydrochloric Acid:

Reacts with most metals to produce flammable Hydrogen gas.

Sodium reacts very violently with gaseous hydrogen chloride.

Calcium phosphide and Hydrochloric acid undergo a very energetic reaction.

Hydrogen chloride reacts with oxidizers releasing chlorine gas.

Hydrogen chloride gas is emitted when Hydrochloric acid comes in contact with Sulfuric acid.

Adsorption of Hydrochloric acid onto Silicon dioxide results in exothermic reaction.

Hydrogen chloride causes aldehydes and epoxides to violently polymerize.

Reacts violently with bases, oxidizers forming toxic chlorine gas.

Reacts, often violently or vigorously or exothermically, with acetic anhydride, active metals, aliphatic amines, alkanolamines, alkylene oxides, aromatic amines, amides, 2-aminoethanol, ammonia, ammonium hydroxide, calcium phosphide, chlorosulfonic acid, ethylene diamine, ethyleneimine, epichlorohydrin, isocyanates, metal acetylides, oleum, organic anhydrides, perchloric acid, 3-propiolactone, uranium phosphide, sulfuric acid, vinyl acetate, vinylidene fluoride, alcohols + hydrogen cyanide, Aluminum phosphide, Aluminum-titanium alloys, 2-Amino ethanol, Ammonium hydroxide, Ammonium, 1,4-Benzquinone diimine, Cesium telluroacylated, Chlorine + dinitroanilines, Chloroacetaldehyde oxime, Cyanogen chloride, 1,1-Difluoroethylene, dinitroanilines, Ethylene, Ethyl 2-formylpropionate oxime, Hexalithium disilicide, Hydrogen peroxide, Methyl vinyl ether, Nitric acid + glycerol, Potassium, Potassium permanganate, beta-Propiolactone, Propylene oxide, Rubidium acetylide, Silver chlorite, Sodium 2-allyloxy-6-nitrophenylpyruvate oxime, Sodium hydroxide, Sodium cyanide, 2,4,6-Tri(2-acetylhydrazino)-1,3,5-trinitrobenzene, Sulfonic acid, Cesium cyanotridecahydrodecaborate(2-), Potassium ferricyanide, Vinylidene fluoride, Potassium ferrocyanide, Ammonium hexacyanoferrate (II).

Reaction with oxidizers such as permanganates, chlorates, chlorites, and hypochlorites may produce chlorine or bromine gas.

Reacts vigorously with alkalis and with many organic materials.

Cesium acetylene carbide burns in hydrogen chloride gas.

Lithium silicide in contact with hydrogen chloride becomes incandescent.

Magnesium boride in contact with concentrated hydrochloric acid produces spontaneously flammable gas.

Rubidium acetylene carbide burns with slightly warm hydrochloric acid.

Rubidium carbide ignites in contact with hydrochloric acid unless acid is dilute.

Uranium phosphide reacts with hydrochloric acid to release spontaneously flammable phosphine.

Calcium carbide reacts with hydrogen chloride gas with incandescence.

Absorption of gaseous hydrogen chloride on mercuric sulfate becomes violent @ 125 deg C.

Reaction of silver perchlorate with carbon tetrachloride in presence of small amount of hydrochloric acid produces trichloromethyl perchlorate, which detonates @ 40 deg C.

Cesium carbide ignites in contact with hydrochloric acid unless acid is dilute.

Hydrochloric acid in the presence of alcohol and glycols results in dehydration reactions.

Hydrogen chloride gas can react with formaldehyde to form bis(chloromethyl)ether, a human carcinogen.

Exothermic reaction with water

Attacks some plastics, rubber, and coatings.

**Polymerization:**

Hazardous polymerisation does not occur

**Corrosivity:**

Severe corrosive effect on 304 Stainless Steel. Severe corrosive effect on 316 Stainless Steel. Severe corrosive effect on Copper and copper alloys. Severe corrosive effect on Bronze. Severe corrosive effect on Brass.

**Special Remarks on Corrosivity:** No information available

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Acute Toxicity

#### Component Information

##### *Water - 7732-18-5*

**LD50/oral/rat** = > 90 mL/kg Oral LD50 Rat  
**LD50/oral/mouse** = No information available  
**LD50/dermal/rat** = No information available  
**LD50/dermal/rabbit** = No information available  
**LC50/inhalation/rat** = No information available  
**LC50/inhalation/mouse** = No information available  
**Other LD50 or LC50 information** = No information available

##### *Hydrogen chloride - 7647-01-0*

**LD50/oral/rat** = 700 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat (test substance: 31.5% hydrochloric acid solution)  
**LD50/oral/mouse** = No information available  
**LD50/dermal/rat** = No information available  
**LD50/dermal/rabbit** = > 5010 mg/kg Dermal LD50 Rabbit (Test substance: 31.5% hydrochloric acid solution)  
**LC50/inhalation/rat** = 3124 ppm Inhalation LC50 Rat 1 h  
1562 ppm 4 h  
**LC50/inhalation/mouse** = 1108 ppm 1 h  
**Other LD50 or LC50 information** = 900 mg/kg oral LD50 Rabbit (no information on test substance)

#### Product Information

**LC50/inhalation/rat** No information available  
**LC50/inhalation/mouse** No information available  
**LD50/dermal/rabbit** > 5010mg/kg  
**LD50/dermal/rat** No information available  
**LD50/oral/mouse** = No information available  
**LD50/oral/rat** = 700mg/kg

#### Local Effects

**Skin irritation:** Corrosive. Causes burns.

**Eye irritation:** Corrosive. Causes burns.

**Inhalation:** Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Inhalation of hydrochloric acid fumes produces nose, throat, and laryngeal irritation, and burning, pain and inflammation, coughing, sneezing, choking sensation, hoarseness, laryngeal spasms, upper respiratory tract edema, chest pains, as well as headache, and palpitations. Inhalation of high concentrations can result in corrosive burns, necrosis of bronchial epithelium, constriction of the larynx and bronchi, nasospetal perforation, glottal closure, dyspnea, bronchitis. Chemical pneumonitis and pulmonary edema can also occur, particularly if exposure is prolonged. May affect the liver.

**Ingestion:** Ingestion: Causes irritation and burning, ulceration, or perforation of the gastrointestinal tract and resultant peritonitis, gastric hemorrhage and infection. Can also cause nausea, vomiting (with "coffee ground" emesis), diarrhea, thirst, difficulty swallowing, salivation, chills, fever, uneasiness, shock, strictures and stenosis (esophageal, gastric, pyloric). May affect behavior (excitement), the cardiovascular system (weak rapid pulse, tachycardia), respiration (shallow respiration), and urinary system (kidneys- renal failure, nephritis).  
Acute exposure via inhalation or ingestion can also cause erosion of tooth enamel..

**Sensitization:** No information available

### Chronic Toxicity

**Chronic Toxicity** Prolonged or repeated inhalation and/or ingestion may affect liver, and cause bleeding of nose and gums, nasal and oral mucosal ulceration, conjunctivitis. It may also affect respiratory tract (changes in pulmonary function, chronic bronchitis, overt respiratory tract abnormalities), teeth (yellowing of teeth and erosion of tooth enamel), kidneys, and behavior/central nervous system (muscle contraction or spasticity).  
Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause dermatitis.  
Prolonged or repeated eye contact with vapor/mist can cause conjunctivitis.

**Carcinogenic effects:** Not considered carcinogenic

Components	NTP	IARC	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	ACGIH - Carcinogens	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances
Water	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed
Hydrogen chloride	Not listed	Group 3 - Monograph 54 [1992]	Not listed	A4 Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen	Not listed	Not listed

**Mutagenic Effects:** Animal experiments showed mutagenic effects  
Cytogenetic Analysis - chromosome aberration test (Chinese Hamster ovary):  
Genotoxic effects were observed

**Reproductive Effects:** No information on reproductive toxicity effects on humans was found. May cause adverse developmental effects based on animal data. An increase in postnatal mortality was seen in experiments where rats were exposed to Hydrogen Chloride for 1 hour.

**Teratogenic Effects:** No information available

**Target Organs:** Skin. Eyes. Respiratory system.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### ECOTOXICITY

**Toxicity to terrestrial and aquatic plants and animals:** Information given is based on data on the components and the ecotoxicology of similar products

**Ecotoxicity effects:** Aquatic environment.

### Aquatic toxicity:

*Hydrogen chloride - 7647-01-0*

**Freshwater Fish Species Data:** 282 mg/L LC50 *Gambusia affinis* 96 h static 1

**Mobility:** No information available

**Persistence and degradability:** No information available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No information available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste from residues / unused products:**

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulation.

**Contaminated packaging:**

Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

Components	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Water	None	None	None	None
Hydrogen chloride	None	None	None	None

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT**

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Subsidiary Risk:** Not applicable  
**Marine Pollutant:** No data available  
**ERG No:** 157  
**DOT RQ (lbs):** No information available  
**Symbol(s):** R5

**TDG (Canada)**

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Description:** No information available

**ADR**

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Classification Code:** No information available  
**Description:** No information available  
**CEFIC Tremcard No:** No information available

**IMO / IMDG**

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Description:** No information available

**IMDG Page:** No information available  
**Marine Pollutant** No information available  
**EMS:** F-A  
**MFAG:** No information available  
**Maximum Quantity:** No information available

#### RID

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Subsidiary Risk:** 8  
**Classification Code:** No information available  
**Description:** No information available

#### ICAO

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Description:** No information available

#### IATA

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**ERG Code:** 8L  
**Description:** No information available

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories

Components	U.S. TSCA	Philippines (PICCS)	KOREA KECL	Japan ENCS	CHINA	Australia (AICS)	EINECS-No.
Water	Present	Present	Present KE-35400	Not present	Present	Present	Present 231-791-2
Hydrogen chloride	Present T	Present	Present KE-20189	Present (1)-215	Present	Present	Present 231-595-7

### U.S. Regulations

#### Hydrogen chloride

**Massachusetts RTK:** Present  
**Massachusetts EHS:** extraordinarily hazardous  
**New Jersey RTK Hazardous Substance List:** Present  
**New Jersey (EHS) List:** Present  
**New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances:** Present  
**New Jersey TCPA - EHS:** 15000lbTQ  
 5600lbTQ  
 2000lbTQ  
**Pennsylvania RTK:** Environmental hazard  
**Pennsylvania RTK - Environmental Hazard List** Present  
**Michigan PSM HHC:** = 5000 lb TQ  
**Minnesota - Hazardous Substance List:** Present

#### Hydrogen chloride

##### New York Release Reporting - List of Hazardous Substances:

5000 lb RQ

100 lb RQ

##### Louisiana Reportable Quantity List for Pollutants: 5000lb final RQAs listed in 40 CFR 117.3 Table 117.3 and 40 CFR 302.4 Table 302.4

2270kg final RQAs listed in 40 CFR 117.3 Table 117.3 and 40 CFR 302.4 Table 302.4

5000lb RQAs listed in Louisiana Administrative Code, Title 33, Part 1, Subpart 2, Chapter 39, Subchapter E. Applies to unauthorized emissions based on total mass emitted into or onto all media within any consecutive 24-hour period

1000lb RQAs listed in Louisiana Administrative Code, Title 33, Part 1, Subpart 2, Chapter 39, Subchapter E. Applies to unauthorized emissions based on total mass emitted into the atmosphere

##### California Directors List of Hazardous Substances: Present

FDA - Food Additives Generally Recognized as Safe (GRAS): 21 CFR 182.1057

#### California Prop. 65: Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.

##### Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Cancer:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

##### Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Reproductive Toxicity:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Components	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
Water	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Hydrogen chloride	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

#### CERCLA/SARA

Components	CERCLA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and RQs	Section 313 - Chemical Category	Section 313 - Reporting <i>de minimis</i>
Water	None	None	None	None	None
Hydrogen chloride	5000 lb final RQ 2270 kg final RQ	5000 lb EPCRA RQ	None	None	1.0 % de minimis concentration

#### U.S. TSCA

Components	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
Water	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Hydrogen chloride	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

#### Canada

##### WHMIS hazard class:

D1A Very toxic materials

D1B Toxic materials

E Corrosive material

##### Water

Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria

##### Hydrogen chloride

A D1A E

E 0.036% in aqueous solution, 0.36% in aqueous solution, 3.6% in aqueous solution

D1B E 28% in aqueous solution

D1A E 31.45% in aqueous solution, 35.2% in aqueous solution

##### Canada Controlled Products Regulation:

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR (Controlled Products Regulation) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

Components	WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List -
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**Water**

Hydrogen chloride	1 %
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**Inventory**

Components	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
Water	Present	Not Listed
Hydrogen chloride	Present	Not Listed

Components	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
Water	Not listed	Not listed
Hydrogen chloride	Not listed	Not listed

**EU Classification****R-phrase(s)**

R34 - Causes burns.

R37 - Irritating to respiratory system.

**S -phrase(s)**

S26 - In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

S45 - In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

S 1/2 - Keep locked up and out of the reach of children.

Components	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Water		No information	
Hydrogen chloride	Hydrogen Chloride: C;R35 T;R23  Hydrochloric Acid: + hydrochloric acid ... % C; R34 - Xi; R37 Concentration Limit(s) : C >= 25 % C; R34-37 10 % <= C < 25 % Xi; R36/37/38	0.02%<=C<0.2% Xi;R36/37/38 0.2%<=C<0.5% C;R34 0.5%<=C<1% C;R20-34 1%<=C<5% C;R20-35 5%<=C T;C;R23-35	Hydrogen Chloride: S(1/2)-S9-S26-S36/37/39-S45  Hydrochloric Acid: S(1/2)-S26-S45

The product is classified in accordance with Annex VI to Directive 67/548/EEC

**Indication of danger:**

C - Corrosive.

Xi - Irritant.



## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

The MSDS format complies with ANSI Z400.1/Z129.1-2010 standards.

**Preparation Date:** 06-May-2014

**Reason for revision:** Not applicable

**Prepared by:** Sonia Owen

**Literature reference:** No information available

All chemicals may pose unknown hazards and should be used with caution. This Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) applies only to the material as packaged. If this product is combined with other materials, deteriorates, or becomes contaminated, it may pose hazards not mentioned in this MSDS. The physical properties reported in this MSDS are obtained from the literature and do not constitute product specifications. Information contained herein does not constitute a warranty, whether expressed or implied, as to the safety, merchantability or fitness of the goods for a particular purpose. Spectrum Chemicals & Laboratory Products, Inc. assumes no responsibility for results obtained or for incidental or consequential damages, including lost profits, arising from the use of these data. No warranty against infringement of any patent, copyright or trademark is made or implied. It shall be the user's responsibility to develop proper methods of handling and personal protection based on the actual conditions of use. While this MSDS is based on technical data judged to be reliable, Spectrum assumes no responsibility for the completeness or accuracy of the information contained herein.



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Preparation Date: 10/15/2013

Revision Date: 4/8/2014

Revision Number: G2

## 1. IDENTIFICATION

### Product identifier

**Product code:** H1035  
**Product Name:** HYDROCHLORIC ACID, REAGENT, ACS

### Other means of identification

**Synonyms:** Muriatic Acid;  
Chlorohydric acid;  
Spirits of salt  
Acide chlorhydrique (French)  
**CAS #:** 7647--01-0  
**RTECS #** MW4025000  
**CI#:** Not available

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use:** In the production of chloride; refining ore in the production of tin and tantalum; for the neutralization of basic systems; as a laboratory reagent; as a catalyst and solvent in organic synthesis; for oil and gas-well treatment; in removing scale from boilers and heat exchange equipment; pharmaceutical aid (acidifier); in the manufacture of phosphoric acid and in the production of ammonium chloride; metal treating agent (steel pickling); in food processing as a starch modifier; in the manufacture of sodium glutamate; in the manufacture of gelatin; in the conversion of cornstarch to syrup; in the brewing industry; in sugar refining; in the manufacture of fertilizers, dyes and dyestuffs, artificial silks, pigments for paints; in electroplating, leather tanning, the photographic industry, in soap refining, in the textile industry, in the rubber industry; in petroleum activation; metal cleaning operations; recovery of zinc from galvanized iron scrap..

**Uses advised against** No information available

**Supplier:** Spectrum Chemicals and Laboratory Products, Inc.  
14422 South San Pedro St.  
Gardena, CA 90248  
(310) 516-8000

**Order Online At:** <https://www.spectrumchemical.com>

**Emergency telephone number** Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300  
**Contact Person:** Martin LaBenz (West Coast)  
**Contact Person:** Regina Wachenheim (East Coast)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
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Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Gases)	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3

#### **Label elements**

#### **Danger**

#### **Hazard statements**

Harmful if swallowed

Harmful if inhaled

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

May cause respiratory irritation



#### **Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

Not Applicable

#### **Other hazards**

Not available

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

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

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Specific treatment (see .? on this label)

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 or doctor/physician.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

Do NOT induce vomiting

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %	Trade Secret
Water 7732-18-5	7732-18-5	62-80	*
Hydrogen chloride 7647-01-0	7647-01-0	20-38	*

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### First aid measures

##### **General Advice:**

Poison information centres in each State capital city can provide additional assistance for scheduled poisons (13 1126). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves. First aider needs to protect himself.

##### **Skin Contact:**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. Continue flushing with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove all contaminated clothes and shoes. Immediate medical attention is required. Call a physician immediately.

##### **Eye Contact:**

Flush eye with water for 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required. Call a physician immediately.

##### **Inhalation:**

Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. **WARNING!** It may be hazardous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation when the inhaled or ingested material is toxic, infectious or corrosive. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required. Call a physician immediately.

##### **Ingestion:**

Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Do not give Sodium Bicarbonate (Baking Soda). Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If victim is conscious, give water or milk. Immediate medical attention is required. Call a physician or Poison Control Centre immediately.

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

##### **Symptoms**

Severe skin irritation. Severe eye irritation. Severe skin and eye irritation or burns. Irritating to respiratory system. Burning sensation of the respiratory tract. Coughing. Hoarseness. Choking sensation. Dyspnea (Shortness of breath and difficulty breathing). Shallow respiration. Can burn mouth, throat, and stomach. May cause salivation. Thirst. May cause difficulty swallowing. May cause abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea. Weak, rapid pulse or rapid heart rate (Tachycardia). Shock.

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

##### **Notes to Physician:**

Treat symptomatically

#### **Protection of first-aiders**

First-Aid Providers: Avoid exposure to blood or body fluids. Wear gloves and other necessary protective clothing. Dispose of contaminated clothing and equipment as bio-hazardous waste

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### **Extinguishing Media**

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### Suitable Extinguishing Media:

The product is not flammable. If it is involved in a fire, extinguish the fire using an agent suitable for the type of surrounding fire.

### Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:

No information available.

### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

#### Hazardous Combustion Products:

No information available.

#### Specific hazards:

Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas. Calcium carbide reacts with hydrogen chloride gas with incandescence. Uranium phosphide reacts with hydrochloric acid to release spontaneously flammable phosphine. Rubidium acetylene carbide burns with slightly warm Hydrochloric acid. Lithium silicide in contact with hydrogen chloride becomes incandescent. When dilute hydrochloric acid is used, gas that is spontaneously flammable in air is evolved. Magnesium boride treated with concentrated hydrochloric acid produces spontaneously flammable gas. Cesium acetylene carbide burns in hydrogen chloride gas. Cesium carbide ignites in contact with Hydrochloric acid unless acid is dilute. Hydrogen chloride in contact with the following can cause an explosion, ignition on contact, or other violent/vigorous reaction: Acetic anhydride AgCIO + CCl4 Alcohols + hydrogen cyanide, Aluminum Aluminum-titanium alloys (with HCl vapor), 2-Amino ethanol, Ammonium hydroxide, Calcium carbide Ca3P2 Chlorine + dinitroanilines (evolves gas), Chlorosulfonic acid Cesium carbide Cesium acetylene carbide, 1,1-Difluoroethylene Ethylene diamine Ethylene imine, Fluorine, HClO4 Hexalithium disilicide H2SO4 Metal acetylides or carbides, Magnesium boride, Mercuric sulfate, Oleum, Potassium permanganate, beta-Propiolactone Propylene oxide Rubidium carbide, Rubidium, acetylene carbide Sodium (with aqueous HCl), Sodium hydroxide Sodium tetraselenium, Sulfonic acid, Tetraselenium tetranitride, U3P4 , Vinyl acetate.. Silver perchlorate with carbon tetrachloride in the presence of hydrochloric acid produces trichloromethyl perchlorate which detonates at 40 deg. C.

### Special Protective Actions for Firefighters

#### Specific Methods:

No information available.

#### Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters:

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### Personal Precautions:

Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

### Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Should not be released into the environment. Do not let product enter drains. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Stop leak if you can do it without risk.

**Methods for cleaning up** Neutralize with Sodium carbonate or Sodium bicarbonate. Dilute with water. Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. vermiculite, dry sand or earth), then place in a suitable chemical waste container. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

#### **Technical Measures/Precautions:**

Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Keep away from incompatible materials.

#### **Safe Handling Advice:**

Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not ingest. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### **Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. May corrode metallic surfaces. Do not store in uncoated metallic containers. Store in a segregated and approved area. Store away from incompatible materials.

#### **Incompatible Materials:**

Oxidizing agents. Metals. Alkalis. Organic materials. Water.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

### **National occupational exposure limits**

#### **United States**

Components	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WHEEL
Water - 7732-18-5	None	None	None	None
Hydrogen chloride - 7647-01-0	5 ppm Ceiling 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling	5 ppm Ceiling 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling	2 ppm Ceiling	None

#### **Canada**

Components	Alberta	British Columbia	Ontario	Quebec
Water - 7732-18-5	None	None	None	None
Hydrogen chloride - 7647-01-0	2 ppm Ceiling 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling	2 ppm Ceiling	2 ppm Ceiling	5 ppm Ceiling 7.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling

#### **Australia and Mexico**

Components	Australia	Mexico
Water 7732-18-5	None	None
Hydrogen chloride 7647-01-0	None	5 ppm Ceiling 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling

### Appropriate engineering controls

#### **Engineering measures to reduce exposure:**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors and mist below their respective threshold limit value.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

#### **Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye protection:** Face-shield.

**Skin and body protection:** Chemical resistant protective suit. Gloves. boots.

**Respiratory protection:** Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.

**Hygiene measures:** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

## **9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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<b>Physical state:</b> Liquid.	<b>Appearance:</b> No information available	<b>Color:</b> Colorless. Light yellow.
<b>Odor:</b> Pungent. Irritating.	<b>Taste</b> No information available	<b>Formula:</b> HCl
<b>Molecular/Formula weight:</b> No information available	<b>Flash point (°C):</b> Not applicable	<b>Flashpoint (°C/°F):</b> Not applicable
<b>Flash Point Tested according to:</b> Not applicable	<b>Lower Explosion Limit (%):</b> No information available	<b>Upper Explosion Limit (%):</b> No information available
<b>Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F):</b> No information available	<b>pH:</b> No information available	<b>Melting point/range(°C/°F):</b> -62.25°C (-80°F) (20.69% HCl in water) -46.2 C (31.24% HCl in water) -25.4 C (39.17% HCl in water)
<b>Boiling point/range(°C/°F):</b> 108.58 C @ 760 mm Hg (for 20.22% HCl in water) 83 C @ 760 mm Hg (for 31% HCl in water) 50.5 C (for 37% HCl in water)	<b>Decomposition temperature(°C/°F):</b> No information available	<b>Specific gravity:</b> 1.1- 1.19 (Water = 1) 1.10 (20%and 22% HCl solutions) 1.12 (24% HCl solution) 1.15 (29.57% HCl solution) 1.16 (32% HCl solution) 1.186 - 1.19 (37% and 38%HCl solutions)
<b>Density (g/cm3):</b> No information available	<b>Bulk density:</b> No information available	<b>Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa):</b> No information available
<b>Evaporation rate:</b> No information available	<b>Vapor density:</b> 1.267	<b>VOC content (g/L):</b> No information available
<b>Odor threshold (ppm):</b> 0.25 to 10 ppm	<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b> No information available	<b>Viscosity:</b> No information available
<b>Miscibility:</b> No information available	<b>Solubility:</b> Soluble in Ether Soluble in Water	

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

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For Hydrogen chloride or Hydrochloric Acid:

Reacts with most metals to produce flammable Hydrogen gas.

Sodium reacts very violently with gaseous hydrogen chloride.

Calcium phosphide and Hydrochloric acid undergo a very energetic reaction.

Hydrogen chloride reacts with oxidizers releasing chlorine gas.

Hydrogen chloride gas is emitted when Hydrochloric acid comes in contact with Sulfuric acid.

Adsorption of Hydrochloric acid onto Silicon dioxide results in exothermic reaction.

Hydrogen chloride causes aldehydes and epoxides to violently polymerize.

Reacts violently with bases, oxidizers forming toxic chlorine gas.

Reacts, often violently or vigorously or exothermically, with acetic anhydride, active metals, aliphatic amines, alkanolamines, alkylene oxides, aromatic amines, amides, 2-aminoethanol, ammonia, ammonium hydroxide, calcium phosphide, chlorosulfonic acid, ethylene diamine, ethyleneimine, epichlorohydrin, isocyanates, metal acetylides, oleum, organic anhydrides, perchloric acid, 3-propiolactone, uranium phosphide, sulfuric acid, vinyl acetate, vinylidene fluoride, alcohols + hydrogen cyanide, Aluminum phosphide, Aluminum-titanium alloys, 2-Amino ethanol, Ammonium hydroxide, Ammonium, 1,4-Benzoquinone diimine, Cesium telluroacylated, Chlorine + dinitroanilines, Chloroacetaldehyde oxime, Cyanogen chloride, 1,1-Difluoroethylene, dinitroanilines, Ethylene, Ethyl 2-formylpropionate oxime, Hexalithium disilicide, Hydrogen peroxide, Methyl vinyl ether, Nitric acid + glycerol, Potassium, Potassium permanganate, beta-Propiolactone, Propylene oxide, Rubidium acetylide, Silver chlorite, Sodium 2-allyloxy-6-nitrophenylpyruvate oxime, Sodium hydroxide, Sodium terantride, 2,4,6-Tri(2-acetylhydrazino)-1,3,5-trinitrobenzene, Sulfonic acid, Cesium cyanotridecahydrodecarborate(2-), Potassium ferricyanide, Vinylidene fluoride, Potassium ferrocyanide, Ammonium hexacyanoferrate (II).

Reaction with oxidizers such as permanganates, chlorates, chlorites, and hypochlorites may produce chlorine or bromine gas.

Reacts vigorously with alkalies and with many organic materials.

Cesium acetylene carbide burns in hydrogen chloride gas.

Lithium silicide in contact with hydrogen chloride becomes incandescent.

Magnesium boride in contact with concentrated hydrochloric acid produces spontaneously flammable gas.

Rubidium acetylene carbide burns with slightly warm hydrochloric acid.

Rubidium carbide ignites in contact with hydrochloric acid unless acid is dilute.

Uranium phosphide reacts with hydrochloric acid to release spontaneously flammable phosphine.

Calcium carbide reacts with hydrogen chloride gas with incandescence.

Absorption of gaseous hydrogen chloride on mercuric sulfate becomes violent @ 125 deg C.

Reaction of silver perchlorate with carbon tetrachloride in presence of small amount of hydrochloric acid produces trichloromethyl perchlorate, which detonates @ 40 deg C.

Cesium carbide ignites in contact with hydrochloric acid unless acid is dilute.

Hydrochloric acid in the presence of alcohol and glycols results in dehydration reactions.

Hydrogen chloride gas can react with formaldehyde to form bis(chloromethyl)ether, a human carcinogen.

Exothermic reaction with water

Attacks some plastics, rubber, and coatings.

### Chemical stability

**Stability:** Stable at normal conditions

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** Hazardous polymerization does not occur

**Conditions to avoid:** Stable at normal conditions

**Incompatible Materials:** Oxidizing agents. Metals. Alkalies. Organic materials. Water.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Hydrogen chloride gas. Hydrogen. Hydrogen, by reaction with metals.

### Other Information

**Corrosivity:** Severe corrosive effect on 304 Stainless Steel. Severe corrosive effect on 316 Stainless Steel. Severe corrosive effect on Copper and copper alloys. Severe corrosive effect on Bronze. Severe corrosive effect on Brass.

**Special Remarks on Corrosivity:** No information available

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure



**Principal Routes of Exposure:**

Skin. Inhalation. Ingestion.

**Acute Toxicity**

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

ATEmix (inhalation-gas) 4115-7810ppm (4-hr)

**Component Information***Water - 7732-18-5*

**LD50/oral/rat** = > 90 mL/kg Oral LD50 Rat

**LD50/oral/mouse** = No information available

**LD50/dermal/rabbit** = No information available

**LD50/dermal/rat** = No information available

**LC50/inhalation/rat** = No information available

**LC50/inhalation/mouse** = No information available

**Other LD50 or LC50information** = No information available

*Hydrogen chloride - 7647-01-0*

**LD50/oral/rat** = 700 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat (test substance: 31.5% hydrochloric acid solution)

**LD50/oral/mouse** = No information available

**LD50/dermal/rabbit** = > 5010 mg/kg Dermal LD50Rabbit (Test substance: 31.5% hydrochloric acid solution)

**LD50/dermal/rat** = No information available

**LC50/inhalation/rat** = 3124 ppm Inhalation LC50 Rat 1 h  
1562 ppm 4 h

**LC50/inhalation/mouse** = 1108 ppm 1 h

**Other LD50 or LC50information** = 900 mg/kg oral LD50 Rabbit (no information on test substance)

**Product Information**

**LD50/oral/rat =**

**VALUE- Acute Tox Oral** = 700mg/kg

**LD50/oral/mouse =**

**Value - Acute Tox Oral** = No information available

**LD50/dermal/rabbit**

**VALUE-Acute Tox Dermal** = >5010mg/kg

**LD50/dermal/rat**

**VALUE -Acute Tox Dermal** = No information available

**LC50/inhalation/rat**

**VALUE-Vapor** = No information available

**VALUE-Gas** = No information available

**VALUE-Dust/Mist** = No information available

**LC50/Inhalation/mouse**

**VALUE-Vapor** = No information available

**VALUE - Gas** = No information available

**VALUE - Dust/Mist** = No information available

**Symptoms**

**Skin Contact:**

Causes skin burns.

**Eye Contact:**

Causes eye burns.

**Inhalation**

Harmful by inhalation. Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Inhalation of hydrochloric acid fumes produces nose, throat, and laryngeal irritation, and burning, pain and inflammation, coughing, sneezing, choking sensation, hoarseness, laryngeal spasms, upper respiratory tract edema, chest pains, as well as headache, and palpitations. Inhalation of high concentrations can result in corrosive burns, necrosis of bronchial epithelium, constriction of the larynx and bronchi, nasospetal perforation, glottal closure, dyspnea, bronchitis. Chemical pneumonitis and pulmonary edema can also occur, particularly if exposure is prolonged. May affect the liver.

**Ingestion**

Harmful if swallowed. Causes irritation and burning, ulceration, or perforation of the gastrointestinal tract and resultant peritonitis, gastric hemorrhage and infection. Can also cause nausea, vomiting (with "coffee ground" emesis), diarrhea, thirst, difficulty swallowing, salivation, chills, fever, uneasiness, shock, strictures and stenosis (esophageal, gastric, pyloric). May affect behavior (excitement), the cardiovascular system (weak rapid pulse, tachycardia), respiration (shallow respiration), and urinary system (kidneys- renal failure, nephritis). Acute exposure via inhalation or ingestion can also cause erosion of tooth enamel..

**Aspiration hazard**

No information available

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure****Chronic Toxicity**

Prolonged or repeated inhalation and/or ingestion may affect liver, and cause bleeding of nose and gums, nasal and oral mucosal ulceration, conjunctivitis. It may also affect respiratory tract (changes in pulmonary function, chronic bronchitis, overt respiratory tract abnormalities), teeth (yellowing of teeth and erosion of tooth enamel), kidneys, and behavior/central nervous system (muscle contraction or spasticity).  
Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause dermatitis.  
Prolonged or repeated eye contact with vapor/mist can cause conjunctivitis.  
No information available

**Sensitization:****Mutagenic Effects:**

Animal experiments showed mutagenic effects  
Cytogenetic Analysis - chromosome aberration test (Chinese Hamster ovary):  
Genotoxic effects were observed

**Carcinogenic effects:**

Not considered carcinogenic

Components	ACGIH - Carcinogens	IARC	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances
Water	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed
Hydrogen chloride	A4 Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen	Group 3 - Monograph 54 [1992]	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

**Reproductive toxicity**No data is available**Reproductive Effects:  
Developmental Effects:**

No information available  
No information on developmental toxicity effects on humans was found. An increase in postnatal mortality was seen in experiments where rats were exposed to Hydrogen Chloride for 1 hour.

**Teratogenic Effects:**

No information available

### Specific Target Organ Toxicity

**STOT - single exposure** No information available  
**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available  
**Target Organs:** Skin. Eyes. Respiratory system.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

**Ecotoxicity effects:** Aquatic environment.

*Hydrogen chloride - 7647-01-0*

**Freshwater Fish Species Data:** 282 mg/L LC50 Gambusia affinis 96 h static 1

**Persistence and degradability:** No information available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No information available

**Mobility:** No information available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Disposal Methods

**Waste from residues / unused products:**

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulation.

**Contaminated packaging:**

Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

Components	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Water	None	None	None	None
Hydrogen chloride	None	None	None	None

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### DOT

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Subsidiary Risk:** Not applicable  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Marine Pollutant** No data available  
**ERG No:** 157  
**DOT RQ (lbs):** No information available

**Symbol(s):** R5

### TDG (Canada)

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Description:** No information available

### ADR

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Classification Code:** No information available  
**Description:** No information available  
**CEFIC Tremcard No:** No information available

### IMO / IMDG

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Description:** No information available  
**IMDG Page:** No information available  
**Marine Pollutant** No information available  
**EMS:** F-A  
**MFAG:** No information available  
**Maximum Quantity:** No information available

### RID

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Subsidiary Risk:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Classification Code:** No information available  
**Description:** No information available

### ICAO

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Description:** No information available

### IATA

**UN-No:** UN1789  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Hydrochloric acid (Solution)  
**Hazard Class:** 8  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** II  
**ERG Code:** 8L  
**Description:** No information available

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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### International Inventories

Components	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	CHINA	Australia (AICS)	EINECS-No.
Water	Present	Present KE-35400	Present	Not present	Present	Present	Present 231-791-2
Hydrogen chloride	Present T	Present KE-20189	Present	Present (1)-215	Present	Present	Present 231-595-7

### U.S. Regulations

#### Hydrogen chloride

**Massachusetts RTK:** Present

**Massachusetts EHS:** extraordinarily hazardous

**New Jersey RTK Hazardous Substance List:** Present

**New Jersey (EHS) List:** Present

**New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances:** Present

**New Jersey TCPA - EHS:** 15000lbTQ

5600lbTQ

2000lbTQ

**Pennsylvania RTK:** Environmental hazard

**Pennsylvania RTK - Environmental Hazard List** Present

**Michigan PSM HHC:** = 5000 lb TQ

**Minnesota - Hazardous Substance List:** Present

**New York Release Reporting - List of Hazardous Substances:**

5000 lb RQ

100 lb RQ

**Louisiana Reportable Quantity List for Pollutants:** 5000lbfinal RQAs listed in 40 CFR 117.3 Table 117.3 and 40 CFR 302.4 Table 302.4

2270kgfinal RQAs listed in 40 CFR 117.3 Table 117.3 and 40 CFR 302.4 Table 302.4

5000lbRQAs listed in Louisiana Administrative Code, Title 33, Part 1, Subpart 2, Chapter 39, Subchapter E. Applies to unauthorized emissions based on total mass emitted into or onto all media within any consecutive 24-hour period

1000lbRQAs listed in Louisiana Administrative Code, Title 33, Part 1, Subpart 2, Chapter 39, Subchapter E. Applies to unauthorized emissions based on total mass emitted into the atmosphere

**California Directors List of Hazardous Substances:** Present

**FDA - Food Additives Generally Recognized as Safe (GRAS):** 21 CFR 182.1057

### California Prop. 65: Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.

#### Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Cancer:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

#### Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Reproductive Toxicity:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Components	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
Water	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Hydrogen chloride	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

### CERCLA/SARA

Components	CERCLA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and RQs	Section 313 - Chemical Category	Section 313 - Reporting de minimis
Water	None	None	None	None	None
Hydrogen chloride	5000 lb final RQ 2270 kg final RQ	5000 lb EPCRA RQ	None	None	1.0 % de minimis concentration

### U.S. TSCA

Components	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
Water	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Components	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
Hydrogen chloride	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

## Canada

### WHMIS hazard class:

D1A Very toxic materials

D1B Toxic materials

E Corrosive material

### Water

Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria

### Hydrogen chloride

A D1A E

E 0.036% in aqueous solution, 0.36% in aqueous solution, 3.6% in aqueous solution

D1B E 28% in aqueous solution

D1A E 31.45% in aqueous solution, 35.2% in aqueous solution

### Canada Controlled Products Regulation:

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR (Controlled Products Regulation) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

Components	WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List -
Hydrogen chloride	1 %

## Inventory

Components	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
Water	Present	Not Listed
Hydrogen chloride	Present	Not Listed

Components	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
Water	Not listed	Not listed
Hydrogen chloride	Not listed	Not listed

## EU Classification

### R-phrase(s)

R34 - Causes burns.

R37 - Irritating to respiratory system.

### S -phrase(s)

S26 - In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

S45 - In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

S 1/2 - Keep locked up and out of the reach of children.

Components	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Water		No information	

Hydrogen chloride	Hydrogen Chloride: C;R35 T;R23  Hydrochloric Acid: + hydrochloric acid ... % C; R34 - Xi; R37 Concentration Limit(s) : C $\geq$ 25 % C; R34-37 10 % $\leq$ C < 25 % Xi; R36/37/38	0.02% $\leq$ C<0.2% Xi;R36/37/38 0.2% $\leq$ C<0.5% C;R34 0.5% $\leq$ C<1% C;R20-34 1% $\leq$ C<5% C;R20-35 5% $\leq$ C T;C;R23-35	Hydrogen Chloride: S(1/2)-S9-S26-S36/37/39-S45  Hydrochloric Acid: S(1/2)-S26-S45
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The product is classified in accordance with Annex VI to Directive 67/548/EEC

**Indication of danger:**

C - Corrosive.

Xi - Irritant.



**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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NFPA	HMIS	Personal Protective Equipment
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Health Hazard	3
Fire Hazard	0
Reactivity	0



See Section 8.

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**Disclaimer:**

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