

Safety Data Sheet

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

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture

Product name : Ferric Chloride Solution

Product code : LC14380

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

Use of the substance/mixture : For laboratory and manufacturing use only.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 or 011-703-527-3887

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS-US classification

Skin Corr. 1C H314 Eye Dam. 1 H318 Aquatic Acute 2 H401

2.2. Label elements

GHS-US labelling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US)



GHS05

Signal word (GHS-US) : Danger

Hazard statements (GHS-US) : H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H401 - Toxic to aquatic life

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P260 - Do not breathe mist, vapours, spray

P264 - Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P273 - Avoid release to the environment P280 - Wear protective gloves, eye protection

P301+P330+P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

P303+P361+P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated

clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

P304+P340 - IF INHALED: remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable

for breathing

P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

P405 - Store locked up

P501 - Dispose of contents/container to comply with local, state and federal regulations

2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards not contributing to the

classification

: None.

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS-US)

No data available

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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substance

Not applicable

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

3.2. Mixture

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Ferric Chloride, Hexahydrate	(CAS No) 10025-77-1	71	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1C, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Aquatic Acute 2, H401
Water	(CAS No) 7732-18-5	29	Not classified

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice

(show the label where possible).

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a

POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

First-aid measures after eye contact : 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.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or

doctor/physician.

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

Symptoms/injuries : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage.

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

No additional information available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Reactivity : Thermal decomposition generates : Corrosive vapours.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any

chemical fire. Avoid (reject) fire-fighting water to enter environment.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Safety glasses. Gloves. Protective clothing.

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters. Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Collect

spillage. Store away from other materials.

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6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or

smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of

vapour. Do not breathe mist, vapours, spray.

Hygiene measures : Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures : Comply with applicable regulations.

Storage conditions : Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : incompatible

materials. Keep container closed when not in use.

Incompatible products : Strong bases. metals.

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7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Ferric Chloride, Hexahydrate	e (10025-77-1)	
USA ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (mg/m³)	1 mg/m³

8.2. Exposure controls

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Appropriate engineering controls : Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity

of any potential exposure. Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation.

Personal protective equipment : Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

Hand protection : Wear protective gloves.

Eye protection : Chemical goggles or face shield. Skin and body protection : Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection : Wear appropriate mask.

Other information : Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid
Colour : amber.
Odour : None.

Odour threshold : No data available pH : No data available Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1) : No data available

Melting point No data available Freezing point : No data available Boiling point No data available Flash point : No data available Self ignition temperature No data available Decomposition temperature No data available Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available Vapour pressure No data available Relative vapour density at 20 °C No data available Relative density No data available Solubility Soluble in water. Log Pow No data available

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No data available

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Viscosity, kinematic : No data available
Viscosity, dynamic : No data available
Explosive properties : No data available
Oxidising properties : No data available
Explosive limits : No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Thermal decomposition generates: Corrosive vapours.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures.

10.5. Incompatible materials

metals. Strong bases.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hydrogen chloride. iron oxide. Thermal decomposition generates: Corrosive vapours.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

Ferric Chloride, Hexahydrate (10025-77-1)	
LD50 oral rat	1872 mg/kg (Rat)
Water (7732-18-5)	
LD50 oral rat	≥ 90000 mg/kg
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye damage.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified

Aspiration nazard : Not ci Potential Adverse human health effects and : Based

symptoms

: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - water : Harmful to aquatic life.

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LC50 fishes 1	<

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Ferric Chloride, Hexahydrate (10025-77-1)	
LC50 fishes 1	26 ppm (96 h; Pisces; Iron)
EC50 Daphnia 1	9.6 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna; Anhydrous form)
LC50 fish 2	75.6 mg/l (96 h; Gambusia affinis; Anhydrous form)
EC50 Daphnia 2	296 - 424 mg/l (96 h; Crangon sp.)
TLM fish 1	1.2 ppm (144 h; Gasterosteidae; Anhydrous form)

Persistence and degradability

Ferric Chloride Solution		
Persistence and degradability	Not established.	
Ferric Chloride, Hexahydrate (10025-77-1)		
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable. Biodegradability in soil: not applicable. No (test)data on mobility of the substance available.	
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	Not applicable	
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable	
ThOD	Not applicable	
BOD (% of ThOD)	Not applicable	

Water (7732-18-5)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

2.3. Bioaccumulative potential		
Ferric Chloride Solution		
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.	
Ferric Chloride, Hexahydrate (10025-77-1)		
BCF fish 1	<= 100 (Pisces; Anhydrous form)	
Bioaccumulative potential	No bioaccumulation data available.	
Water (7732-18-5)		
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.	

12.4. **Mobility in soil**

No additional information available

Other adverse effects

Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Dispose of

contents/container to comply with local, state and federal regulations.

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description : UN2582 Ferric chloride, solution, 8, III

UN-No.(DOT) : 2582 : UN2582 DOT NA no.

DOT Proper Shipping Name : Ferric chloride, solution

Department of Transportation (DOT) Hazard : 8 - Class 8 - Corrosive material 49 CFR 173.136

Classes

Hazard labels (DOT) : 8 - Corrosive substances



Packing group (DOT) : III - Minor Danger

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DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102) : B15 - Packagings must be protected with non-metallic linings impervious to the lading or have a

suitable corrosion allowance.

IB3 - Authorized IBCs: Metal (31A, 31B and 31N); Rigid plastics (31H1 and 31H2); Composite (31HZ1 and 31HA2, 31HB2, 31HN2, 31HD2 and 31HH2). Additional Requirement: Only liquids with a vapor pressure less than or equal to 110 kPa at 50 C (1.1 bar at 122 F), or 130 kPa at 55 C (1.3 bar at 131 F) are authorized, except for UN2672 (also see Special Provision IP8 in Table

2 for UN2672).

T4 - 2.65 178.274(d)(2) Normal..... 178.275(d)(3)

TP1 - The maximum degree of filling must not exceed the degree of filling determined by the following: Degree of filling = 97 / (1 + a (tr - tf)) Where: tr is the maximum mean bulk temperature during transport, and tf is the temperature in degrees celsius of the liquid during filling.

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) 154 DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 203 DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 241 DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail : 5 L

(49 CFR 173.27)

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 : 60 L

CFR 175.75)

DOT Vessel Stowage Location : A - The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a

passenger vessel.

Additional information

Other information : No supplementary information available.

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Transport document description

Transport by sea

No additional information available

Air transport

No additional information available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

Ferric Chloride Solution		
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard	
Ferric Chloride, Hexahydrate (10025-77-1)		
Not listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory		
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard	
Water (7732-18-5)		

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

15.2. International regulations

CANADA

Ferric Chloride Solution		
WHMIS Classification	Class E - Corrosive Material	
Ferric Chloride, Hexahydrate (10025-77-1)		
WHMIS Classification	Class E - Corrosive Material	
Water (7732-18-5)		
WHMIS Classification	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria	

EU-Regulations

No additional information available

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

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Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

Not classified

15.2.2. National regulations

No additional information available

15.3. US State regulations

No additional information available

SECTION 16: Other information

Other information : None.

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16:

Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4
Aquatic Acute 2	Hazardous to the aquatic environment — AcuteHazard, Category 2
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1
Skin Corr. 1C	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1C
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H401	Toxic to aquatic life

NFPA health hazard : 3 - Short exposure could cause serious temporary or

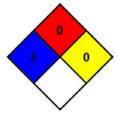
residual injury even though prompt medical attention was

given.

NFPA fire hazard : 0 - Materials that will not burn.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions,

and are not reactive with water.



HMIS III Rating

Health : 3 Serious Hazard - Major injury likely unless prompt action is taken and medical treatment is

given

Flammability : 0 Minimal Hazard
Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard

Personal Protection : H

SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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