SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product Name
Iron(III) chloride hexahydrate

Cat No. :
AC217090000; AC217090025; AC217091000; AC217095000

CAS-No
10025-77-1

Synonyms
Ferric chloride hexahydrate

Recommended Use
Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against
Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company
Fisher Scientific
One Reagent Lane
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410
Tel: (201) 796-7100

Acros Organics
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Fair Lawn, NJ 07410
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For information US call: 001-800-ACROS-01 / Europe call: +32 14 57 52 11
Emergency Number US:001-201-796-7100 / Europe: +32 14 57 52 99
CHEMTREC Tel. No.US:001-800-424-9300 / Europe:001-703-527-3887

2. Hazard(s) identification

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

Acute oral toxicity
Category 4

Skin Corrosion/Irritation
Category 2

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation
Category 1

Skin Sensitization
Category 1

Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)
Category 2

Target Organs - Kidney, Liver, Blood.

Label Elements

Signal Word
Danger

Hazard Statements
Harmful if swallowed
Causes skin irritation
May cause an allergic skin reaction
Causes serious eye damage
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Precautionary Statements
Prevention
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Response
Get medical attention/advice if you feel unwell

Inhalation
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

Skin
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse
If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention

Eyes
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

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

Rinse mouth

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

Disposal
Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)
None identified

3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

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4. First-aid measures

General Advice
Immediate medical attention is required. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Eye Contact
Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.
Skin Contact  
Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

Inhalation  
Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

Ingestion  
Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects  
Causes eye burns. May cause allergic skin reaction. Causes severe eye damage. Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing.

Notes to Physician  
Treat symptomatically.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media  
No information available

Flash Point  
Not applicable

Method -  
No information available

Autoignition Temperature  
No information available

Explosion Limits  
Upper  
No data available

Lower  
No data available

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact  
No information available

Sensitivity to Static Discharge  
No information available

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical  
Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive and/or toxic fumes. May ignite combustibles (wood paper, oil, clothing, etc.). In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Hazardous Combustion Products  

Protective Equipment and Precautions 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  
Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Environmental Precautions  
Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

Methods for Containment and Clean Up  
Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

7. Handling and storage

Handling  
Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Avoid dust formation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe dust. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance. Do not taste or swallow. Use only under a chemical fume hood.
Iron(III) chloride hexahydrate

Storage
Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in properly labeled containers. Keep away from water or moist air.

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines

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Legend
ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration
NIOSH IDLH: NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

Engineering Measures
Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/face Protection
Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin and body protection
Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respiratory Protection
Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Hygiene Measures
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

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10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard
None known, based on information available.

Stability
Hygroscopic.

Conditions to Avoid
Avoid dust formation. Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods.

Incompatible Materials
Strong oxidizing agents, Metals, Strong bases.

Hazardous Decomposition Products
Chlorine, Metal oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas.

Hazardous Polymerization
Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Hazardous Reactions
None under normal processing.

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity

Product Information

Component Information

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Toxicologically Synergistic Products
No information available.

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

Irritation
Causes eye burns, Irritating to skin, May cause irritation of respiratory tract

Sensitization
May cause sensitization by skin contact

Carcinogenicity
The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

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Mutagenic Effects
No information available.

Reproductive Effects
No information available.

Developmental Effects
No information available.

Teratogenicity
No information available.

STOT - single exposure
None known

STOT - repeated exposure
Kidney Liver Blood

Aspiration hazard
No information available

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed
Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing

Endocrine Disruptor Information
No information available
Other Adverse Effects  
The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

### 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity**
Do not empty into drains. May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

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**Persistence and Degradability**
May persist

**Bioaccumulation/Accumulation**
No information available.

**Mobility**
Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

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### 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste Disposal Methods**
Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

### 14. Transport information

**DOT**
- **UN-No**: UN3260
- **Proper Shipping Name**: Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.
- **Technical Name**: Iron (III) chloride hexahydrate
- **Hazard Class**: 8
- **Packing Group**: III

**TDG**
- **UN-No**: UN3260
- **Proper Shipping Name**: Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.
- **Hazard Class**: 8
- **Packing Group**: III

**IATA**
- **UN-No**: UN3260
- **Proper Shipping Name**: Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.
- **Hazard Class**: 8
- **Packing Group**: III

**IMDG/IMO**
- **UN-No**: UN3260
- **Proper Shipping Name**: Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.
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### 15. Regulatory information

**United States of America Inventory**
Iron(III) chloride hexahydrate

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Legend:
TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)
X - Listed
'-' - Not Listed
TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export Not applicable

International Inventories
Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (ECL).

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U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313 Not applicable
SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act)

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Clean Air Act Not applicable
OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration Not applicable
CERCLA This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

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California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

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U.S. Department of Transportation

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Y
DOT Marine Pollutant N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

U.S. Department of Homeland Security
This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations
Mexico - Grade

No information available

### 16. Other information

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**Revision Summary**
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End of SDS