

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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This safety data sheet was created pursuant to the requirements of: US OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 2024 (29 CFR 1910.1200)

## 1. Identification

<b>Product Name</b>	Phosphorus oxybromide
<b>Cat No. :</b>	AC388450000; AC388450100; AC388450250; AC388451000
<b>CAS No</b>	7789-59-5
<b>Synonyms</b>	Phosphoryl bromide
<b>Recommended Use</b>	Laboratory chemicals.
<b>Uses advised against</b>	Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Company

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

Acros Organics  
One Reagent Lane  
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

#### Emergency Telephone Number

For information **US** call: 001-800-227-6701 / **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 according to [US] OSHA (29 CFR 1910.1200, 2024)

Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 1 B
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3
Target Organs - Respiratory system.	

### Label Elements

**Signal Word**  
Danger

**Hazard Statements**  
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

May cause respiratory irritation



### Precautionary Statements

#### Prevention

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

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

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

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

#### Response

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

#### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

#### Skin

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

Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

#### Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

#### Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting

#### Storage

Store locked up

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

#### Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Lachrymator (substance which increases the flow of tears)

### Hazards classified under paragraph (d)(1)(ii) of 1910.1200

#### Hazards resulting from a reaction with other chemicals under normal conditions of use

Reacts violently with water.

### 3. Composition/information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Phosphorus oxybromide	7789-59-5	<=100

### 4. First-aid measures

#### General Advice

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

#### Eye Contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required. Keep eye wide open while rinsing.

#### Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Call a physician immediately.

<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Immediate medical attention is required. Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
<b>Most important symptoms and effects</b>	Causes burns by all exposure routes. Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation: After inhalation exposure, observe for 24 to 72 hours as pulmonary edema may be delayed
<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** No information available

**Flash Point Method -** No information available  
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

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Reacts violently with water.

### Hazardous Combustion Products

Hydrogen halides. Oxides of phosphorus. Phosphorus trihydride (phosphine).

### 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. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

<b>NFPA</b>	<b>Health</b>	<b>Flammability</b>	<b>Instability</b>	<b>Physical hazards</b>
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## 6. Accidental release measures

**Personal Precautions** Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

**Environmental Precautions** Should not be released into the environment. 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. Do not expose spill to water.

## 7. Handling and Storage

**Handling** Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use only under a chemical fume hood. Do not breathe dust. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance. Do not allow contact with water. Handle under an inert atmosphere.

**Storage.** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Air sensitive. Corrosives area. Keep away from water or moist air. Keep under nitrogen. To maintain product quality: Keep refrigerated. Incompatible Materials. Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases. Organic materials.

## 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

### Exposure Guidelines

This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limit established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

### Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. 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.

#### Recommended Filter type:

Particulates filter conforming to EN 143.

#### Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

### Appearance

#### Physical State

Solid

#### Color

#### Odor

No information available

#### Odor Threshold

No information available

### Property

#### Values

#### Remarks

#### • Method

#### Melting Point/Range

56 °C / 132.8 °F

#### Softening Point

No data available

@ 760 mmHg

#### Boiling Point/Range

192 °C / 377.6 °F

**Method** - No information available

#### Flash Point

No information available

Solid

#### Flammability (liquid)

Not applicable

#### Flammability (solid,gas)

No information available

#### Explosion Limits

No data available

#### Autoignition Temperature

No data available

#### Decomposition Temperature

No data available

#### pH

No information available

#### Viscosity

Not applicable

Solid

#### Water Solubility

Reacts violently with water

#### Solubility in other solvents

No information available

#### Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

No data available

#### Vapor Pressure

No data available

#### Density / Specific Gravity

No data available

#### Bulk Density

No data available

#### Vapor Density

Not applicable

Solid

**Particle characteristics** No data available

**Other Information**

**Molecular Formula** Br<sub>3</sub>OP  
**Molecular Weight** 286.69  
**Evaporation Rate** Not applicable - Solid

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactive Hazard** Yes

**Stability** Moisture sensitive. Reacts violently with water.

**Conditions to Avoid** Exposure to air. Incompatible products. Exposure to moist air or water. Avoid dust formation. Exposure to moisture.

**Incompatible Materials** Strong oxidizing agents, Strong bases, Organic materials

**Hazardous Decomposition Products** Hydrogen halides, Oxides of phosphorus, Phosphorus trihydride (phosphine)

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing. Reacts violently with water.

## 11. Toxicological information

**Information on expected route of exposure**

**Inhalation** Not an expected route of exposure.

**Ingestion** May be harmful if swallowed.

**Eyes** Avoid contact with eyes. Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness. Risk of serious damage to eyes.

**Skin** Avoid contact with skin. Causes burns. Skin Corrosion/Irritation. Contact with moist skin may cause skin burns.

**Toxicology data for the components**

**Toxicologically Synergistic Products** No information available

**(b) skin corrosion/irritation;** Category 1 B

**(c) serious eye damage/irritation;** Category 1

**(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;**  
**Respiratory** No data available  
**Skin** No data available

**(e) germ cell mutagenicity;** No data available

**(f) carcinogenicity;**

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

Component	CAS No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Phosphorus	7789-59-5	Not listed				

oxybromide						
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**(g) reproductive toxicity;** No data available

**(h) STOT-single exposure;** No data available

**(i) STOT-repeated exposure;** No data available

**Target Organs** No information available.

**(j) aspiration hazard;** Not applicable  
Solid

**Other Adverse Effects** The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

**Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed** Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation. After inhalation exposure, observe for 24 to 72 hours as pulmonary edema may be delayed.

**Other Adverse Effects** The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

**Endocrine Disrupting Properties** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

Do not empty into drains. Reacts with water so no ecotoxicity data for the substance is available.

**Persistence and Degradability** Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** Is not likely mobile in the environment.

## 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** UN1939  
**Proper Shipping Name** PHOSPHORUS OXYBROMIDE  
**Hazard Class** 8  
**Packing Group** II

### TDG

**UN-No** UN1939  
**Proper Shipping Name** PHOSPHORUS OXYBROMIDE  
**Hazard Class** 8  
**Packing Group** II

### IATA

**UN-No** UN1939  
**Proper Shipping Name** PHOSPHORUS OXYBROMIDE

Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	II
<b>IMDG/IMO</b>	
UN-No	UN1939
Proper Shipping Name	PHOSPHORUS OXYBROMIDE
Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	II

## 15. Regulatory Information

### United States of America Inventory

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags
Phosphorus oxybromide	7789-59-5	X	ACTIVE	-

#### Legend:

TSCA US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'' - Not Listed

**TSCA - Per 40 CFR 751, Regulation of Certain Chemical Substances & Mixtures, Under TSCA Section 6(h) (PBT)** Not applicable

**TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export** Not applicable

### International Inventories

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

Component	CAS No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Phosphorus oxybromide	7789-59-5	-	X	232-177-7	X	X	X	X	X	KE-28727

**KECL** - NIER number or KE number (<http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do>)

### U.S. Federal Regulations

#### SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

**CWA (Clean Water Act)** Not applicable

**Clean Air Act** Not applicable

**OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration** Not applicable

#### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

**U.S. State Right-to-Know  
Regulations**

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Phosphorus oxybromide	-	X	-	-	-

**U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N  
 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

**Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH**

Not applicable

Component	CAS No	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances	REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
Phosphorus oxybromide	7789-59-5	-	-	-

**Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Persistent Organic Pollutant	Ozone Depletion Potential	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)
Phosphorus oxybromide	7789-59-5	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

**Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)?**

Not applicable

**Other International Regulations**

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements	Rotterdam Convention (PIC)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
Phosphorus oxybromide	7789-59-5	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

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**Revision Summary**

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**End of SDS**