

Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

Mercury(II) chloride pure

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Product code: 25288

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

1.1. Product identifier

Mercury(II) chloride pure

CAS No: 7487-94-7
Index No: 080-010-00-X
EC No: 231-299-8

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

Use of the substance/mixture

Reagents and laboratory chemicals
Only for laboratory and analysis purposes.

Uses advised against

Do not use for private purposes (household).

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name: AnalytiChem GmbH
ACD
Street: Stempelstraße 6
Place: D-47167 Duisburg
Telephone: 0203/5194-0 Telefax: 0203/5194-290
E-mail: info@analytichem.de
Contact person: Abteilung Produktsicherheit Telephone: 0203/5194-107/117
E-mail: produktsicherheit@analytichem.de
Internet: www.analytichem.de
Responsible Department: Abteilung Produktsicherheit

1.4. Emergency telephone number:

For Hazardous Materials [or Dangerous Goods] Incidents Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident Call CHEMTRIC Day or Night Within USA and Canada: 1-800-424-9300 Outside USA and Canada: +1 703-741-5970 (collect calls accepted)

Further Information

A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its use are exempted from registration according to Article 2 REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Muta. 2; H341
Repr. 2; H361f
Acute Tox. 2; H300
Skin Corr. 1B; H314
STOT RE 1; H372
Aquatic Acute 1; H400
Aquatic Chronic 1; H410

Full text of hazard statements: see SECTION 16.

2.2. Label elements

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Signal word: Danger

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Pictograms:



Hazard statements

H300 Fatal if swallowed.
 H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
 H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.
 H361f Suspected of damaging fertility.
 H372 Causes damage to organs (kidneys) through prolonged or repeated exposure.
 H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statements

P273 Avoid release to the environment.
 P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.
 P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
 P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
 P308 IF exposed or concerned:
 P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

Special labelling of certain mixtures

Restricted to professional users.

2.3. Other hazards

No data available

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Sum formula: HgCl₂
 Molecular weight: 271,5 g/mol

Relevant ingredients

CAS No	Chemical name			Quantity
	EC No	Index No	REACH No	
Classification (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008)				
7487-94-7	mercury dichloride			100 %
	231-299-8	080-010-00-X		
	Muta. 2, Repr. 2, Acute Tox. 2, Skin Corr. 1B, STOT RE 1, Aquatic Acute 1, Aquatic Chronic 1; H341 H361f H300 H314 H372 H400 H410			

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE

CAS No	EC No	Chemical name	Quantity
Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE			
7487-94-7	231-299-8	mercury dichloride	100 %
	oral: ATE = 5 mg/kg		

Further Information

This product does not contain substances of very high concern according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 57 above the respective regulatory concentration limit of = 0.1 % (w/w).

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information

Self-protection of the first aider

After inhalation

Provide fresh air.

Call a physician immediately.

After contact with skin

Wash immediately with: Water

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Call a physician immediately.

After contact with eyes

In case of contact with eyes flush immediately with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart and consult an ophthalmologist.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Protect uninjured eye.

After ingestion

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water.

Water, to which activated charcoal may be added

Do not allow a neutralisation agent to be drunk.

Call a physician immediately.

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

corrosive, Irritant

Cough, Dyspnoea

Risk of serious damage to eyes., Vomiting

Gastrointestinal complaints, Abdominal pain

Blood pressure drop, Circulatory collapse

For Hg compounds applies: they act in a cytotoxic and protoplasmotoxic. Symptoms of poisoning: Eye contact leads to severe lesions. Ingestion and inhalation of dusts (acute): Diarrhea metallic taste, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, bloody diarrhea, intestinal burns, glottal edema, aspiration pneumonia, reduction in blood pressure, cardiac dysrhythmia, circulatory collapse, and renal failure (chronic): Mouth inflammation with loss of teeth and mercurial line. Speech, vision, hearing, and sensitivity, loss of memory, irritability, hallucinations, delirium

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

No data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

no restriction

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-combustible solids

Hazardous combustion products

In case of fire may be liberated:

Hydrogen chloride (HCl), mercury and its compounds

5.3. Advice for firefighters

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Do not inhale explosion and combustion gases.
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.
In case of fire: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Additional information

Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering drains or surface water.
Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area if it can be done safely.
Use water spray jet to protect personnel and to cool endangered containers.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General advice

Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe dust.

For non-emergency personnel

Provide adequate ventilation.
Use personal protection equipment.
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.
Remove persons to safety.
Emergency procedures
Consult an expert
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

For emergency responders

Precautionary statements For emergency responders : Personal protection equipment: see section 8

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment

Cover drains.
Prevent spread over a wide area (e.g. by containment or oil barriers).
Collect in closed and suitable containers for disposal.
Take up carefully when dry. Take up dust-free and set down dust-free.

For cleaning up

Clean contaminated articles and floor according to the environmental legislation.

Other information

Provide adequate ventilation.
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dusts/aerosols.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7
Personal protection equipment: see section 8
Disposal: see section 13

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.
Read label before use. Handle and open container with care.
Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe dust.
When using do not eat, drink, smoke, sniff. Keep container tightly closed.
Use personal protection equipment. Use extractor hood (laboratory).

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Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Usual measures for fire prevention.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. Make available sufficient washing facilities

Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. Draw up and observe skin protection programme. Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary. When using do not eat or drink.

Further information on handling

Draw up and observe skin protection programme.

Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary.

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

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

Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only.

Protect against: Light

Hints on joint storage

national regulations

Further information on storage conditions

Store in a dry place.

storage temperature +5°C - +30°C

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Laboratory chemicals

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Technical measures and the application of suitable work processes have priority over personal protection equipment.

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.

Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe dust.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

goggles

Wear eye protection/face protection.

Hand protection

Protective gloves are recommended Company KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, email: vertrieb@kcl.de With specification (test according to EN374):

By long-term hand contact

Recommended glove articles: KCL 741 Dermatril® L

Thickness of the glove material: NBR (Nitrile rubber) 0,11 mm

Wearing time with permanent contact: > 480 min

By short-term hand contact

Recommended glove articles: KCL 741 Dermatril® L

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Thickness of the glove material: NBR (Nitrile rubber) 0,11 mm

Wearing time with occasional contact (splashes): > 480 min

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types. This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet<(>,<)> supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Skin protection

Wear suitable protective clothing.

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Wash hands before breaks and after work.

The choice of body protection depends on the concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. The chemical resistance of protective agents must be clarified with their suppliers.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection necessary at: dust formation

Filtering device with filter or ventilator filtering device of type: Hg-P3

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

Environmental exposure controls

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state:	solid
Colour:	white
Odour:	odourless
Odour threshold:	No data available
Melting point/freezing point:	280,7 °C
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range:	302 °C
Flammability:	No data available
Lower explosion limits:	No data available
Upper explosion limits:	No data available
Flash point:	not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available
Decomposition temperature:	No data available
pH-Value:	3,2 (15 g/l)
Viscosity / kinematic:	No data available
Water solubility: (at 20 °C)	74 g/l
Solubility in other solvents	
No data available	
Dissolution rate:	No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:	No data available
Dispersion stability:	No data available
Vapour pressure: (at 100 °C)	0,1 hPa
Vapour pressure:	No data available
Density (at 20 °C):	5,44 g/cm³

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Relative density:	No data available
Bulk density:	~2000 kg/m ³
Relative vapour density:	No data available
Particle characteristics:	No data available

9.2. Other information

Information with regard to physical hazard classes

Explosive properties

No data available

Sustained combustibility:

No data available

Self-ignition temperature

Solid:

No data available

Gas:

No data available

Oxidizing properties

No data available

Other safety characteristics

Evaporation rate:

No data available

Solvent separation test:

No data available

Solvent content:

No data available

Solid content:

100%

Sublimation point:

No data available

Softening point:

No data available

Pour point:

No data available

No data available:

Viscosity / dynamic:

No data available

Flow time:

No data available

Further Information

No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No data available

10.2. Chemical stability

Protect against: Light

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Danger of explosion:

Fluorine, Alkali metals, Hydrazine

Exothermic reaction with:

Strong alkali, Oxidising agent, strong

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Light

10.5. Incompatible materials

Metal

Copper, Light metal

silver, Zinc

tin

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

In case of fire may be liberated:

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Further information

No data available

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Toxicokinetics, metabolism and distribution

Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

Acute toxicity

Fatal if swallowed.

If swallowed danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach (strong corrosive effects).

Mucous membrane irritation in the mouth, throat, esophagus and gastrointestinal tract.

Inhalation effect: Damage to the respiratory tract.

CAS No	Chemical name				
	Exposure route	Dose	Species	Source	Method
7487-94-7	mercury dichloride				
	oral	ATE	5 mg/kg		

Irritation and corrosivity

Skin corrosion/irritation: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Causes serious eye damage.

Sensitising effects

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

Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction

Suspected of causing genetic defects. (mercury dichloride)

Suspected of damaging fertility. (mercury dichloride)

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

STOT-single exposure

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

STOT-repeated exposure

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. (mercury dichloride)

Aspiration hazard

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

Information on likely routes of exposure

No data available

Specific effects in experiment on an animal

No data available

Additional information on tests

No data available

Practical experience

No data available

11.2. Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

Other information

No data available

Further information

corrosive, Irritant

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Cough, Dyspnoea

Risk of serious damage to eyes., Vomiting

Gastrointestinal complaints, Abdominal pain

Blood pressure drop, Circulatory collapse

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SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

No data available

12.2. Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4. Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance does not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria of REACH, annex XIII.

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

This substance does not have endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms.

12.7. Other adverse effects

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

Further information

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal recommendations

Waste disposal according to directive 2008/98/EC, covering waste and dangerous waste.

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

Do not mix with other wastes.

Send to a physico-chemical treatment facility under observation of official regulations.

Contaminated packaging

The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1. UN number or ID number: UN 1624

14.2. UN proper shipping name: MERCURIC CHLORIDE

14.3. Transport hazard class(es): 6.1

14.4. Packing group: II

Hazard label: 6.1

Classification code: T5

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Limited quantity:	500 g
Excepted quantity:	E4
Transport category:	2
Hazard No:	60
Tunnel restriction code:	D/E

Inland waterways transport (ADN)

<u>14.1. UN number or ID number:</u>	UN 1624
<u>14.2. UN proper shipping name:</u>	MERCURIC CHLORIDE
<u>14.3. Transport hazard class(es):</u>	6.1
<u>14.4. Packing group:</u>	II
Hazard label:	6.1
Classification code:	T5
Special Provisions:	802
Limited quantity:	500 g
Excepted quantity:	E4

Marine transport (IMDG)

<u>14.1. UN number or ID number:</u>	UN 1624
<u>14.2. UN proper shipping name:</u>	MERCURIC CHLORIDE
<u>14.3. Transport hazard class(es):</u>	6.1
<u>14.4. Packing group:</u>	II
Hazard label:	6.1
Marine pollutant:	P
Special Provisions:	-
Limited quantity:	500 g
Excepted quantity:	E4
EmS:	F-A, S-A

Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)

<u>14.1. UN number or ID number:</u>	UN 1624
<u>14.2. UN proper shipping name:</u>	MERCURIC CHLORIDE
<u>14.3. Transport hazard class(es):</u>	6.1
<u>14.4. Packing group:</u>	II
Hazard label:	6.1
Limited quantity Passenger:	1 kg
Passenger LQ:	Y644
Excepted quantity:	E4
IATA-packing instructions - Passenger:	669
IATA-max. quantity - Passenger:	25 kg
IATA-packing instructions - Cargo:	676
IATA-max. quantity - Cargo:	100 kg

14.5. Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS:	Yes
Danger releasing substance:	mercury dichloride

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

EU regulatory information

Restrictions on use (REACH, annex XVII):

Entry 18, Entry 75

Information according to Directive 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III): H2 ACUTE TOXIC

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Additional information: E1

Additional information

SVHC substance.

National regulatory information

Employment restrictions: Observe restrictions to employment for juveniles according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC). Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers. Observe employment restrictions for women of child-bearing age.

Water hazard class (D): 3 - highly hazardous to water

SECTION 16: Other information

Changes

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s): 6,9,11,12.

Abbreviations and acronyms

Acute Tox. 2: Acute toxicity, hazard category 2

Skin Corr. 1B: Skin corrosion, sub-category 1B

Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage, hazard category 1

Muta. 2: Germ cell mutagenicity, hazard category 2

Repr. 2: Reproductive toxicity, hazard category 2

STOT RE 1: Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, hazard category 1

Aquatic Acute 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment, hazard category: Acute 1

Aquatic Chronic 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term hazard category: Chronic 1

Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)

H300	Fatal if swallowed.
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H341	Suspected of causing genetic defects.
H361f	Suspected of damaging fertility.
H372	Causes damage to organs (kidneys) through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Further Information

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material.

The information is based on the present level of our knowledge. It does not, however, give assurance of product properties and establishes no contract legal rights.

The receiver of our product is singularly responsible for adhering to existing laws and regulations.

Provide appropriate information, instructions and training to users