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#### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1 Product Identifier

**Product Name:** Osmium (III) chloride hydrate

**Product Code:** CMG - 14003 CAS No. 14996-60-2

**REACH Registration No:** Not applicable, substance is exempt from registration.

#### 1.2 Relevant identified use fo the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Laboratory Chemical, Manufacture of substances

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

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## 1.4 Emergency Telephone Number

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### **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

## Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (EU-GHS/CLP)

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 3) Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 3) Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3) Skin irriation (Category 2) Eye irritation (Category 2)

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3)

### Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

# 2.2 Label Elements

# Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

Pictogram



Signal Word Danger

Hazard Statement(s)

Toxic if swallowed H301 H311 Toxic in contact with skin H315 Causes skin irritation Causes serious eye irritation H319

H331 Toxic if inhaled

May cause respiratory irritation H335



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Precautionary Statement(s)

P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection
P301 + P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present

and easy to do. Contiue rinsing.

P311 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Supplemental Hazard

Statement(s)

none

# According to EU Directive 67/548/EEC as amended

Hazard Symbol(s)



R-phrase(s)

R23/24/25 Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed

R36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

S-phrase(s)

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

S36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves ans eye/face protection

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

#### 2.3 Other Hazards

none

# **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

# 3.1 Substances

Synonyms Osmium trichloride

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Formula} & \text{Cl}_3\text{Os.xH}_2\text{O} \\ \text{Molecular Weight} & \text{296.59 g/mol} \end{array}$ 

Component		Concentration
Osmium (III) chloride hydrate		
CAS No:	14996-60-2	-
EC No:	-	
Index No:	-	

# **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

# 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General Advice

Consult a physician. Show this SDS to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. 
If not breathing give artificial respiration. 
Contact a physician.

# In case of skn contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.

# In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.



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

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

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

no data available

## **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide

#### 5.2 Special Hazards arising from the substance or mixture

no data available

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

# **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust. Ensure adequate ventiliation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

#### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

# 6.4 Reference to other sections

For exposure control see section 8. For disposal see section 13

#### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

# 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Keep away from sources of ignition – No smoking. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust if formed. Normal measures for preventative fire protection.

# 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

no data available

# SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# 8.1 Control Parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### 8.2 Exposure Controls

## Appropriate engineering controls

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

# Personal protective equipment

# Respiratory Protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with mulit-purpose combination (US) or type AXBEK (EN 14387) repsirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

## **Eye Protection**

Face Shield and safety glasses. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such



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#### Skin and body protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching gloves outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it. Complete suit protecting against chemicals, the type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### Hygiene measures:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of the workday.

### **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: solid, Colour: dark red to black

b) Odour no data available
c) Odour Threshold no data available
d) pH no data available
e) Melting point/freezing point no data available
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range

g) Flash point no data available
h) Evaporation rate no data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas) no data available
j) Upper/Lower flammability no data available

or explosive limits
k) Vapour pressure no data available
l) Vapour density no data available
m) Relative density no data available
n) Solubility no data available
o) Parition coefficient: no data available

n-octanol/water
p) Auto-ignition temperature
q) Decomposition temperature
r) Viscosity
s) Explosive properties
t) Oxidising properties
no data available
no data available
no data available

#### 9.2 Other information

no data available

# **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

# 10. 1 Reactivity

no data available

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

no data available

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions – Hydrogen chloride gas.

# **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**



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11.1 Information on toxicological effects

# Acute toxicity

no data available

## Skin corrosion/Irritation

no data available

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

## Respiratory or skin Sensitisation

no data available

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

## Carcinogenicity

IARC:

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed

Human carcinogen by IARC

#### Reproductive toxicity

no data available

## Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.

#### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

no data available

# Aspiration hazard

no data available

# Potential Health Effects

**Inhalation** Toxic if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.

**Ingestion** Toxic if swallowed.

Skin Toxic if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation

Eyes Causes serious eye irritation.

# Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

## **Additional Information**

RTECS#: not available

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 12.1 Toxicity

no data available

# 12.2 Persistence and degradability

no data available

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

no data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

no data available



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## **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator with an afterburner and scrubber. The material is to be disposed of as hazardous waste.

# Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

#### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

14.1 UN number

 ADR/RID
 IMDG
 IATA

 UN3288
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14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID

TOXIC SOLID, INORGANIC, N.O.S (Osmium(III)chloride)

**IMDG** 

TOXIC SOLID, INORGANIC, N.O.S (Osmium(III)chloride)

IATA

Toxic solid, inorganic, n.o.s (Osmium(III)chloride)

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID IMDG IATA
Class 6.1 Class 6.1 Class 6.1

14.4 Packing Group

ADR/RID IMDG IATA

Packing Group II Packing Group II Packing Group II

14.5 Environmental Hazards

ADR/RID IMDG IATA
No Marine Pollutant: No No

14.6 Special Precautions for user

no data available

# **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture no data available

#### 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

no data available

# **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **Further Information:**

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