# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# **1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER**

Product identifier			
Product Name	HYDROCHLORIC ACID <10%		
Product Code(s)	000033613704		
Other means of identification			
Synonyms	Hydrochloric acid 5%; Hydrochloric acid 9%; 1M HCI; 1N HCI; H9 Activator Liquid.		
Recommended use of the chemical	and restrictions on use		
Recommended use	Precursor for generation of chlorine dioxide gas used in water treatment.		
Uses advised against	No information available		
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#### Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number

1 800 033 111 (ALL HOURS)

Please ensure you refer to the limitations of this Safety Data Sheet as set out in the "Other Information" section at the end of this Data Sheet.

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### GHS Classification

Not classified as dangerous goods in accordance with the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (ADG)

Not classified as a hazardous chemical in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

#### Label elements

Hazard statements

Other hazards which do not result in classification General Hazards Poisons Schedule (SUSMP)

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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<u>Mixture</u>

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Hydrogen chloride	7647-01-0	<10
Water	7732-18-5	to 100

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### Description of first aid measures

General advice	For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 13 11 26; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.	
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms occur.	
Eye contact	In case of eye contact, remove contact lens and rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.	
Skin contact	Wash skin with soap and water. Call a physician if symptoms occur.	
Ingestion	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.	

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

Symptoms No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES				
Suitable Extinguishing Media				
Suitable Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing agent suitable for type of surrounding fire.			
Unsuitable extinguishing media	No information available.			
Specific hazards arising from the chemical				
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Non-combustible.			
Special protective actions for fire-fighters				
Special protective equipment for fire-fighters	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.			

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Personal precautions	Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Wash thoroughly after handling.		
For emergency responders	Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.		
Environmental precautions			
Environmental precautions	See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.		
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up			
Methods for containment	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.		
Methods for cleaning up	Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and place into a container for later disposal. After cleaning, flush away traces with water.		

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling	Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid breathing dust / fume / gas / mist / vapours / spray.
	Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protection equipment. Wash thoroughly after
	handling.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions	Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store away from foodstuffs. Keep container closed when not in use.
Packaging materials	Do not store in aluminium containers. Do not store in galvanized containers.
Incompatible materials	Strong alkalis. Sodium hypochlorite. Cyanides. Metals.

#### Poisons Schedule (SUSMP)

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

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#### Control parameters

Exposure Limits

No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia. However, Workplace Exposure Standard(s) for constituent(s):

Hydrogen chloride: Peak Limitation = 7.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (5 ppm)

As published by Safe Work Australia Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants.

Peak Limitation - a maximum or peak airborne concentration of a particular substance determined over the shortest analytically practicable period of time which does not exceed 15 minutes.

These Workplace Exposure Standards are guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable. These workplace exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity.

#### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering controls** 

Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

If in the handling and application of this material, safe exposure levels could be exceeded, the use of engineering controls such as local exhaust ventilation must be considered and the results documented. If achieving safe exposure levels does not require engineering controls, then a detailed and documented risk assessment using the relevant Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (refer to PPE section below) as a basis must be carried out to determine the minimum PPE requirements.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

The selection of PPE is dependent on a detailed risk assessment. The risk assessment should consider the work situation, the physical form of the chemical, the handling methods, and environmental factors.

OVERALLS, SAFETY SHOES, SAFETY GLASSES, GLOVES.



## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Liquid	
Appearance	Clear	
Color	Colourless to Slightly Yellow	
Odor	Pungent	
Odor threshold	No information available	
Property_	Values	Remarks • Method
pH	ca. 1	None known
pH (as aqueous solution)	No data available	None known
Melting point / freezing point	No data available	None known
Boiling point / boiling range	No data available	None known
Flash point	Not applicable	None known
Evaporation rate	No data available	None known
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available	None known
Flammability Limit in Air		None known
Upper flammability or explosive limits	Not applicable	
Lower flammability or explosive limits	Not applicable	

Vapor pressure	No data availa
Vapor density	No data availa
Relative density	ca. 1.05
Water solubility	Miscible in wat
Solubility(ies)	No data availa
Partition coefficient	No data availal
Autoignition temperature	Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	No data availa
Kinematic viscosity	No data availal
Dynamic viscosity	No data availal

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None known None known

Other information

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

<u>Reactivity</u>			
Reactivity	No information available.		
Chemical stability			
Stability	Stable under normal conditions.		
Explosion data Sensitivity to mechanical impact None.			
Sensitivity to static discharge	None.		
Possibility of hazardous reactions			
Possibility of hazardous reactions	None under normal processing.		
Conditions to avoid			
Conditions to avoid	Do not contaminate food or feed stuffs.		
Incompatible materials			
Incompatible materials	Strong alkalis. Sodium hypochlorite. Cyanides. Metals.		
Hazardous decomposition product	<u>S</u>		

Hazardous decomposition products Hydrogen chloride.

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute toxicity

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information	No adverse health effects expected if the chemical is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the chemical label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the chemical is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:	
Inhalation	May cause irritation.	
Eye contact	May cause irritation.	
Skin contact	May cause irritation.	

Ingestion

May cause gastrointestinal discomfort if consumed in large amounts.

Symptoms No information available.

#### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Refer to component information below.

#### **Component Information**

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Hydrogen chloride	238 - 277 mg/kg (Rat)	> 5010 mg/kg (Rabbit)	= 1.68 mg/L (Rat)1 h

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

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

Skin corrosion/irritation	No information available.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	No information available.
Respiratory or skin sensitization	No information available.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No information available.
Carcinogenicity	No information available.
Reproductive toxicity	No information available.
STOT - single exposure	No information available.
STOT - repeated exposure	No information available.
Aspiration hazard	No information available.
Chronic effects:	Repeated exposure to low levels of hydrochloric acid may produce discolouration and erosion of teeth and ulceration of the nasal passages.

## **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Ecotoxicity

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Keep out of waterways.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Hydrogen chloride	-	LC50: =282mg/L (96h, Gambusia affinis)	-	-

#### Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No information available.

#### Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation

No information available.

<u>Mobility</u>

Mobility in soil

No information available.

Other adverse effects

## **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with
products	environmental legislation.

## **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

## <u>ADG</u>

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for transport by Road and Rail; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

#### <u>IATA</u>

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

#### IMDG

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

#### National regulations

#### Australia

Not classified as dangerous goods in accordance with the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (ADG)

Not classified as a hazardous chemical in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

#### Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

Classified as a scheduled poison according to the Standard for Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) **Poisons Schedule (SUSMP)** 5

#### National pollutant inventory

Subject to reporting requirement

Chemical name	National pollutant inventory
Hydrogen chloride - 7647-01-0	10 tonne/yr Threshold category 1
	400 tonne/yr Threshold category 2a
	1 tonne/h Threshold category 2a
	2000 tonne/yr Threshold category 2b
	60000 MWH Threshold category 2b

20 MW Threshold category 2b
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International Inventories AIIC

All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals.

Legend: AllC- Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals

International Regulations

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared by Ixom Operations Pty Ltd (Toxicology and SDS Services).

**Revision Note:** 

The symbol (\*) in the margin of this SDS indicates that this line has been revised.

### Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

## Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	*	Skin designation
С	Carcinogen		

#### Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s)) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals Food Research Journal Hazardous Substance Database International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID) Japan GHS Classification Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS) NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health) National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP) National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED) National Toxicology Program (NTP) New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID) Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances) World Health Organization

#### **Disclaimer**

This SDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the material

and general guidance on how to safely handle the material in the workplace. Since Ixom Operations Pty Ltd cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, assess and control the risks arising from its use of the material.

If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact their Ixom representative or Ixom Operations Pty Ltd at the contact details on page 1.

Ixom Operations Pty Ltd's responsibility for the material as sold is subject to the terms and conditions of sale, a copy of which is available upon request.

End of Safety Data Sheet