

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## Section 1: Identification

**Product identifier** 

Product Name ZINC CHLORIDE SOLUTION 0.1N

**Product Code(s)** 000000053354

Other means of identification

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Laboratory reagent.

Uses advised against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier** 

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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.

## Section 2: Hazard identification

Not classified as a Dangerous Good under NZS 5433 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

Classified as hazardous according to criteria in the Hazardous Substances (Hazard Classification) Notice 2020. GHS Classification

| Skin corrosion/irritation         | Category 2 |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Serious eye damage/eye irritation | Category 2 |

### Label elements



### Signal word

Warning

#### **Hazard statements**

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Wash eyes thoroughly after handling.

Wear protective gloves/clothing and eye/face protection.

### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Specific treatment (see First aid on this SDS).

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

No storage statements.

### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable.

### Other hazards which do not result in classification

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

## Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

| Chemical name     | CAS No.   | Weight-% |
|-------------------|-----------|----------|
| Zinc chloride     | 7646-85-7 | 1-<10    |
| Hydrochloric acid | 7647-01-0 | <1       |
| Water             | 7732-18-5 | to 100   |

### Section 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.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. (Call a physician if symptoms occur).

**Eye contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids.

Consult a physician.

**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. Call

a physician immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Irritation. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Erythema (skin redness).

Effects of Exposure No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

## Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Unsuitable extinguishing media No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

Non-combustible. Environmentally hazardous.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

### Section 6: Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin, eyes and inhalation of vapors. Do not touch or walk through spilled

material. Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use

personal protective equipment as required. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**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.

Precautions to prevent secondary hazards

**Prevention of secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

## Section 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Use personal protection

equipment. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container

closed when not in use.

Packaging materials Do not store in aluminium containers. Do not store in galvanized containers.

**Incompatible materials** Cyanides. Sulphide salts.

## Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### **Control parameters**

Exposure Limits

No value assigned for this specific material by the New Zealand Workplace Health & Safety

Authority. However, Workplace Exposure Standard(s) for constituents:.

| Chemical name     | New Zealand                    | Australia                        | ACGIH TLV                     | United Kingdom            |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Zinc chloride     | TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>       | 8hr TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>     | TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> fume | TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  |
| 7646-85-7         | STEL: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>      | (fume)                           | STEL: 2 mg/m³ fume            | STEL: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |
|                   | _                              | 15 min STEL: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | -                             | -                         |
|                   |                                | (fume)                           |                               |                           |
| Hydrochloric acid | Ceiling: 5 ppm                 | Peak: 5 ppm                      | Ceiling: 2 ppm                | TWA: 1 ppm                |
| 7647-01-0         | Ceiling: 7.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | Peak: 7.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>      |                               | TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  |
|                   |                                |                                  |                               | STEL: 5 ppm               |
|                   |                                |                                  |                               | STEL: 8 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

Hydrogen chloride: Ceiling 5 ppm, 7.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Zinc chloride fume: WES-TWA 1 mg/m3; WES-STEL 2 mg/m3

As published by the New Zealand Workplace Health & Safety Authority.

WES - TWA (Workplace Exposure Standard - Time Weighted Average) - The eight-hour, time-weighted average exposure standard is designed to protect the worker from the effects of long-term exposure.

WES - STEL (Workplace Exposure Standard - Short Term Exposure Limits) - The 15 minute average exposure standard. Applies to any 15 minute period in the working day and is designed to protect the worker against adverse effects of irritation, chronic or irreversible tissue change, or narcosis that may increase the likelihood of accidents. The WES-STEL is not an alternative to the WES-TWA; both short-term and eight-hour, time-weighted average exposures should be determined.

WES - Ceiling (Workplace Exposure Standard - Ceiling). A concentration that should not be exceeded during any part of the working day.

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, CHEMICAL GOGGLES, GLOVES.



Hand protection Impervious gloves.

**Skin and body protection** Overalls. Boots. Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory protection** If determined by a risk assessment an inhalation risk exists, wear a suitable mist respirator

meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

## Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state
Appearance
Color
Color
Odor
Liquid
Clear
Colourless
Not specified

Odor threshold No information available

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

No data available None known pН 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

No data available

No data available

Upper flammability or explosive

limits

Lower flammability or explosive limits

Vapor pressure No data available

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None known

No data available Vapor density None known None known Relative density No data available None known Water solubility Miscible Solubility(ies) No data available None known **Partition coefficient** No data available None known **Autoignition temperature** No data available None known **Decomposition temperature** None known Kinematic viscosity No data available None known **Dynamic viscosity** No data available None known

Other information Particle characteristics

## Section 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

**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** Heat. Contact with foodstuffs.

Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials Cyanides. Sulphide salts.

**Hazardous decomposition products** 

Hazardous decomposition products Hydrogen chloride.

## Section 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** Causes serious eye irritation.

**Skin contact** Causes skin irritation.

**Ingestion** May cause irritation.

Symptoms Irritation. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Erythema (skin redness).

Acute toxicity .

Numerical measures of toxicity

No information available

**Component Information** 

| `EO             |  |
|-----------------|--|
| Inhalation LC50 |  |
| Rat ) 10        |  |
|                 |  |
| at ) 1 h        |  |
|                 |  |
|                 |  |

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

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Causes serious eye irritation.

**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.

Data used to identify the health

effects

Refer to Section 16 for Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the

SDS.

## Section 12: Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Keep out of waterways. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Aquatic ecotoxicity

Terrestrial ecotoxicity There is no data for this product.

Persistence and degradability No information available.

Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** There is no data for this product.

Mobility in soil

No information available. Mobility

Other adverse effects

No information available.

## Section 13: Disposal considerations

#### Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products

Dispose of product in packaging in a way that is consistent with the EPA Consolidation 30

April 2021 of the Hazardous Substances (Disposal) Notice 2017 and the Act. Treat the substance using a method that changes the characteristics or composition of the

substance so that the substance is no longer a hazardous substance; or export the

substance from New Zealand as waste.

Contaminated packaging

For packages that have been in direct contact with hazardous substances, the person must ensure that the package is rendered incapable of containing any substance. It must be disposed of in a manner that is consistent with the requirements for disposal of the substance that it contained, taking into account the material the package is manufactured from.

Packages may only be reused or recycled if:

- the substance has a physical hazard other than corrosive to metal, and has been treated to remove any residual contents of the hazardous substance:

- or for substances that have a health or environmental hazard, or corrosive to metal, the contents of the residue in the package are below the threshold for the substance to be classified as hazardous in the Hazardous Substances (Hazard Classification) Notice 2020.

## Section 14: Transport information

**ROAD AND RAIL TRANSPORT** 

Not classified as a Dangerous Good under NZS 5433 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

IATA 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.

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Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous

Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

### Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

No information available

IMDG

#### Special precautions for user

Please refer to the applicable dangerous goods regulations for additional information

## Section 15: Regulatory information

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

EPA New Zealand HSNO approval code or group standard

HSR002596 - Laboratory Chemicals and Reagent Kits

**National regulations** 

There are no applicable tolerable exposure limits or environmental exposure limits

according to the EPA Controls for Hazardous Substances

Certified handlers, tracking and controlled substance license requirements

Certified handlers are required for some substances. This includes substances requiring a controlled substance license, and most explosives, vertebrates toxic agents, and certain fumigants. Acutely toxic substances which are a Category 1 or 2, such as pesticides also require Certified handlers. Please check the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 for further information

Tracking is required for some highly hazardous substances. These substances need to be under the control of an appropriately trained person or appropriately secured. Please check the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 for further information

Controlled substance licenses are required to possess certain explosives, vertebrate toxic agents and fumigants. See Part 7 of the Health and Safety at Work Regulation 2017 for more information

### **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

### **International Inventories**

NZIOC All the constituents of this material are listed on the New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals.

**TSCA** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **DSL/NDSL** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **EINECS/ELINCS** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **ENCS IECSC** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **KECL** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **PICCS** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **AIIC TCSI** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

### Legend:

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**AIIC- Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals** 

TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory

### Section 16: Other information

Prepared By

This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared by IXOM Operations Pty Ltd (Toxicology and

SDS Services).

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#### **Revision Note:**

\*\*\*Indicates updated data since last publication.

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

#### Legend

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorization:
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic (PBT) Substances
vPvB: Very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative (vPvB) Substances

STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate LC50: 50% Lethal Concentration

LD50: 50% Lethal Dose

### Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value \* Skin designation \* Sensitizers

C Carcinogen

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

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

**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)

National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

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)

U.S. 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

World Health Organization

6.3A, 6.4A, 9.1C

#### 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**