

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

According to Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)
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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Product name TETRACHLOROETHYLENE

CAS-No. 127-18-4

Product code AR1198, AR1199, GP1198, IR1198, RP1198, RP1199

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

Identified uses Chemical for analysis and production.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4 Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency phone (662) 613-7911-4

# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315 Carcinogenicity (Category 2), H351

Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 2), H411

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

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

Carc.Cat.3 Carcinogenic Category 3 R40
Xi Irritant R38
N Dangerous for the environment R51/53

For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

#### 2.2 Label elements

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

#### Pictogram







Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P264 Wash hand thoroughly after handling.

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P273	Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection.
P281 Use personal protective equipment as required.
P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

P391 Collect spillage.

#### 2.3 Other hazards None

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

# 3.1 Substances

Synonyms Carbon bichloride, Carbon dichloride, Ethylene perchloride, Ethylene tetrachloride,

Perchlorethylene, Tetrachloroethene.

CAS-No EC-No EC-Index-No Formula Molecular Weight Weight % 127-18-4 204-825-9 602-028-00-4  $Cl_2CCCl_2$  165.83 g/mol >99

#### Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Co	omponent	Concentration	Classification
Tetrachloro	ethylene		
CAS-No	127-18-4	>99 %	Skin irritation (Category 2), H315
EC-No	204-825-9		Carcinogenicity (Category 2), H351
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For the full text of the H-Statements and R-Phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

# **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

# 4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice Inhalation	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.  Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of vapors. Keep patient warm. In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen. Apply artificial respiration only if patient is not breathing or under medical supervision. No artificial aspiration mouth to mouth or mouth to nose.  Use suitable instruments/apparatus.
Skin contact	Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected skin with soap and water. If signs of poisoning appear, treat as for inhalation Obtain medical attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Contaminated combustible material, e.g. clothing ignites more readily and burns fiercely.
Eye contact	If the substance has got into the eyes, immediately wash out with plenty of water at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Keep patient warm. In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen. Apply artificial respiration only if patient is not breathing or under medical supervision. No artificial aspiration mouth to mouth or mouth to nose. Use suitable

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instruments/apparatus. Obtain medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in section 2.2 and section 11

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

Activate charcoal. Sodium sulfate 1 tablespoon/ 250ml of water. Risk of aspiration.

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

# Suitable extinguishing media

In adaption to materials stored in the immediate neighborhood.

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

Non-combustible. Vapors heavier than air. Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapors. The following may develop in event of fire: Hydrochloric acid, phosgene.

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Do not stay in dangerous zone without self-contained breathing apparatus. In order to avoid contact with skin. Keep a safety distance and wear suitable protective clothing.

#### 5.4 Further information

Contain escaping vapors with water. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering surface water or ground water.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Wear a positive-pressure supplied-air respirator, flame retardant antistatic protective clothing. Shut off leaks if without risk. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Contain or absorb leaking liquid with sand or earth, consults an expert. Prevent liquid entering sewers, basements and workpits. If substance has entered a water course or sewer or contaminated soil, advise police.

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

Spillage: May react with combustible substances creating fire or explosion hazard and formation of toxic fumes. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapors). Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel). Prevent liquid entering sewers, basements and workpits; vapor may create explosive atmosphere. Transfer to covered steel drums. Dispose of promptly.

# 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see Section 13.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Work under hood. Avoid generation of vapors/aerosols. Keep container tightly closed. Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not inhale substance. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not empty into drains.

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

Keep tightly closed at room temperature in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Keep out of direct sunlight and away from incompatible materials. Store in original container. Electrical equipment should be protected to the appropriate standard.

#### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1 Control parameters

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

# Appropriate engineering controls

The product should only be used in ventilation hoods and fans.

#### Individual protection measures (Personal protective equipment, PPE)

#### Eye/face protection

Goggles giving complete protection to eyes.

#### Skin protection

Chemical resistant apron / flame retardant antistatic protective clothing, heavy duty work shoes.

Handle with gloves

- Full contact wears gloves from viton material.
- Splash contact wears gloves from nitrile rubber material.

The select protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686 EEC and standard EN 374 derived from it.

# Respiratory protection

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Required when vapor/aerosols are generated filter A (EN 141 or EN 14387).

#### **Environmental exposure controls**

Prevent liquid entering sewers, basements and workpits.

# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

# 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance: Form
: Color
Colorless
Odour
Ether like
Odour Threshold
pH
Not Available
Melting point/range
Liquid
Norless
Not Available

Boiling point/range 121 °C at 1013 hPa
Flash point Not flammable
Evaporation rate Not Available
Flammability (solid, gas) Not Available
Explosion limits: lower Not Available
upper Not Available
Vapor Pressure 19 hPa at 20°C

Relative Vapor Density 5.73

Density 1.620 g/ml at 20°C Water solubility 0.16 g/l at 20°C Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water) log Pow: 3.4

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Auto-Ignition temperature

Decomposition Temperature

Viscosity

Not combustible

Not Available

0.9 mPa.s at 20°C

Explosive properties

Not Explosive

Oxidizing properties The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1 Reactivity

Heat- sensitive.

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Risk of explosion in contact with alkali metals, aluminium, alkali hydroxide, barium, sodium amide, oxygen/heat, nitrogen dioxide.

The substance can react dangerously with strong bases, strong oxidizing agents, alkaline-earth metals, light Metals, metal powders, zinc oxide.

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heating.

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Alkali metals, alkali earth metals, metals in powder form, alkali hydroxides, nitrogen oxides.

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hydrochloric acid and phosgene. (Hazardous decomposition products from under fire condition).

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### **Acute toxicity**

LD<sub>50</sub> (oral, rat): 2629 mg/kg

LC<sub>50</sub> (inhalation, rat): 27.58 mg/l /4h

# Acute oral toxicity

Symptoms: may pose a risk of aspiration. Passage into the lung (vomiting) can result in a condition resembling pneumonia (chemical pneumonitis).

#### Acute inhalation toxicity

Symptoms: mucosal irritations, dizziness, drowsiness, unconsciousness, pulmonary oedema.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Slightly irritations. Danger of skin absorption. Drying out effect resulting in rough and chapped skin.

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Slightly irritations. Risk of corneal clouding.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

The Sensitization test (guinea pig) is no sensitizing effect.

## Germ cell mutagenicity

Not Available

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#### Carcinogenicity

Owing possible carcinogenic effects for man.

#### Reproductive toxicity

Not Available

#### **Teratogenicity**

Not Available

#### Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure

Not Available

# Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure

Not Available

#### **Aspiration hazard**

Not Available

#### **Further information**

After long term exposure to the chemical: Possible symptoms: dermatitis.

After absorption: Headache, nausea, vomiting, CNS disorders, narcosis. Damage liver and kidneys.

The product should be handled with the care usual when dealing with chemicals.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish LC<sub>50</sub> Onchorhynchus mykiss: 4.99 mg/l/96h

Toxicity to daphnia EC<sub>50</sub> Daphnia magna: 22 mg/l/48h

and other aquatic invertebrates

Toxicity to bacteria EC<sub>5</sub> Ps. Putida: >45 mg/l /18h

# 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability 11% /28d, not readily degradable.

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water) log Pow: 3.4

Bioaccumulation potential is to be expected (log Po/w >3).

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

Not Available

#### 12.5 Other adverse effects

Do not allow to enter waters, waste water or soil.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

# **Product**

There are no uniform EC Regulations for the disposal of chemicals or residues. Chemical residues generally count as special waste. The disposal of the latter is regulated in the EC member countries through corresponding law and regulations. We recommend that you contact either the authorities in charge or approved waste disposal companies which will advise you on how to dispose of special waste or burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

## Contaminated packaging

Disposal in compliance with official regulations. Handle contaminated packaging as hazardous waste in the

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same way of the substance itself. If not officially specified differently, non-contaminated packaging may be treated like household waste or recycled.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

#### Land Transport (ADR/RID)

UN Number 1897

UN proper shipping name TETRACHLOROETHYLENE

Transport hazard class(es) 6.1
Packaging group III
Environmental hazards Yes
Special precautions for user Yes

# Sea transport (IMDG)

UN Number 1897

UN proper shipping name TETRACHLOROETHYLENE

Transport hazard class(es) 6.1
Packaging group III
Marine pollutant Yes
Special precautions for user Yes
EmS F-A S-A

Air transport (IATA)

UN Number 1897

UN proper shipping name TETRACHLOROETHYLENE

Transport hazard class(es) 6.1
Packaging group III
Environmental hazards Yes
Special precautions for user No

### River transport (AND/ADNR)

(Not examined)

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

# 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture Not Available

# 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out.

# **SECTION 16: Other information**

#### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

# Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3

Carc.Cat.3 Carcinogenic Category 3

Xi Irritant

N Dangerous for the environment

R38 Irritating to skin.

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R40 Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect.

R51/53 Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

#### **Recommended restrictions**

Take notice of labels and safety data sheets for the working.

#### Reference

Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS).

Labelling according to EC Directives 67/548 EEC and Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.

Transportation information according to Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, Model Regulations. Twelfth revised edition. United Nations.

Institute for Occupational Safety and Health of the German Social Accident Insurance in Sankt Augustin/Germany, Source: IFA for Databases on hazardous substances (GESTIS).

#### **Further information**

Contact to RCI Labscan Limited.

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