

# **MURIATIC ACID**

# **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

**Product Identifier** MURIATIC ACID

Other Means of Identification

01010000

Recommended Use

Acid etching, steel pickling, oil & gas, ore & mineral, food processing, pharmaceutical, organic

chemical synthesis.

**Restrictions on Use** 

None known.

Manufacturer

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# **SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

Classified according to Canada's Hazardous Products Regulations (WHMIS 2015).

#### Classification

Corrosive to metals - Category 1; Skin corrosion - Category 1; Serious eye damage - Category 1; Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) - Category 3

# **Label Elements**





Danger

Hazard Statement(s):

May be corrosive to metals.

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Causes serious eye damage.

May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary Statement(s):

Keep only in original container.

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

Wash hands and skin thoroughly after handling.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

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### Response:

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Immediately call a POISON CENTRE or doctor.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Immediately call a POISON CENTRE or doctor.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

## Storage:

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

Store locked up.

Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.

Disposal:

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

#### Other Hazards

Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC): None known.

# SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### Mixture:

Chemical Name	CAS No.	%	Other Identifiers	Other Names
Hydrochloric acid	7647-01-0	15.00-40.00		

## **Notes**

The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

# **SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES**

## **First-aid Measures**

#### Inhalation

If breathing is difficult, move person into fresh air. Keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor.

# **Skin Contact**

Take off contaminated clothing, shoes and leather goods (e.g. watchbands, belts). Rinse skin with water or shower. Immediately wash gently and thoroughly with lukewarm, gently flowing water and mild soap for 15-20 minutes. Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor.

## **Eye Contact**

Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor.

## Ingestion

Never give anything by mouth if person is rapidly losing consciousness, or is unconscious or convulsing. Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water. Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor.

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

## **Extinguishing Media**

## **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Not combustible. Use extinguishing agents compatible with product and suitable for surrounding fire. Carbon

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dioxide, dry chemical powder or appropriate foam.

### **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

Water. Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

## Specific Hazards Arising from the Product

May accumulate in hazardous amounts at ceilings and at the top of confined spaces, resulting in a health hazard.

# **Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-fighters**

Use extreme caution. Fight fire from a safe distance or a protected location.

## **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

## Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures

Use the personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Increase ventilation to area or move leaking container to a well-ventilated and secure area. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled product unless wearing appropriate protective equipment.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

It is good practice to prevent releases into the environment. Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any waterway. If the spill is inside a building, prevent product from entering drains, ventilation systems and confined areas.

## Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Contain and soak up spill with absorbent that does not react with spilled product. Place used absorbent into suitable, covered, labelled containers for disposal.

# **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

## **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Wear personal protective equipment to avoid direct contact with this chemical. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not breathe in this product. Avoid generating vapours or mists.

## **Conditions for Safe Storage**

Store in an area that is: well-ventilated, cool, separate from incompatible materials (see Section 10: Stability and Reactivity), out of direct sunlight and away from heat and ignition sources.

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### **Control Parameters**

	ACGIH TLV®		OSHA PEL		AIHA WEEL	
Chemical Name	TWA	STEL	TWA	Ceiling	8-hr TWA	TWA
Hydrochloric acid		2 ppm		5 ppm		3 ppm

## **Appropriate Engineering Controls**

General ventilation is usually adequate. Use local exhaust ventilation, if general ventilation is not adequate to control amount in the air. Provide eyewash and safety shower if contact or splash hazard exists.

## **Individual Protection Measures**

#### **Eye/Face Protection**

Wear chemical safety goggles and face shield when contact is possible.

## **Skin Protection**

Wear chemical protective clothing e.g. gloves, aprons, boots. Wear a chemical splash suit and respiratory protection.

## **Respiratory Protection**

Wear a NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with an appropriate cartridge.

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

# **Basic Physical and Chemical Properties**

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**Appearance** Colourless to yellow liquid.

**Odour** Pungent

**Odour Threshold** 0.3 ppm Causes olfactory fatigue.

**pH** < 1

Melting Point/Freezing Point -30 °C (-22 °F) (melting); -30 °C (-22 °F) (freezing)

Initial Boiling Point/Range > 100 °C (212 °F)
Flash Point Not applicable
Evaporation Rate Not available
Flammability (solid, gas) Not available

Upper/Lower Flammability or

**Explosive Limit** 

Not available (upper); Not available (lower)

Vapour Pressure 84 mm Hg at 20 °C

Vapour Density (air = 1) Not available Relative Density (water = 1) 1.16 - 1.19

**Solubility** Very soluble in water

Partition Coefficient,

n-Octanol/Water (Log Kow)

Not available

Auto-ignition TemperatureNot availableDecomposition TemperatureNot available

Viscosity Not available (kinematic); Not available (dynamic)

Other Information

Physical State Liquid

**Bulk Density** 1.05 - 1.18 kg/L

# **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

## Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions of use.

#### **Chemical Stability**

Normally stable.

# **Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

# **Conditions to Avoid**

Incompatible materials. Prolonged exposure to high temperatures. Do not mix with other chemicals.

#### **Incompatible Materials**

Bases, amines, metals, permanganates, (e.g. potassium permanganate), fluorine, metal acetylides, hexalithium disilicide.

## **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Hydrogen chloride; chlorine; hydrogen gas.

# **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# **Acute Toxicity**

Chemical Name	LC50	LD50 (oral)	LD50 (dermal)
Hydrochloric acid	3124 ppm (rat) (1-hour exposure)	900 mg/kg (rabbit)	5010 mg/kg (rabbit)

## Skin Corrosion/Irritation

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Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

## Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

Causes serious eye damage.

## STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Single Exposure

#### Inhalation

Vapours and mist will irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.

## **Skin Absorption**

Causes skin burns.

#### Ingestion

Harmful if swallowed. Causes digestive tract burns. Ingestion may produce burns to the lips, oral cavity, upper airway, esophagus and possibly the digestive tract.

## **Aspiration Hazard**

No information was located.

## STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Repeated Exposure

May cause irritation of the respiratory system. May cause respiratory tract injury.

## Respiratory and/or Skin Sensitization

No information was located.

## Carcinogenicity

Chemical Name	IARC	ACGIH®	NTP	OSHA
Hydrochloric acid	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

## **Reproductive Toxicity**

# **Sexual Function and Fertility**

Not known to cause effects on sexual function or fertility.

# **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# **Ecotoxicity**

Because of the low pH of this product, it would be expected produce significant Ecotoxicity upon exposure to aquatic organisms and aquatic systems.

## Persistence and Degradability

Not biodegradable.

Hydrochloric acid will likely be neutralized to chloride by alkalinity present in natural environment.

# **Bioaccumulative Potential**

No information was located.

#### **Mobility in Soil**

No information was located.

#### Other Adverse Effects

There is no information available.

# **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## **Disposal Methods**

Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations. This product and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Do NOT dump into any sewers, on the ground or into any body of water.

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## **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Regulation	UN No.	Proper Shipping Name	Transport Hazard Class(es)	Packing Group
Canadian TDG	1789	Hydrochloric acid	8	II
IATA (Air)	1789	Hydrochloric acid	8	II

**Environmental** 

Not applicable

Hazards

## Transport in Bulk According to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

# **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations

SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

## SARA 313 Components

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313: Hydrochloric acid CAS-No. 7647-01-0

SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard.

#### Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all of the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

## Domestic Substances List (DSL) / Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)

Listed on the DSL.

### USA

## **Additional USA Regulatory Lists**

SARA Title III - Section 302: SARA Title III - Section 313.

Massachusetts Right To Know Components Hydrochloric acid CAS-No. 7647-01-0

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components Hydrochloric acid CAS-No. 7647-01-0

New Jersey Right To Know Components Hydrochloric acid CAS-No. 7647-01-0

California Prop. 65 Components This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

# **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA Rating Health - 3 Flammability - 0 Instability - 1

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Key to Abbreviations IARC = International Agency for Research on Cancer

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