

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Mercury(II) sulfate-Sulfuric acid solution

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

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

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3)
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 3)
Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 3)
Skin corrosion (Category 1A)
Germ cell mutagenicity (Category 1B)
Carcinogenicity (Category 1B)
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Category 2)
Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 2)

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

Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. May cause cancer. May cause heritable genetic damage. Causes severe burns. Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. Danger of cumulative effects.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according Regulation     .P]
Pictogram

Signal word : Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H311	Toxic in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.
H340	May cause genetic defects.
H350	May cause cancer.

H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
P261 Avoid breathing vapours.
P273 Avoid release to the environment.
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. Continue rinsing.

Supplemental Hazard Statements none

Restricted to professional users.
Contains .?. May produce an allergic reaction.

According to European Directive 67/548/EEC as amended.

Hazard symbol(s)



R-phrase(s)

R45 May cause cancer.
R46 May cause heritable genetic damage.
R23/24/25 Also toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.
R33 Danger of cumulative effects.
R35 Causes severe burns.
R51/53 Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

S-phrase(s)

S53 Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.
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 and eye/face protection.
S45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).
S61 Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/ Safety data sheets.

Restricted to professional users.

Sensitising components:
Potassium dichromate
May produce an allergic reaction.

2.3 Other hazards - none

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.2 Mixtures

Component		Classification	Concentration
Sulfuric acid			
CAS-No.	7664-93-9	Skin Corr. 1A; H314 C, R35	15 - 20 %
EC-No.	231-639-5		
Index-No.	016-020-00-8		
Mercury sulphate			
CAS-No.	7783-35-9	Acute Tox. 2; Acute Tox. 1;	1 - 20%

EC-No. Index-No.	231-992-5 080-002-00-6	Acute Tox. 2; STOT RE 2; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1; H300, H310, H330, H373, H410 T+, N, R26/27/28 - R33 - R50/53	
Potassium dichromate Included in the Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH)			
CAS-No. EC-No. Index-No.	7778-50-9 231-906-6 024-002-00-6	Ox. Sol. 2; Carc. 1B; Muta. 1B; Repr. 1B; Acute Tox. 2; Acute Tox. 3; STOT RE 1; Acute Tox. 4; Skin Corr. 1B; Resp. Sens. 1; Skin Sens. 1; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1; H272, H301, H312, H314, H317, H330, H334, H340, H350, H360FD, H372, H410 O, T+, N, Carc.Cat.2, Mut.Cat.2, Repr.Cat.2, R45 - R46 - R48/23 - R50/53 - R60 - R61 - R 8 - R21 - R25 - R26 - R34 - R42/43	0,1 - 0,25 %

For the full text of the H-Statements and R-Phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled

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

In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. 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.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

no data available

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

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

- 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
Sulphur oxides, Mercury/mercury oxides.
- 5.3 Advice for firefighters**
Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.
- 5.4 Further information**
no data available

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear respiratory protection. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. 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. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.
- 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**
Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.
- 6.4 Reference to other sections**
For disposal see section 13.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- 7.1 Precautions for safe handling**
Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.
- 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.
- 7.3 Specific end uses**
no data available

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

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

Eye/face protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's 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.

Body Protection

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.

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator 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).

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

a) Appearance	Form: liquid Colour: orange
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	100 °C at 1.013 hPa
g) Flash point	not applicable
h) Evaporation rate	no data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	no data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	no data available
k) Vapour pressure	no data available
l) Vapour density	no data available
m) Relative density	1,130 g/cm ³ at 20 °C
n) Water solubility	no data available
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	no data available
p) Autoignition temperature	no data available
q) Decomposition temperature	no data available
r) Viscosity	no data available
s) Explosive properties	no data available
t) Oxidizing properties	no data available

9.2 Other safety information

no data available

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**
no data available
- 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**
Other decomposition products - no data available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: 1 - Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans (Potassium dichromate)

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IARC: 3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans (Mercury sulphate)

Reproductive toxicity

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

no data available

Aspiration hazard

no data available

Potential health effects

Inhalation

Toxic if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Ingestion

Toxic if swallowed. Causes burns.

Skin

Toxic if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.

Eyes

Causes eye burns.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

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**
Toxic to aquatic life.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 2922

IMDG: 2922

IATA: 2922

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: CORROSIVE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (Sulfuric acid, Mercury sulphate)

IMDG: CORROSIVE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (Sulfuric acid, Mercury sulphate)

IATA: Corrosive liquid, toxic, n.o.s. (Sulfuric acid, Mercury sulphate)

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 8 (6.1)

IMDG: 8 (6.1)

IATA: 8 (6.1)

14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: II

IMDG: II

IATA: II

14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

14.6 Special precautions for user

no data available

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

This safety datasheet 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

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Text of H-code(s) and R-phrases mentioned in Section 3

Acute Tox.	Acute toxicity
Aquatic Acute	Acute aquatic toxicity
Aquatic Chronic	Chronic aquatic toxicity
Carc.	Carcinogenicity
H272	May intensify fire; oxidiser.
H300	Fatal if swallowed.
H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H310	Fatal in contact with skin.

H312	Harmful in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H330	Fatal if inhaled.
H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H340	May cause genetic defects.
H350	May cause cancer.
H360FD	May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
Muta.	Germ cell mutagenicity
Ox. Sol.	Oxidizing solids
Repr.	Reproductive toxicity
Resp. Sens.	Respiratory sensitization
Skin Corr.	Skin corrosion
Skin Sens.	Skin sensitization
STOT RE	Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
C	Corrosive
R 8	Contact with combustible material may cause fire.
R21	Harmful in contact with skin.
R25	Toxic if swallowed.
N	Dangerous for the environment
R26	Very toxic by inhalation.
R26/27/28	Very toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.
R33	Danger of cumulative effects.
O	Oxidising
T+	Very toxic
R34	Causes burns.
R35	Causes severe burns.
R42/43	May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact.
R45	May cause cancer.
R46	May cause heritable genetic damage.
R48/23	Toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.
R50/53	Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.
R60	May impair fertility.
R61	May cause harm to the unborn child.
Repr.Cat.2	Toxic to Reproduction Category 2

Further information

The above information is believed to be accurate and represent the best information currently available to us, but does not represent any warranty expressed or implied of the properties of the product. User should make their own investigation to determine the suitability of the information for their particular purpose.

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