

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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1. Identification

Product Name Tetrachlorohydroguinone

Cat No.: AC420220000; AC420220250; AC420221000

Synonyms Perchlorohydroquinone; 1,4-Benzenediol, 2,3,5,6-Tetrachloro-; Dihydro-P-Chloranil.

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against Not for food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute oral toxicity Category 4
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 1

#### Label Elements

### Signal Word

Danger

### **Hazard Statements**

Harmful if swallowed Causes serious eye damage



Precautionary Statements Prevention

#### Tetrachlorohydroquinone

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

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

Eyes

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 CENTER or doctor/physician

Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

**Disposal** 

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS-No	Weight %		
1,4-Benzenediol, 2,3,5,6-tetrachloro-	87-87-6	90		

### 4. First-aid measures

Eye Contact Immediate medical attention is required. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under

the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**Skin Contact**Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes. Obtain medical attention. Take off contaminated clothing and shoes

immediately.

**Inhalation** Remove from exposure, lie down. Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial

respiration. Immediate medical attention is required. Obtain medical attention.

**Ingestion** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink plenty of water. Call a

physician immediately. Clean mouth with water. Get medical attention. If possible drink milk

afterwards.

Most important symptoms and

effects

Causes eye burns.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to

local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Chemical foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Explosion Limits** 

No information available

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available

Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical** 

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Hydrogen chloride gas Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors Carbon monoxide (CO) Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

NFPA

HealthFlammabilityInstabilityPhysical hazards210N/A

### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment.

**Environmental Precautions** See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

**Methods for Containment and Clean** Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. **Up** 

7. Handling and storage

Handling Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with clothing. Remove

and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Do not ingest. Wash thoroughly after

handling.

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

### 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

**Exposure Guidelines** 

This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Engineering Measures Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ventilation systems.

Personal Protective Equipment

**Eye/face Protection**Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by

OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard

EN166.

**Skin and body protection**Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

### 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical StateSolidAppearanceBeige

Odor No information available
Odor Threshold No information available
pH No information available
No information available

Melting Point/Range 238 - 240 °C / 460.4 - 464 °F

Boiling Point/Range No information available Flash Point No information available

Evaporation Rate Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas) No information available

Flammability or explosive limits

UpperNo data availableLowerNo data availableVapor PressureNo information availableVapor DensityNot applicable

Specific Gravity

No information available

Solubility

No information available

Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water

No data available

No information available

Autoignition Temperature

No information available

No information available

No information available

ViscosityNot applicableMolecular FormulaC6 H2 Cl4 O2Molecular Weight247.89

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products.

Incompatible Materials Oxidizing agents, Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products Hydrogen chloride gas, Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and

vapors, Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2)

**Hazardous Polymerization**No information available.

Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

## 11. Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

**Product Information** 

**Oral LD50** Category 4. ATE = 300 - 2000 mg/kg.

Dermal LD50 Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 2000 mg/kg.

Mist LC50 Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 5 mg/l.

**Component Information** 

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
1,4-Benzenediol,	LD50 = 3820 mg/kg (Rat)	Not listed	Not listed
2,3,5,6-tetrachloro-			

Toxicologically Synergistic No information available

**Products** 

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

IrritationNo information availableSensitizationNo information available

**Carcinogenicity** The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	CAS-No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
1,4-Benzenediol,	87-87-6	Not listed				
2,3,5,6-tetrachloro-						

Mutagenic Effects No information available

Reproductive Effects

No information available.

Developmental Effects

No information available.

#### Tetrachlorohydroquinone

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

**STOT - single exposure**STOT - repeated exposure
None known

Aspiration hazard No information available

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available

delayed

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Do not empty into drains.

Persistence and Degradability No information available

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** No information available.

## 13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a

hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. Ti	ransport	information
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DOTNot regulatedTDGNot regulatedIATANot regulatedIMDG/IMONot regulated

# 15. Regulatory information

#### International Inventories

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
1,4-Benzenediol,	Х	Х	-	201-779-1	-		-	-	-	Х	-
2,3,5,6-tetrachloro-											

#### Legend:

X - Listed

- E Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
- F Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
- N Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
- P Indicates a commenced PMN substance
- R Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
- S Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
- T Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
- XU Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
- Y1 Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
- Y2 Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

#### U.S. Federal Regulations

#### Tetrachlorohydroquinone

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

**OSHA** Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

CERCLA Not applicable

California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know

Regulations

Not applicable

### **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
DOT Marine Pollutant N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

#### **U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

#### Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

### 16. Other information

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**Revision Summary** This document has been updated to comply with the US OSHA HazCom 2012 Standard

replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally

Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

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