

**Safety Data Sheet**

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

**21258-51 COD/CSB/DCO**

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1. Product identifier**

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**1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against****Use of the substance/mixture**

Water analysis

**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

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**1.4. Emergency telephone number:**

Poison Control Center Mainz: Tel: +49 (0) 6131 19240 - 24 hour emergency service -

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008**

Hazard categories:

Substance or mixture corrosive to metals: Met. Corr. 1

Acute toxicity: Acute Tox. 3

Acute toxicity: Acute Tox. 4

Skin corrosion/irritation: Skin Corr. 1A

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Eye Dam. 1

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure: STOT RE 2

Hazardous to the aquatic environment: Aquatic Acute 1

Hazardous to the aquatic environment: Aquatic Chronic 1

Hazard Statements:

May be corrosive to metals.

Toxic in contact with skin.

Harmful if swallowed.

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Causes serious eye damage.

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Very toxic to aquatic life.

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Product specific hazards

**2.2. Label elements**

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### Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008

#### Hazard components for labelling

sulphuric acid ... %

Mercury(II) sulfate

Signal word:

Danger

Pictograms:



#### Hazard statements

H290

May be corrosive to metals.

H302

Harmful if swallowed.

H311

Toxic in contact with skin.

H314

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H373

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

H410

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### Precautionary statements

P273

Avoid release to the environment.

P280

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

P302+P352

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

P301+P312

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

P301+P330+P331

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+P361+P353

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

P305+P351+P338

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

#### Additional advice on labelling

The product is classified as dangerous in accordance with Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

None known.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.2. Mixtures

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**Hazardous components**

CAS No	Chemical name			Quantity
	EC No	Index No	REACH No	
	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]			
7664-93-9	sulphuric acid ... %			82 %
	231-639-5	016-020-00-8		
	Skin Corr. 1A; H314			
7732-18-5	Water			>10 %
	231-791-2			
7783-35-9	Mercury(II) sulfate			<0,6 %
	231-992-5	080-002-00-6		
	Acute Tox. 1, Acute Tox. 2, Acute Tox. 2, STOT RE 2, Aquatic Acute 1, Aquatic Chronic 1; H310 H330 H300 H373 H400 H410			
10294-26-5	Silver sulfate			<1 %
	233-653-7			
	Eye Dam. 1, Aquatic Acute 1 (M-Factor = 100), Aquatic Chronic 1 (M-Factor = 100); H318 H400 H410			
1333-82-0	chromium (VI) trioxide			<0,1 %
	215-607-8	024-001-00-0		
	Ox. Sol. 1, Carc. 1A, Muta. 1B, Repr. 2, Acute Tox. 2, Acute Tox. 3, Acute Tox. 3, STOT RE 1, Skin Corr. 1A, Resp. Sens. 1, Skin Sens. 1, Aquatic Acute 1, Aquatic Chronic 1; H271 H350 H340 H361f *** H330 H311 H301 H372 ** H314 H334 H317 H400 H410			

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

**SECTION 4: First aid measures**
**4.1. Description of first aid measures**
**General information**

Take off all contaminated clothing immediately.  
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

**After inhalation**

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

**After contact with skin**

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.  
Immediate medical treatment is necessary as untreated wounds from corrosion of the skin heal slowly and with difficulty. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

**After contact with eyes**

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

**After ingestion**

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting.  
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

**4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

Irritation and corrosion, Cough, Shortness of breath, Spasm, headache  
Nausea, Vomiting,

**4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

Treat symptomatically.

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### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

##### **Suitable extinguishing media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. The product itself does not burn.

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

Fire may liberate hazardous vapours. The following may develop in event of fire: sulfur oxides, mercury vapors.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. In order to avoid contact with skin, keep a safety distance and wear suitable protective clothing.

#### **Additional information**

Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Use personal protective equipment. Only qualified personnel equipped with suitable protective equipment may intervene. Immediately evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Do not breathe vapours, mist or gas.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, soak up with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and transfer to a container for disposal according to local/national regulations (see section 13).

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

##### **Advice on safe handling**

Use only in well-ventilated areas.  
Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

##### **Advice on protection against fire and explosion**

See also section 5

##### **Further information on handling**

Observe label precautions.

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

##### **Requirements for storage rooms and vessels**

Keep tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect against light. Accessible only for authorized persons.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Reagent for analysis

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

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**Exposure limits (EH40)**

CAS No	Substance	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	fibres/ml	Category	Origin
7664-93-9	Sulphuric acid (mist)	-	0.05		TWA (8 h)	WEL

**Additional advice on limit values**

None known.

**8.2. Exposure controls****Appropriate engineering controls**

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

**Protective and hygiene measures**

The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Wash hands before breaks and after work.

**Eye/face protection**

Safety glasses with side-shields

**Hand protection**

Gloves must be inspected prior to use. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

In case of full contact:

Glove material : Viton (R)

Layer thickness: 0,7 mm

Break through time: >480 min

In case of contact through splashing:

Glove material : butyl-rubber

Layer thickness: 0,7 mm

Break through time: >120 min

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves.

**Skin protection**

Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

**Respiratory protection**

Breathing apparatus only if aerosol or dust is formed.

Recommended Filter type: ABEK-filter

**Environmental exposure controls**

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties****9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state: liquid  
Colour: yellow  
Odour: odourless

pH-Value (at 20 °C): < 1

**Changes in the physical state**

Melting point: not applicable

Initial boiling point and boiling range: 300 °C

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Sublimation point:	not applicable
Softening point:	not applicable
Pour point:	no data available
:	no data available
Flash point:	not applicable
Sustaining combustion:	Not sustaining combustion

**Flammability**

Solid:	not applicable
Gas:	not applicable

**Explosive properties**

not applicable

Lower explosion limits:	not applicable
Upper explosion limits:	not applicable
Ignition temperature:	not applicable

**Auto-ignition temperature**

Solid:	no data available
Gas:	no data available

Decomposition temperature: no data available

**Oxidizing properties**

no data available

Vapour pressure:	no data available
Vapour pressure:	no data available
Density (at 20 °C):	1,78 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Bulk density:	not applicable
Water solubility: (at 20 °C)	completely soluble

**Solubility in other solvents**

no data available

Partition coefficient:	no data available
Viscosity / dynamic:	no data available
Viscosity / kinematic:	no data available
Flow time:	no data available
Vapour density:	no data available
Evaporation rate:	no data available
Solvent separation test:	no data available
Solvent content:	no data available

**9.2. Other information**

Solid content:	no data available
Corrosive in contact with metals	

**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity****10.1. Reactivity**

Corrosive to metals

**10.2. Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

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#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts with the following substances:: Oxidizing agents

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat. Above 300 °C, hazardous fumes may be released.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Organic materials, Bases, Alkali metals, Metals, Ammonia, Reducing agents, Nitric acid.  
Reacts violently with water.

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Sulphur trioxide  
Chromium oxides

#### Further information

very reactive

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

Harmful if swallowed.  
H311 - Toxic in contact with skin.

#### ATEmix calculated

ATE (oral) 636,1 mg/kg; ATE (dermal) 636,1 mg/kg

CAS No	Chemical name				
	Exposure route	Dose	Species	Source	Method
7783-35-9	Mercury(II) sulfate				
	oral	ATE 5 mg/kg			
	dermal	ATE 5 mg/kg			
	inhalation vapour	ATE 0,5 mg/l			
	inhalation aerosol	ATE 0,05 mg/l			
10294-26-5	Silver sulfate				
	oral	LD50 5000 mg/kg	rat		
1333-82-0	chromium (VI) trioxide				
	oral	LD50 52 mg/kg	Rat	ERMA	
	dermal	LD50 55 mg/kg	Rat	ERMA	
	inhalation vapour	ATE 0,5 mg/l			
	inhalation (4 h) aerosol	LC50 0,217 mg/l	Rat	ERMA	

#### Irritation and corrosivity

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes.

#### Sensitising effects

No known effect.

#### STOT-single exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

#### STOT-repeated exposure

H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

#### Aspiration hazard

No aspiration toxicity classification

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#### Specific effects in experiment on an animal

No toxicology information is available.

#### Further information

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.  
Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

CAS No	Chemical name					
	Aquatic toxicity	Dose	[h]   [d]	Species	Source	Method
7783-35-9	Mercury(II) sulfate					
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50 mg/l	0,19	96 h		
10294-26-5	Silver sulfate					
	Acute crustacea toxicity	EC50 mg/l	0,0045	48 h	Crustaceans	

### 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

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

#### Advice on disposal

Our local agencies will accept used cuvettes to ensure their proper disposal.  
In accordance with local and national regulations.

#### Waste disposal number of waste from residues/unused products

160506 WASTES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE LIST; gases in pressure containers and discarded chemicals; laboratory chemicals, consisting of or containing hazardous substances, including mixtures of laboratory chemicals; hazardous waste

#### Waste disposal number of used product

160506 WASTES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE LIST; gases in pressure containers and discarded chemicals; laboratory chemicals, consisting of or containing hazardous substances, including mixtures of laboratory chemicals; hazardous waste

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Land transport (ADR/RID)

**14.1. UN number:** UN 1830

**14.2. UN proper shipping name:** Sulphuric acid



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**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):** 8

**14.4. Packing group:** II

Hazard label: 8



Classification code: C1

Limited quantity: 1 L

Excepted quantity: E2

Transport category: 2

Hazard No: 80

Tunnel restriction code: E

**Inland waterways transport (ADN)**

**Other applicable information (inland waterways transport)**

Not tested

**Marine transport (IMDG)**

**14.1. UN number:** UN 1830

**14.2. UN proper shipping name:** Sulphuric acid

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):** 8

**14.4. Packing group:** II

Hazard label: 8



Marine pollutant: -

Special Provisions: -

Limited quantity: 1 L

Excepted quantity: E2

EmS: F-A, S-B

Segregation group: acids

**Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)**

**14.1. UN number:** UN 1830

**14.2. UN proper shipping name:** Sulphuric acid

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):** 8

**14.4. Packing group:** II

Hazard label: 8



Special Provisions: -

Limited quantity Passenger: 0.5 L

Passenger LQ: Y840

Excepted quantity: E2

IATA-packing instructions - Passenger: 851

IATA-max. quantity - Passenger: 1 L

IATA-packing instructions - Cargo: 855

IATA-max. quantity - Cargo: 30 L

**14.5. Environmental hazards**

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ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS: yes

Danger releasing substance: sulphuric acid ... %  
Mercury(II) sulfate**14.6. Special precautions for user**

Use personal protective equipment.

**14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code**

not applicable

**Other applicable information**

Additional Information: This product may be shipped as part of a chemical kit composed of various compatible dangerous goods for analytical or testing purposes. This kit would have the following classification: Proper Shipping Name: Chemical Kit, Hazard Class: 9, UN Number 3316, Package group II, EMS Code: F-A, S-P

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****EU regulatory information**Authorisations (REACH, annex XIV):  
chromium (VI) trioxideRestrictions on use (REACH, annex XVII):  
Entry 28: chromium (VI) trioxide**National regulatory information**

Employment restrictions: Observe restrictions to employment for juvenils according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC). Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers.

Water contaminating class (D): 2 - clearly water contaminating

**15.2. Chemical safety assessment**

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out.

**SECTION 16: Other information****Changes**

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Safety datasheet sections which have been updated: 9, 14

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Safety datasheet sections which have been updated: 4, 6, 7, 8, 11

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**Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)**

H271 May cause fire or explosion; strong oxidiser.  
H290 May be corrosive to metals.  
H300 Fatal if swallowed.  
H301 Toxic if swallowed.  
H302 Harmful if swallowed.  
H310 Fatal in contact with skin.  
H311 Toxic in contact with skin.  
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
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.
H361f	Suspected of damaging fertility.
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### Further Information

The information is based on present level of our knowledge. It does not, however, give assurances of product properties and establishes no contract legal rights.

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*(The data for the hazardous ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)*