

# SAFETY DATA SHEET according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 Revision Date 14.12.2018

Version 22.1

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

Catalogue No.	119773	
Product name	Arsenic standard solution traceable to SRM from NIST H <sub>3</sub> AsO <sub>4</sub> in HNO <sub>3</sub> 0.5 mol/l 1000 mg/l As Certipur®	
REACH Registration Number	This product is a mixture. REACH Registration Number see section 3.	
1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against		

Identified uses	Reagent for analysis
	Scientific research and development
	For additional information on uses please refer to the Merck Chemicals portal (www.merckgroup.com).

#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

1.4 Emergency telephone	Please contact the regional company representation in	
Responsible Department	PM-OQR * e-mail: PM_SDS_Supply@merckgroup.com	
Company	Merck KGaA * 64271 Darmstadt * Germany * Phone:+49 6151 72-0	

your country.

# **SECTION 2. Hazards identification**

number

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Corrosive to metals, Category 1, H290 Skin irritation, Category 2, H315 Eye irritation, Category 2, H319 Carcinogenicity, Category 1A, H350 For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.



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# 2.2 Label elements Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Hazard pictograms



*Signal word* Danger

Hazard statements H350 May cause cancer. H290 May be corrosive to metals. H315 Causes skin irritation. H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements
Prevention
P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
Response
P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.
Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

Restricted to professional users.

Reduced labelling (≤125 ml)

Hazard pictograms



Signal word Danger

Hazard statements H350 May cause cancer.

Precautionary statements P201 Obtain special instructions before use. P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

Contains: Arsenic acid

# 2.3 Other hazards

None known.

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

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Acute toxicity, Category 3, H331 Acute toxicity, Category 4, H312 Skin corrosion, Category 1C, H314 Carcinogenicity, Category 1A, H350 Reproductive toxicity, Category 2, H361 Acute aquatic toxicity, Category 1, H400 Chronic aquatic toxicity, Category 1, H410 M-Factor: 1

\*) A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its use are exempted from registration according to Article 2 REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.

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

# **SECTION 4. First aid measures**

## 4.1 Description of first aid measures

*General advice* First aider needs to protect himself.

After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Consult a physician.

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.



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After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult a physician.

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

irritant effects

The following applies to arsenic and its compounds in general: they take effect as capillary and enzyme toxins. Symptoms of arsenic poisoning: acute: after inhalation, mucosal irritations with coughing, dyspnoea, pain in the thorax. Perforations within the respiratory tract are possible. After oral uptake, gastrointestinal disorders with vomiting, diarrhoea, and spasms, CNS disorders with headache, confusion, shaking fits and disturbed consciousness, cardiovascular disorders all the way to circulatory collapse. Chronic: exanthema, dermal lesions in the form of hyperkeratosis and hypermelanosis, loss of hair, conjunctivitis and polyneuropathy, impaired hepatic function, and renal damage. After accumulation in the liver, kidneys, and skin, arsenic is eliminated from the organism only slowly. Experience has shown arsenic compounds to be carcinogenic in man.

The following applies to nitrites/nitrates in general: methaemoglobinaemia after the uptake of large quantities.

# **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed** No information available.

## **SECTION 5.** Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

*Unsuitable extinguishing media* For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Not combustible.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

## 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

## **SECTION 6.** Accidental release measures

#### **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapours, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders:



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Protective equipment see section 8.

## 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

## 6.4 Reference to other sections

Indications about waste treatment see section 13.

# SECTION 7. Handling and storage

# 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapours/aerosols.

Observe label precautions.

*Hygiene measures* Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

*Requirements for storage areas and containers* No metal containers.

#### Storage conditions

Tightly closed. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorised persons. No metal containers.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

## 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

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# **Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)**

nitric acid (7697-37-2) Worker DNEL, Local effects longterm

inhalation

1,3 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

# Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

nitric acid (7697-37-2) PNEC no data available

## 8.2 Exposure controls

#### **Engineering measures**

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

See section 7.1.

## Individual protection measures

Protective clothing needs to be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentrations and quantities of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be enquired at the respective supplier.

Eye/face protection Safety glasses

Hand protection

full contact:

Glove material:	Nitrile rubber
Glove thickness:	0,11 mm
Break through time:	480 min
Glove material:	Nitrile rubber
Glove thickness:	0,11 mm

splash contact:

Glove material:	Nitrile rubbe
Glove thickness:	0,11 mm
Break through time:	480 min

The protective gloves to be used must comply with the specifications of EC Directive 89/686/EEC and the related standard EN374, for example KCL 741 Dermatril® L (full contact), KCL 741 Dermatril® L (splash contact).

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types.

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet <(>, <)> supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Other protective equipment Acid-resistant protective clothing

Respiratory protection required when vapours/aerosols are generated.



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Recommended Filter type: filter ABEK The entrepeneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

required when vapours/aerosols are generated.

#### **Environmental exposure controls**

Do not let product enter drains.

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

Form	liquid
Colour	colourless
Odour	odourless
Odour Threshold	Not applicable
рН	ca. 0,5 at 20 °C
Melting point	No information available.
Boiling point	No information available.
Flash point	Not applicable
Evaporation rate	No information available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available.
Lower explosion limit	Not applicable
Upper explosion limit	Not applicable
Vapour pressure	No information available.
Relative vapour density	No information available.
Density	ca.1,013 g/cm3 at 20 °C
Relative density	No information available.

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Water solubility	at 20 °C soluble
Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition temperature	No information available.
Viscosity, dynamic	No information available.
Explosive properties	Not classified as explosive.
Oxidizing properties	none
9.2 Other data	
Corrosion	May be corrosive to metals.

# **SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity**

10.1 Reactivity

See section 10.3

# 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:

The generally known reaction partners of water.

Generates dangerous gases or fumes in contact with:

Metals, metal alloys

Release of:

Hydrogen, nitrous gases

# **10.4 Conditions to avoid**

no information available

# **10.5 Incompatible materials**

Metals, metal alloys (generation of hydrogen)

# **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

in the event of fire: See section 5.

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# **SECTION 11.** Toxicological information

**11.1 Information on toxicological effects Mixture** 

Acute oral toxicity Acute toxicity estimate: > 2.000 mg/kg Calculation method

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Symptoms: Irritations of mucous membranes in the mouth, pharynx, oesophagus and gastrointestinal tract.

Acute inhalation toxicity Acute toxicity estimate: > 5 mg/l; 4 h ; dust/mist Calculation method Acute toxicity estimate: > 20 mg/l; 4 h ; vapour Calculation method

Symptoms: Possible symptoms:, mucosal irritations

Acute dermal toxicity This information is not available.

Skin irritation

Mixture causes skin irritation. *Eye irritation* 

Mixture causes serious eye irritation.

Sensitisation This information is not available.

*Germ cell mutagenicity* This information is not available.

*Carcinogenicity* This information is not available.

*Reproductive toxicity* This information is not available.

*Teratogenicity* This information is not available.

*CMR effects* Carcinogenicity: Possible human carcinogen

*Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure* This information is not available.

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*Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure* This information is not available.

Aspiration hazard This information is not available.

# **11.2 Further information**

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The following applies to nitrites/nitrates in general: methaemoglobinaemia after the uptake of large quantities.

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

This substance should be handled with particular care.

## Components

#### nitric acid

Acute inhalation toxicity LC50 Rat: > 2,65 mg/l; 4 h ; vapour OECD Test Guideline 403

Germ cell mutagenicity Genotoxicity in vitro Ames test Salmonella typhimurium Result: negative Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Arsenic acid

Acute oral toxicity LD50 Mouse: 149,6 mg/kg OECD Test Guideline 401

Acute inhalation toxicity Acute toxicity estimate: 0,6 mg/l; dust/mist Expert judgement

Acute dermal toxicity LD50 Rabbit: 2.000 mg/kg OECD Test Guideline 402

Skin irritation Rabbit Result: Causes burns. OECD Test Guideline 404

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*Eye irritation* Rabbit Result: Irreversible effects on the eye OECD Test Guideline 405

Sensitisation Buehler Test Guinea pig Result: negative Method: OECD Test Guideline 406

## **SECTION 12. Ecological information**

#### Mixture

# 12.1 Toxicity

No information available.

**12.2 Persistence and degradability** No information available.

# 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

Not applicable

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

No information available.

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Substance(s) in the mixture do(es) not meet the criteria for PBT or vPvB according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII, or a PBT/vPvB assessment was not conducted.

## 12.6 Other adverse effects

Additional ecological information Depending on the concentration, phosphorus and/or nitrogen compounds may contribute to the eutrophication of drinking- water supplies. Hazard for drinking water supplies.

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

#### Components

nitric acid

#### Biodegradability

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water log Pow: -2,3 OECD Test Guideline 107 Bioaccumulation is not expected.

Substance does not meet the criteria for PBT or vPvB according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII.

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Henry constant 2482 Pa\*m<sup>3</sup>/mol Method: (calculated) (Lit.) Distribution preferentially in air.

#### Arsenic acid

Toxicity to fish static test Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout): 28 mg/l; 96 h Analytical monitoring: yes OECD Test Guideline 203

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates LC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 44,66 mg/l; 48 h (ECHA)

*Toxicity to algae* static test EC50 Ankistrodesmus falcatus: 0,256 mg/l; 14 d US-EPA

*Toxicity to fish (Chronic toxicity)* flow-through test NOEC Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow): 0,97 mg/l; 35 d

Analytical monitoring: yes US-EPA

#### Biodegradability

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

*Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water* Not applicable for inorganic substances

*M-Factor* 1

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# **SECTION 13.** Disposal considerations

## Waste treatment methods

See www.retrologistik.com for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

# **SECTION 14. Transport information**

Land transport (ADR/RID	)
14.1 UN number	UN 3264
14.2 Proper shipping name	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (NITRIC ACID SOLUTION)
14.3 Class	8
14.4 Packing group	III
14.5 Environmentally hazardous	
14.6 Special precautions for user	yes
Tunnel restriction code	E
Inland waterway transpor Not relevant	t (ADN)
Air transport (IATA)	
14.1 UN number	UN 3264
14.2 Proper shipping name	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (NITRIC ACID SOLUTION)
14.3 Class	8
14.4 Packing group	III
14.5 Environmentally hazardous	
14.6 Special precautions for user	no
Sea transport (IMDG)	
14.1 UN number	UN 3264
14.2 Proper shipping name	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (NITRIC ACID NOT MORE THAN 5%)
14.3 Class	8
14.4 Packing group	III
14.5 Environmentally hazardous	
14.6 Special precautions	yes
<b>for user</b> EmS	F-A S-B

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14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not relevant

# **SECTION 15.** Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

<i>EU regulations</i> Major Accident Hazard Legislation	SEVESO III Not applicable	
Occupational restrictions	people at work. Ob maternity protectio	/33/EC on the protection of young serve work restrictions regarding n in accordance to Dir 92/85/EEC or gulations where applicable.
Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 on substances not regulated that deplete the ozone layer		
Regulation (EC) No 850/2004 of the not regulated European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 on persistent organic pollutants and amending Directive 79/117/EEC		not regulated
Substances of very high concern (SVHC) Contains:		This product does contain substances of very high concern according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 59 above the respective regulatory concentration limit of > 0.1 % (w/w). Arsenic acid
This product contains a substance listed on Annex XIV of the REACH Regulation (EC) Nr.		

This product contains a substance listed on Annex XIV of the REACH Regulation (EC) Nr. 1907/2006. Listed substance / Sunset Date: Arsenic acid / 22.08.2017

After the sunset date the use of this substance requires either an authorization or can only be used for exempted uses, e.g. use in scientific research and development which includes routine analytics or use as intermediate.

National legislation Storage class 6.1 D

# 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

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

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# **SECTION 16.** Other information

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

H272 H290	May intensify fire; oxidizer. May be corrosive to metals.
H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H312	Harmful in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H330	Fatal if inhaled.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.
H350	May cause cancer.
H361	Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

## Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

## Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Used abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at www.wikipedia.org.

#### **Regional representation**

This information is given on the authorised Safety Data Sheet for your country.

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