

**Safety data sheet**  
**according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31**

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1 Product identifier****Trade name:** Mercury(II) nitrate, solution 0,01 mol/l (0,02 N)**Article number:** ME0197**Registration number**

A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its uses are exempted from registration, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.

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

No further relevant information available.

**Application of the substance / the preparation:** Laboratory reagent**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet****Manufacturer/Supplier:**

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

GHS08 health hazard

STOT RE 2

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



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Acute Tox. 4 H312 Harmful in contact with skin.

Acute Tox. 4 H332 Harmful if inhaled.

Aquatic Chronic 3 H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**2.2 Label elements****Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

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**Hazard pictograms**


GHS07 GHS08

**Signal word** Warning

**Hazard-determining components of labelling:**

mercury dinitrate

**Hazard statements**

H302+H312+H332 Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

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

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary statements**

P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P280 Wear protective gloves / protective clothing.

P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).

P330 Rinse mouth.

P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**2.3 Other hazards**
**Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
**PBT:** Not applicable.

**vPvB:** Not applicable.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

**3.2 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures**
**Description:** Aqueous solution

**Dangerous components:**

CAS: 10045-94-0 mercury dinitrate

0.1-1%

EINECS: 233-152-3 Acute Tox. 2, H300; Acute Tox. 1, H310; Acute Tox. 2, H330;

STOT RE 2, H373; Aquatic Acute 1, H400; Aquatic Chronic 1, H410

**Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

**4.1 Description of first aid measures**
**General information:**

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

**After inhalation:**

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

**After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

**After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

**After swallowing:** Call for a doctor immediately.

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

No further relevant information available.

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

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
CO<sub>2</sub>, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**  
No further relevant information available.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Mouth respiratory protective device.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:**  
Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.  
Dilute with plenty of water.  
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).  
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**  
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.  
Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep container tightly sealed.
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

**10045-94-0 mercury dinitrate**WEL Long-term value: 0.02 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
as Hg

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**Ingredients with biological limit values:****10045-94-0 mercury dinitrate**

BMGV 20 µmol/mol creatinine

Medium: urine

Sampling time: random

Parameter: mercury

- Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

**8.2 Exposure controls****Personal protective equipment:****General protective and hygienic measures:**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

**Respiratory protection:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

**Protection of hands:**

Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

**Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

**Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- Eye protection:** Goggles recommended during refilling

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

**9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties****General Information****Appearance:****Form:**

Fluid

**Colour:**

Colourless

**Odour:**

Odourless

**Odour threshold:**

Not determined.

**pH-value:**

Not determined.

**Change in condition****Melting point/freezing point:**

0 °C

**Initial boiling point and boiling range:**

100 °C

**Flash point:**

Not applicable.

**Flammability (solid, gas):**

Not applicable.

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- **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.
- **Auto-ignition temperature:** Product is not selfigniting.
- **Explosive properties:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.
- **Explosion limits:**
  - Lower:** Not determined.
  - Upper:** Not determined.
- **Vapour pressure at 20 °C:** 23 hPa
- **Density at 20 °C:** 1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>
- **Relative density** Not determined.
- **Vapour density** Not determined.
- **Evaporation rate** Not determined.
- **Solubility in / Miscibility with water:** Fully miscible.
- **Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:** Not determined.
- **Viscosity:**
  - Dynamic:** Not determined.
  - Kinematic:** Not determined.
- **Solvent content:**
  - Water:** 99.7 %
  - Solids content:** 0.3 %
- **9.2 Other information** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity** Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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- **STOT-repeated exposure**  
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Ecotoxicological effects:**
- **Remark:** Harmful to fish
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**  
Water hazard class 2 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): hazardous for water  
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.  
Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.  
Harmful to aquatic organisms
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**  
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

- **14.1 UN-Number**  
**ADR, IMDG, IATA** UN2024
- **14.2 UN proper shipping name**  
**ADR** 2024 MERCURY COMPOUND, LIQUID, N.O.S.
- **IMDG, IATA** MERCURY COMPOUND, LIQUID, N.O.S.
- **14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**
- **ADR, IMDG, IATA**



- **Class** 6.1 Toxic substances.
- **Label** 6.1
- **14.4 Packing group**
- **ADR, IMDG, IATA** III

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- **14.5 Environmental hazards:**
  - **Marine pollutant:**
  - **14.6 Special precautions for user**
  - **Segregation groups**
  - **Stowage Category**
  - **Stowage Code**
  - **14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code**
  - **Transport/Additional information:**
- No  
Warning: Toxic substances.  
Heavy metals and their salts (including their organometallic compounds), mercury and mercury compounds  
B  
SW2 Clear of living quarters.  
Not applicable.
- 
- **ADR**
  - **Limited quantities (LQ)**
  - **Transport category**
  - **Tunnel restriction code**
  - **UN "Model Regulation":**
- 5L  
2  
E  
UN 2024 MERCURY COMPOUND, LIQUID, N.O.S., 6.1, III

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
  - **Directive 2012/18/EU**
  - **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.
  - **REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII** Conditions of restriction: 3, 18
  - **Regulation (EU) No 649/2012**
- 10045-94-0 mercury dinitrate: Annex I Part 1  
Annex I Part 3  
Annex V Part 2
- **DIRECTIVE 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment – Annex II**
- None of the ingredients is listed.
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

**SECTION 16: Other information**

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Relevant phrases**  
H300 Fatal if swallowed.  
H310 Fatal in contact with skin.  
H330 Fatal if inhaled.  
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.
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
The classification of the mixture is generally based on the calculation method using substance data according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.
- **Department issuing SDS:** product safety department
- **Contact:** msds@scharlab.com
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**  
RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

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ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Acute Tox. 2: Acute toxicity – Category 2

Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4

Acute Tox. 1: Acute toxicity – Category 1

STOT RE 2: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 2

Aquatic Acute 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute aquatic hazard – Category 1

Aquatic Chronic 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - long-term aquatic hazard – Category 1

Aquatic Chronic 3: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - long-term aquatic hazard – Category 3