

## Classified as hazardous in accordance with the criteria of EPA New Zealand

## **Section 1 - Identification**

**Product Identifier** 

Product Name <u>Multi-element standard solution</u>

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against No Information available

Product Code 96809

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## **Section 2 - Hazard(s) Identification**

Classification under Work Safe New Zealand

Classified as hazardous in accordance with the criteria of EPA New Zealand

**GHS Classification** 

Physical hazards

Substances/mixtures corrosive to metal Category 1

**Health hazards** 

Acute Inhalation Toxicity - VaporsCategory 2Skin Corrosion/IrritationCategory 1 BSerious Eye Damage/Eye IrritationCategory 1Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure)Category 3

**Environmental hazards** 

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**Label Elements** 

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Signal Word

Danger

#### **Hazard Statements**

H290 - May be corrosive to metals

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

H330 - Fatal if inhaled

### **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

P234 - Keep only in original packaging

P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

### Response

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

P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

P390 - Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

## Storage

P402 - Store in a dry place

P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

P406 - Store in corrosion resistant polypropylene container with a resistant inliner

#### Disposal

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

Other hazards which do not result in classification

## **Section 3 - Composition and Information on Ingredients**

Component	CAS No	Weight %		
Water	7732-18-5	80		
Hydrochloric acid	7647-01-0	20		

## **Section 4 - First Aid Measures**

## **Description of first aid measures**

General Advice Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is

required.

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**Inhalation** If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Remove from exposure, lie down. Do not use

mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration

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with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory

medical device. Call a physician immediately.

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Immediate medical attention is required.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove and wash

contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Call a physician

immediately.

**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person. Call a physician immediately.

**Self-Protection of the First Aider** No special precautions required.

First Aid Facilities Eyewash, safety shower and washroom.

Most important symptoms and

effects

Causes burns by all exposure routes. Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

## **Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures**

## **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam.

## Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

## **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Hydrogen chloride, Metal oxides.

## Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

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.

## **Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures**

## Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

### **Emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

### **Environmental Precautions**

Should not be released into the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

## Methods for Containment and Clean Up

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## Precautions to prevent secondary hazards

Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations

### **Reference to Other Sections**

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Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## **Section 7 - Handling and Storage**

### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

#### Advice on safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use only under a chemical fume hood. Do not breathe mist/vapors/spray. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance.

### **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

### **Storage Conditions**

Corrosives area. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

### **Incompatible Materials**

. Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents.

AS/NZS 2243.10:2004, Safety in laboratories - Storage of chemicals

## **Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection**

### Control parameters

### **Exposure limits**

NZ - Workplace Exposure Standards and Biological Exposure Indices (6th edition). New Zealand Department of Labor AUS - Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment - Guidance Note on the Interpretation of Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment [NOHSC:3008(1995)] Adopted National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment [NOHSC:1003(1995)] updated in August, 2005. Safe Work Australia

UK - EH40/2005 Work Exposure Limits, Fourth edition. Published 2020.

**ACGIH** - Threshold Limit Values - Ceiling (TLV-C) guidelines by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) for controlling worker exposure to airborne chemical concentrations in the workplace.

Component	New Zealand WEL	Australia	ACGIH TLV	The United Kingdom
Hydrochloric acid	Ceiling: 5 ppm Ceiling: 7.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Ceiling: 5 ppm Ceiling: 7.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Ceiling: 2 ppm	STEL: 5 ppm 15 min STEL: 8 mg/m³ 15 min
				TWA: 1 ppm 8 hr
				TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr

## **Biological limit values**

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

## Appropriate engineering controls

### **Engineering Measures**

None under normal use conditions. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** Goggles (Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye protectors for Industrial

applications)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

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Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	AUS/NZ Standard	Glove comments
Natural rubber, Nitrile	See manufacturers	-	AS/NZS 2161	(minimum requirement)
rubber, Neoprene, PVC.	recommendations			

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves.

(Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing

**Repiratory Protection** Use an AS/NZS 1716 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or

other symptoms are experienced. To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained in line with AS/NZS 1715 on the use

Liquid

and maintenance of repiratory protective devices

Recommended Filter type: Particle filter (or AUS/NZ equivalent)

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

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

## **Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties**

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Liquid Solution

**Appearance** 

Odor No information available
Odor Threshold No data available

**pH** No information available 1.5

Melting Point/RangeNo data availableSoftening PointNo data availableBoiling Point/RangeNo information availableFlammability (liquid)No data available

Flammability (solid,gas) Not applicable

Explosion Limits No data available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

Autoignition TemperatureNo data availableDecomposition TemperatureNo data availableViscosityNo data available

Water Solubility Miscible

Solubility in other solvents No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Vapor Pressure
Density / Specific Gravity
Bulk Density
No data available
No data available
Not applicable

Bulk DensityNot applicableLiquidVapor DensityNo data available(Air = 1.0)

Particle characteristics Not applicable (liquid)

Other information

## **Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity**

Reactivity None known, based on information available

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Stability Stable under normal conditions.

No information available Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact

Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

**Hazardous Polymerization** No information available.

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

**Conditions to Avoid** Heat, flames and sparks.

**Incompatible Materials** . Strong bases: Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products Hydrogen chloride. Metal oxides.

## **Section 11 - Toxicological Information**

### **Acute Effects**

## Information on likely routes of exposure

### **Product Information**

Inhalation Inhalation of vapors in high concentration may cause irritation of respiratory system. Avoid contact with eyes. Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including Eyes

blindness.

Avoid contact with skin. Causes burns. Skin Corrosion/Irritation. Skin

Ingestion May be harmful if swallowed.

## Numerical measures of toxicity

(a) acute toxicity;

Oral Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met **Dermal** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met Inhalation

## Toxicology data for the components

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Water	-	-	-
Hydrochloric acid	238 - 277 mg/kg (Rat)	> 5010 mg/kg(Rabbit)	1.68 mg/L (Rat)1 h

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; Category 1 B

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Category 1

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

No data available Respiratory Skin No data available

No data available (e) germ cell mutagenicity;

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

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(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; Category 3

Results / Target organs Respiratory system

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; No data available

Target Organs None known.

(j) aspiration hazard; No data available

## Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed

Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation.

## **Section 12 - Ecological Information**

## **Ecotoxicity**

Aquatic ecotoxicity May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to

contaminate ground water system.

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
Hydrochloric acid	282 mg/L LC50 96 h	56mg/L EC50 72h	-	-
	Gambusia affinis	Daphnia		
	mg/L LC50 48 h	-		
	Leucscus idus			

Terrestrial ecotoxicity

There is no data for this product

Persistence and Degradability Product contains heavy metals. Discharge into the environment must be avoided. Special

pre-treatment is necessary

**Persistence** based on information available, May persist.

Degradation in sewage treatment 
Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste

**plant** water treatment plants.

**Bioaccumulative Potential** May have some potential to bioaccumulate

**Mobility**The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems. Will likely be mobile in the

environment due to its water solubility. Highly mobile in soils

Other adverse effects

Endocrine Disruptor Information Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## **Section 13 - Disposal Considerations**

### Waste treatment methods

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Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Do not allow into drains or watercourses or dispose of where ground or surface waters may be affected. Wastes, including emptied containers, are controlled wastes and should be disposed of in accordance with all federal, E.P.A., state and local regulations. Assure

conformity with all applicable regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** 

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

Other Information

Disposal agencies or waste contractors must comply with the New Zealand Hazardous Substances (Disposal) Regulations . Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not flush to sewer. Large amounts will affect pH and harm aquatic organisms. Solutions with low

pH-value must be neutralized before discharge.

## **Section 14 - Transport Information**

Component	Hazchem Code
Hydrochloric acid	2RE
7647-01-0 ( 20 )	2R

## NZS 5433:2020

**UN-No** UN1789

**Proper Shipping Name** HYDROCHLORIC ACID SOLUTION

**Hazard Class Packing Group** Ш

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UN-No UN1789

**Proper Shipping Name** HYDROCHLORIC ACID SOLUTION

**Hazard Class Packing Group** Ш

IMDG/IMO

UN1789 **UN-No** 

**Proper Shipping Name** HYDROCHLORIC ACID SOLUTION

**Hazard Class Packing Group** 

**Environmental hazards** No hazards identified

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the **IBC Code** 

**Special Precautions** 

Not applicable, packaged goods

No special precautions required. Please refer to the applicable dangerous goods

regulations for additional information.

Additional information None known

## **Section 15 - Regulatory Information**

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

## **National Regulations**

There are no applicable tolerable exposure limits or environmental exposure limits according to the EPA Controls for Hazardous Substances

## Certified handlers, tracking and controlled substance license requirements

Certified handlers are required for some substances. This includes substances requiring a controlled substance license, and most

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### Prohibition or notification/licensing requirements

Shown below are details of specific prohibition/notifications or licencing requirements when they apply.

## **International Regulations**

Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Persistent Organic Pollutant This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Rotterdam Convention (PIC) Not applicable

Component	` '	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements	IMDG Marine Pollutant
Hydrochloric acid	25 tonne	250 tonne	

## Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Component		REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances	
Hydrochloric ac	id	-	Use restricted. See item 75. (see link for restriction details)	-

https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach

### **International Inventories**

China, X = listed, Australia, U.S.A. (TSCA), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Australia (AICS), Korea (KECL), China (IECSC), Japan (ENCS), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ISHL), Japan (ISHL). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

Component	CAS No	NZIoC	AICS	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	KECL	IECSC	TCSI
Water	7732-18-5	Х	Χ	231-791-2	-	-	KE-35400	X	X
Hydrochloric acid	7647-01-0	Х	Х	-	-	-	KE-20189	X	Х

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ISHL	ENCS
Water	7732-18-5	X	ACTIVE	X	-	X	-	X
Hydrochloric acid	7647-01-0	Х	ACTIVE	Χ	ı	Х	Χ	Х

Legend: X - Listed '-' - Not Listed KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

## **Section 16 - Other Information**

# This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of the EPA Hazardous Substances (Hazard Classification) Notice 2020 and WorkSafe New Zealand Regulations

### Legend

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

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Substances List

IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

NZS 5433:2020 - Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air

Transport Association

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from

Ships

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50% WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit DNEL - Derived No Effect Level

POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

PNEC - Predicted No Effect Concentration

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development **IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime

Dangerous Goods Code

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50% ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment
NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

## Key literature references and sources for data

HSNO classifications provided in the New Zealand Chemical Classification Information Database (CCID).

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

EPA Guide to classifying hazardous substances in New Zealand

EPA - Assigning a product to an existing HSNO approval guide

## Classification and procedure used to derive the classification for mixtures according to Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [CLP]:

Physical hazards
Health Hazards
Calculation method
Environmental hazards
Cn basis of test data
Calculation method

### **Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

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## **End of Safety Data Sheet**

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