

Occupational Safety and Health (Classification, Labelling and Safety Data Sheet of Hazardous Chemicals) Regulations 2013

**SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING**
**Product Identifier**

Perihal Produk:

Product Description:

Cat No. :

Molecular Formula

**Osmium tetroxide, 2.5 wt% solution in t-butanol, stabilized**
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197450000; 197450010; 197450050; 197450250

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

Recommended Use

Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against

No Information available

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**SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**
**Classification of the substance or mixture**

Flammable liquids	Category 2 (H225)
Acute oral toxicity	Category 4 (H302)
Acute dermal toxicity	Category 2 (H310)
Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Vapors	Category 3 (H331)
Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 2 (H315)
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2 (H319)
Respiratory Sensitization	Category 1 (H334)
Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure)	Category 3 (H335) (H336)

**Label Elements**


Signal Word

Danger

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## Hazard Statements

H225 - Highly flammable liquid and vapor  
H302 - Harmful if swallowed  
H310 - Fatal in contact with skin  
H331 - Toxic if inhaled  
H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation  
H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation  
H336 - May cause drowsiness or dizziness

## Precautionary Statements

### Prevention

P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking  
P240 - Ground and bond container and receiving equipment  
P242 - Use non-sparking tools  
P243 - Take action to prevent static discharges  
P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
P262 - Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing  
P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
P284 - In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection

### Response

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  
P330 - Rinse mouth  
P370 + P378 - In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish  
P362 + P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse

### Storage

P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed  
P405 - Store locked up

### Disposal

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

## Other Hazards

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Osmium tetroxide	20816-12-0	2.5
tert-Butyl alcohol	75-65-0	97.5

## 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

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	required.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
<b>Inhalation</b>	If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Remove to fresh air. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required.
<b>Self-Protection of the First Aider</b>	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

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

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing. Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting. 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.

## **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

### **Extinguishing media**

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam. Water mist may be used to cool closed containers.

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

No information available.

### **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Flammable. Containers may explode when heated. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Carbon monoxide (CO).

### **Advice 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**

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## Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

## Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment.

## Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

## Reference to Other Sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for 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. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools. To avoid ignition of vapors by static electricity discharge, all metal parts of the equipment must be grounded. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Corrosives area. To maintain product quality: Keep refrigerated. Flammables area.

### Specific End Uses

Use in laboratories.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control Parameters

Component	Malaysia	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL
Osmium tetroxide		TWA: 0.0002 ppm STEL: 0.0006 ppm	(Vacated) TWA: 0.0002 ppm (Vacated) TWA: 0.002 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Vacated) STEL: 0.0006 ppm (Vacated) STEL: 0.006 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 0.002 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
tert-Butyl alcohol		TWA: 100 ppm	(Vacated) TWA: 100 ppm (Vacated) TWA: 300 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Vacated) STEL: 150 ppm (Vacated) STEL: 450 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 100 ppm TWA: 300 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Component	European Union	The United Kingdom	Germany
Osmium tetroxide		STEL: 0.0006 ppm 15 min STEL: 0.006 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min TWA: 0.0002 ppm 8 hr TWA: 0.002 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr	
tert-Butyl alcohol		STEL: 150 ppm 15 min STEL: 462 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min TWA: 100 ppm 8 hr TWA: 308 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr	TWA: 20 ppm (8 Stunden). AGW - exposure factor 4 TWA: 62 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 Stunden). AGW - exposure factor 4

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			TWA: 20 ppm (8 Stunden). MAK TWA: 62 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8 Stunden). MAK Höhepunkt: 80 ppm Höhepunkt: 248 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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## Exposure Controls

### Engineering Measures

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

### Personal protective equipment

<b>Eye Protection</b>	Goggles
<b>Hand Protection</b>	Protective gloves
<b>Skin and body protection</b>	Long sleeved clothing

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.

<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators
<b>Recommended Filter type:</b>	Organic gases and vapours filter Type A Brown conforming to EN14387 To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained properly When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

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

Environmental exposure controls Prevent product from entering drains Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### **Appearance**

<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid
<b>Odor</b>	No information available
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No data available
<b>pH</b>	No information available

<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	No data available
<b>Softening Point</b>	No data available
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	No information available
<b>Flash Point</b>	4 °C / 39.2 °F

**Method -** CC (closed cup)

<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	negligible	
<b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>	Not applicable	Liquid

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**Explosion Limits** No data available

<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	466 hPa @ 55°C	
<b>Vapor Density</b>	No data available	(Air = 1.0)
<b>Specific Gravity / Density</b>	0.811	
<b>Bulk Density</b>	Not applicable	Liquid
<b>Water Solubility</b>	No information available	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available	

## Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Component	log Pow
Osmium tetroxide	0.9
tert-Butyl alcohol	0.317

**Autoignition Temperature** No data available

**Decomposition Temperature** No data available

**Viscosity** No data available

**Explosive Properties** Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air

**Oxidizing Properties** No information available

**Molecular Formula** O<sub>4</sub> Os

**Molecular Weight** 254.2

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

None known, based on information available.

### Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
<b>Hazardous Reactions</b>	None under normal processing.

### Conditions to Avoid

Excess heat. Incompatible products. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

### Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Carbon monoxide (CO).

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## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on Toxicological Effects

#### Product Information

##### (a) acute toxicity;

Oral	Category 4
Dermal	Category 2
Inhalation	Category 3

#### Toxicology data for the components

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Osmium tetroxide	15 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	LC50 = 40 ppm ( Rat ) 4 h
tert-Butyl alcohol	>3100 mg/kg (Rat)	>2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	>31 mg/L/4h (Rat)

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; Category 2

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Category 2

##### (d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory	Category 1
Skin	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Component	Test method	Test species	Study result
tert-Butyl alcohol 75-65-0 ( 97.5 )	OECD Test Guideline 406 Skin sensitization	guinea pig	non-sensitising

No information available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Component	Test method	Test species	Study result
tert-Butyl alcohol 75-65-0 ( 97.5 )	AMES test	in vitro	negative

(f) carcinogenicity; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met  
There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

(h) STOT-single exposure; Category 3

Results / Target organs Respiratory system, Central nervous system (CNS).

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Target Organs None known.

(j) aspiration hazard; Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Symptoms / effects, both acute and Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling

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**delayed** of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing. Inhalation of high vapor concentrations may cause symptoms like headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting. 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.

**Endocrine Disrupting Properties** Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity effects** Do not empty into drains. .

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
tert-Butyl alcohol	LC50 >961 mg/L/96h (Pimephales promelas)	EC50 933 mg/L 48 h	EC50 1000 mg/L 72 h	EC50 > 10000 mg/L 17 h

**Persistence and degradability** Not applicable for mixtures  
**Persistence** Persistence is unlikely.

**Bioaccumulative potential** Bioaccumulation is unlikely

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
Osmium tetroxide	0.9	No data available
tert-Butyl alcohol	0.317	1.09 dimensionless

**Mobility in soil** No information available.

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

**Other adverse effects** No information available

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Waste treatment methods

**Waste from Residues/Unused Products**

Waste is classified as hazardous Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

**Contaminated Packaging**

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point. Empty containers retain product residue, (liquid and/or vapor), and can be dangerous Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition

**Other Information**

Do not flush to sewer Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**IMDG/IMO**  
**UN-No**

UN1992

ACR19745



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**Hazard Class** 3  
**Subsidiary Hazard Class** 6.1  
**Packing Group** II  
**Proper Shipping Name** Flammable liquid, toxic, n.o.s. tert-Butyl alcohol, Osmium tetroxide

## Road and Rail Transport

**UN-No** UN1992  
**Hazard Class** 3  
**Subsidiary Hazard Class** 6.1  
**Packing Group** II  
**Proper Shipping Name** Flammable liquid, toxic, n.o.s. tert-Butyl alcohol, Osmium tetroxide

## IATA

**UN-No** UN1992  
**Hazard Class** 3  
**Subsidiary Hazard Class** 6.1  
**Packing Group** II  
**Proper Shipping Name** Flammable liquid, toxic, n.o.s. tert-Butyl alcohol, Osmium tetroxide

**Special Precautions for User** No special precautions required

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

**International Inventories** X = listed

Component	EINECS	TSCA	DSL	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	IECSC	AICS	KECL
Osmium tetroxide	244-058-7	X	X	X	-		X	X	KE-27435
tert-Butyl alcohol	200-889-7	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	KE-24895

### National Regulations

**Persistent Organic Pollutant** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance  
**Ozone Depletion Potential** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### Legend

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

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

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

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

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

**DSL/NDL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

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

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit

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

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%

**TWA** - Time Weighted Average

**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%

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**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

**ADR** - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

**ICAO/IATA** - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

**MARPOL** - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

**ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**VOC** - (Volatile Organic Compound)

## Key literature references and sources for data

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

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

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