

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Australian statement of hazardous nature: Classified as hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia

## Section 1 - Identification

Product Name p-Chloranil

**CAS No** 118-75-2

Synonyms 2,3,5,6-Tetrachloro-2,5-cyclohexadiene-1,4-dione; 4-Chloranil

Product Code A13495

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Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

This product does not contain any substance(s) subject to Prohibition, Authorization or Restriction. This product does not contain any substance(s) listed on the voluntary National

Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern.

# Section 2 - Hazard(s) Identification

## Classification under Safe Work Australia

Classified as hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia

Physical hazards

No hazards identified

**Health hazards** 

Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2

**Environmental hazards** 

Acute aquatic toxicity
Chronic aquatic toxicity
Category 1
Category 1

**Label Elements** 

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Signal Word

#### Danger

#### **Hazard Statements**

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

#### **Precautionary Statements**

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

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

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

P332 + P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

P337 + P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

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

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

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

#### Other information

Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates

# Section 3 - Composition and Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %
2,3,5,6-Tetrachloro-2,5-cyclohexadiene-1,4-dione	118-75-2	<=100

# Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists,

call a physician.

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

medical attention.

**General Advice** If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Self-Protection of the First Aider Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

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First Aid Facilities Eyewash, safety shower and washroom.

Most important symptoms and

effects

None reasonably foreseeable.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

# Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Chemical foam.

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

No information available.

#### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Hydrogen chloride gas.

#### **Decomposition Temperature**

> 295°C

#### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Do not allow run-off from fire-fighting to enter drains or water courses.

## 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.

# Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

## **Emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation.

### **Environmental Precautions**

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

### Methods for Containment and Clean Up

## Clean-up methods - small spillage

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## Clean-up methods - large spillage

Typically only supplied is small quantiites as packaged goods.

If extremely toxic or used in larger quantities ensure a spillage action plan is in place. Evacuate area. Control the source and/or contain the spill if safe and able to do so. Use temporary diking, sand bags, dry sand, earth or proprietary booms/absorbent pads if available. Obtain advice on containment, neutralisation and clean-up from local emergency responders.

#### **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. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

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Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

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

# Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

#### **Exposure limits**

The product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established.

#### **Biological limit values**

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

## **Exposure Controls**

### **Engineering Measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

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

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

applications)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

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

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 Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

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

and maintenance of repiratory protective devices (or AUS/NZ equivalent)

**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. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

# Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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Appearance Yellow
Physical State Powder Solid

**Odor** Odorless

Odor Threshold No data available

**pH** 3.5-4.5 100 g/L aq.sol

Melting Point/Range 290 °C / 554 °F
Softening Point No data available
Poiling Point/Range No information avail

Boiling Point/Range No information available

Flash Point > 100 °C / > 212 °F Method - No information available

Solid

**Evaporation Rate** Not applicable Solid

Flammability (solid,gas)

Explosion Limits

No information available

No data available

Vapor Pressure1 hPa @ 71 °CVapor DensityNot applicable

Specific Gravity / Density 1.97

Bulk Density No data available

Water Solubility Insoluble

Solubility in other solvents No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)
Component log Pow
2,3,5,6-Tetrachloro-2,5-cyclohexadiene2.3

-1,4-dione

Autoignition Temperature 400 °C / 752 °F

Decomposition Temperature > 295°C

Viscosity Not applicable Solid

Explosive Properties No information available Oxidizing Properties No information available

Other information

Molecular Formula C6 Cl4 O2 Molecular Weight 245.88

# Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products.

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

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Hydrogen chloride gas.

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

# Section 11 - Toxicological Information

## **Information on Toxicological Effects**

### **Product Information**

(a) acute toxicity;

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

DermalNo data availableInhalationNo data available

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Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
2,3,5,6-Tetrachloro-2,5-cyclohexadiene-1,4	LD50 = 4 g/kg (Rat)		LC50 = 2485 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Rat) 4 h
-dione			

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; Category 2

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Category 2

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

No data available Respiratory Skin No data available

No data available (e) germ cell mutagenicity;

No data available (f) carcinogenicity;

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; No data available

None known. **Target Organs** 

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable

Solid

Symptoms / effects.both acute and No information available delayed

# Section 12 - Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity effects** Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic

environment. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the

environment.

Persistence and Degradability

Degradation in sewage

Persistence

Not readily biodegradable

Persistence is unlikely. Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste

treatment plant water treatment plants.

**Bioaccumulative Potential** Bioaccumulation is unlikely

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
2,3,5,6-Tetrachloro-2,5-cyclohexadiene-1,4	2.3	No data available
-dione		

Spillage unlikely to penetrate soil. The product is insoluble and sinks in water. Is not likely **Mobility** mobile in the environment due its low water solubility

**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 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

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

Other Information Chemical wastes should be disposed through a licensed commercial waste collection

service. Do not flush to sewer. 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 let this

chemical enter the environment.

# Section 14 - Transport Information

#### IMDG/IMO

UN3077 **UN-No** 

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. **Proper Shipping Name** 

**Technical Shipping Name** (TETRACHLORO-P-BENZOQUINONE)

**Hazard Class** Ш **Packing Group** 

ADG

**UN-No** UN3077

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. **Proper Shipping Name** 

**Technical Shipping Name** (TETRACHLORO-P-BENZOQUINONE)

**Hazard Class** Packing Group Ш

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UN3077 **UN-No** 

**Proper Shipping Name** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.

**Technical Shipping Name** (TETRACHLORO-P-BENZOQUINONE)

**Hazard Class Packing Group** Ш

**Environmental hazards** Dangerous for the environment

Product is a marine pollutant according to the criteria set by IMDG/IMO

**Special Precautions** No special precautions required

**Additional information** None known

# Section 15 - Regulatory Information

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

**National Regulations** Australia

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters.

## Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

No poison schedule number allocated.

## **Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)**

	Component	Australian Industrial	Additional information
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	Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)	
2,3,5,6-Tetrachloro-2,5-cyclohexadiene-1,4 -dione - 118-75-2	Present	-

## Australian - Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents Substance List

This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

#### **Chemicals of Security Concern**

This product does not contain any substance(s) listed on the voluntary National Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern

National pollutant inventory Not applicable

## Prohibition or notification/licensing requirements

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

This product does not contain any substance(s) subject to Prohibition, Authorization or Restriction.

## **International Inventories**

Component	AICS	NZIoC	EINECS	ELINCS	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	<b>ENCS</b>	ISHL	IECSC	KECL
2,3,5,6-Tetrachloro-2,5	X	Х	204-274-4	-	Х	Х	-	X	Х	Х	Х	97-3-28
-cyclohexadiene-1,4-di												
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Legend: X - Listed. '-' - Not Listed. T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA. KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

## **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

Basel convention on the control of transboundary movements of hazardous wastes and their dispoal Not applicable.

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Restriction of	Seveso III Directive	Seveso III Directive
			Hazardous	(2012/18/EC) -	(2012/18/EC) -
			Substances (RoHS)	Qualifying Quantities	Qualifying Quantities
				for Major Accident	for Safety Report
				Notification	Requirements
2,3,5,6-Tetrachloro-2,5-cycloh	118-75-2	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
exadiene-1,4-dione					

### Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

L	Component	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV	' - REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII -	REACH Regulation (EC
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	Substances Subject to Authorization	Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances	1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
2,3,5,6-Tetrachloro-2,5-cyclohex	-	Use restricted. See item 75.	-
adiene-1,4-dione		(see link for restriction details)	

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

# Section 16 - Other Information

#### Legend

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

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

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

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

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

NZS 5433:2012 - Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land

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)

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

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

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

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

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

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

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

**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

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

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

#### **Training Advice**

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

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers. Chemical incident response training.

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This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) is prepared in accordance to and complies with the requirements of Safe Work Australia - Work Health and Safety Regulations (WHS Regulations).

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# **End of Safety Data Sheet**

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