

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

## 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Acetyl chloride

Product Number : 00990  
Brand : Sigma-Aldrich  
Index-No. : 607-011-00-5  
CAS-No. : 75-36-5

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

Uses advised against : The product is being supplied under the TSCA R&D Exemption (40 CFR Section 720.36). It is the recipient's responsibility to comply with the requirements of the R&D exemption. The product may not be used for a non-exempt commercial purpose under TSCA unless appropriate consent is granted in writing by MilliporeSigma.

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

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.  
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## 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week

## SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**GHS classification in accordance with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)**

Flammable liquids : Category 2

Skin corrosion : Sub-category 1B

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Serious eye damage : Category 1

Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard : Category 3

### Other hazards

Lachrymator.

Reacts violently with water.

### GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms :



Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.  
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
H402 Harmful to aquatic life.

Precautionary statements :

#### Prevention:

P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

P233 Keep container tightly closed.

P240 Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.

P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting equipment.

P242 Use non-sparking tools.

P243 Take action to prevent static discharges.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and 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/ shower.

P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P305 + P351 + P338 + P310 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.

**Storage:**

P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.  
P405 Store locked up.

**Disposal:**

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

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### SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Substance

**Components**

| Chemical name   | CAS No./Unique ID | Concentration (% w/w) | Trade secret |
|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| Acetyl chloride | 75-36-5*          | >= 80 - <= 100        | TSC          |

\* Indicates that the identifier is a CAS No.

TSC- the actual concentration or concentration range is withheld as a trade secret

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### SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- General advice : First aiders need to protect themselves.  
Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
- If inhaled : After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.
- In case of skin contact : In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.  
Call a physician immediately.
- In case of eye contact : After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water.  
Immediately call in ophthalmologist.  
Remove contact lenses.
- If swallowed : After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most), avoid vomiting (risk of perforation).  
Call a physician immediately.  
Do not attempt to neutralise.
- Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11
- Protection of first-aiders : For personal protection see section 8.

Notes to physician : No data available

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## SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
Dry powder

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Foam  
Water

Specific hazards during fire fighting : Combustible.

Pay attention to flashback.

Vapours are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

May not get in touch with: Water

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

Forms explosive mixtures with air at ambient temperatures.

Hazardous combustion products : Carbon oxides

Hydrogen chloride gas

Specific extinguishing methods : No data available

Further information : Water hydrolyzes material liberating acidic gas which in contact with metal surfaces can generate flammable and/or explosive hydrogen gas.

Remove container from danger zone and cool with water.

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

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

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## SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Advice for non-emergency personnel:  
Do not breathe vapours, aerosols.  
Avoid substance contact.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.  
Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.  
Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.  
Advice for emergency responders:  
For personal protection see section 8.

Environmental precautions : Do not let product enter drains.  
Risk of explosion.

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 with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemisorb® ). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

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## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

For precautions see section 2.2.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Flash back possible over considerable distance.  
  
Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.  
Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

Advice on safe handling : Keep workplace dry. Do not allow product to come into contact with water.

Further information on storage conditions : Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.  
Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

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| Materials to avoid                       | : Keep away from water.<br><br>Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage. |
| Storage class                            | : 3, Flammable liquids  |
| Recommended storage temperature          | : Recommended storage temperature see product label.  |
| Further information on storage stability | : Hydrolyses readily.<br>Handle and store under inert gas.                                      |

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## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

**Engineering measures** : No data available

### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : required when vapours/aerosols are generated.  
Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

Recommended Filter type: : Filter A (acc. to DIN 3181) for vapours of organic compounds

The entrepreneur 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.

### Hand protection

Material : Viton®  
Break through time : 480 min  
Glove thickness : 0.7 mm  
Protective index : Full contact  
Manufacturer : Vitoject® (KCL 890 / Aldrich Z677698, Size M)

Material : Nitrile rubber  
Break through time : 30 min  
Glove thickness : 0.4 mm  
Protective index : Splash contact  
Manufacturer : Camatril® (KCL 730 / Aldrich Z677442, Size M)

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|--------------------------|---|
| Remarks                  | : 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 EN 16523-1 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: <a href="http://www.kcl.de">www.kcl.de</a> ). |
| Eye protection           | : Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).<br>Tightly fitting safety goggles   |
| Skin and body protection | : Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing.   |
| Hygiene measures         | : Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.   |

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## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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| Appearance                  | : liquid, clear                          |
| Color                       | : colourless                             |
| Odor                        | : stinging                               |
| Odor Threshold              | : No data available                      |
| pH                          | : No data available                      |
| Melting point/ range        | : -170 °F / -112 °C<br>Method: lit.      |
| Boiling point/boiling range | : 126 °F / 52 °C<br>Method: lit.         |
| Flash point                 | : 41 °F / 5 °C<br><br>Method: closed cup |
| Evaporation rate            | : No data available                      |
| Flammability (solid, gas)   | : No data available                      |
| Flammability (liquids)      | : No data available                      |

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| Burning rate  | : No data available                                       |
| Upper explosion limit /<br>Upper flammability limit | : Upper explosion limit<br>19 %(V)                        |
| Lower explosion limit /<br>Lower flammability limit | : Lower explosion limit<br>7.3 %(V)                       |
| Vapor pressure                                      | : 805.764 hPa (68 °F / 20 °C)                             |
| Relative vapour density                             | : 2.71<br>(Air = 1.0)                                     |
| Relative density                                    | : No data available                                       |
| Density   | : 1.104 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (77 °F / 25 °C)<br>Method: lit. |
| Water solubility                                    | : No data available                                       |
| Partition coefficient: n-<br>octanol/water          | : No data available                                       |
| Autoignition temperature                            | : 734 °F / 390 °C<br>DIN 51794                            |
| Decomposition<br>temperature                        | : No data available                                       |
| Viscosity, dynamic                                  | : No data available                                       |
| Viscosity, kinematic                                | : No data available                                       |
| Flow time   | : No data available                                       |
| Explosive properties                                | : Not classified as explosive.                            |
| Oxidizing properties                                | : none  |
| Molecular weight                                    | : 78.50 g/mol   |
| Particle characteristics<br>Particle size           | : No data available                                       |

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## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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| Reactivity | : Vapours may form explosive mixture with air. |
| Reactivity | : Reacts violently with water.                 |



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| Chemical stability                 | : sensitive to moisture   |
| Possibility of hazardous reactions | : Exothermic reaction with:<br>Alkaline earth metals<br>Alcohols<br>Alkali metals<br>Strong oxidizing agents<br>alkalines<br>nonmetallic halides<br>A risk of explosion and/or of toxic gas formation exists with the following substances:<br>Water<br>dimethyl sulfoxide<br>Potassium<br>sodium<br>amides |
| Conditions to avoid                | : Warming.<br><br>Moisture.   |
| Incompatible materials             | : No data available   |
| 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

#### Acute toxicity

Oral: No data available

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: Causes burns.

Remarks: (IUCLID)

Remarks: Classified according to Regulation (EU) 1272/2008, Annex VI (Table 3.1/3.2)

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Remarks: Causes serious eye damage.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Result: negative

Remarks: (IUCLID)

#### Carcinogenicity

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- IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
- NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
- OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

**Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available

**11.2 Additional Information**

RTECS: AO6390000

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**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity**

**Components:**

**Acetyl chloride:**

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow)): 42 mg/l  
Exposure time: 96 h  
Test Type: static test  
Analytical monitoring: yes  
Remarks: (ECHA)

**Ecotoxicology Assessment**

Chronic aquatic toxicity : This product has no known ecotoxicological effects.

**Persistence and degradability**

No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

**Mobility in soil**

No data available

**Other adverse effects**

**Product:**

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Ozone-Depletion Potential : Regulation: 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Protection of Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I Substances  
Remarks: This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

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## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Disposal methods

Waste from residues : Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

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## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### International Regulations

#### IATA-DGR

UN/ID No. : UN 1717  
Proper shipping name : Acetyl chloride  
Class : 3  
Subsidiary risk : 8  
Packing group : II  
Labels : Class 3 - Flammable liquids, Class 8 - Corrosive substances  
Packing instruction (cargo : 363  
aircraft)  
Packing instruction : 352  
(passenger aircraft)

#### IMDG-Code

UN number : UN 1717  
Proper shipping name : ACETYL CHLORIDE  
Class : 3  
Subsidiary risk : 8  
Packing group : II  
Labels : 3 (8)  
EmS Code : F-E, S-C  
Marine pollutant : no

### Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable for product as supplied.

### National Regulations

#### 49 CFR Road

UN/ID/NA number : UN 1717

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Proper shipping name : Acetyl chloride

Class : 3

Subsidiary risk : 8

Packing group : II

Labels : Class 3 - Flammable liquids, Class 8 - Corrosive substances

ERG Code : 155

Marine pollutant : no

Poison Inhalation Hazard : No

### Special precautions for user

The transport classification(s) provided herein are for informational purposes only, and solely based upon the properties of the unpackaged material as it is described within this Safety Data Sheet. Transportation classifications may vary by mode of transportation, package sizes, and variations in regional or country regulations.

## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### CERCLA Reportable Quantity

| Components      | CAS-No. | Component RQ (lbs) | Calculated product RQ (lbs) |
|-----------------|---------|--------------------|-----------------------------|
| Acetyl chloride | 75-36-5 | 5000               | 5000                        |

### SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

### SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

**SARA 311/312 Hazards** : Fire Hazard  
Acute Health Hazard

**SARA 313** : This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

### Clean Air Act

This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

The following chemical(s) are listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCM I Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489):

|                 |         |                  |
|-----------------|---------|------------------|
| Acetyl chloride | 75-36-5 | >= 90 - <= 100 % |
|-----------------|---------|------------------|

## Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A.

The following Hazardous Chemicals are listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3:

|                 |         |                  |
|-----------------|---------|------------------|
| Acetyl chloride | 75-36-5 | >= 90 - <= 100 % |
|-----------------|---------|------------------|

This product does not contain any toxic pollutants listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Section 307

This product does not contain any priority pollutants related to the U.S. Clean Water Act

## US State Regulations

### Massachusetts Right To Know

|                 |         |
|-----------------|---------|
| Acetyl chloride | 75-36-5 |
|-----------------|---------|

### Pennsylvania Right To Know

|                 |         |
|-----------------|---------|
| Acetyl chloride | 75-36-5 |
|-----------------|---------|

### Maine Chemicals of High Concern

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

### Vermont Chemicals of High Concern

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

### Washington Chemicals of High Concern

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

## The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

TSCA : All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

## TSCA list

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

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## SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Full text of other abbreviations

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DOT - Department of Transportation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; EHS - Extremely Hazardous Substance; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; HMIS - Hazardous Materials Identification System; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory

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concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; MSHA - Mine Safety and Health Administration; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NFPA - National Fire Protection Association; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; RCRA - Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RQ - Reportable Quantity; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

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