

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Phosphorus trichloride
Product Number : 320463
Brand : Sigma-Aldrich
Index-No. : 015-007-00-4
CAS-No. : 7719-12-2

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.
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ST. LOUIS MO 63103
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1.4 Emergency telephone

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

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 2), H300
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 2), H330
Skin corrosion (Category 1A), H314
Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Inhalation (Category 2), Respiratory Tract, H373
Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 3), H402

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

H300 + H330

Fatal if swallowed or if inhaled.

H314

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H373

May cause damage to organs (Respiratory Tract) through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.

H402

Harmful to aquatic life.

Precautionary Statements

P260

Do not breathe mist or vapors.

P264

Wash 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.

P273

Avoid release to the environment.

P280

Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

P284

Wear respiratory protection.

P301 + P310 + P330

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor. Rinse mouth.

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.

P314

Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.

P363

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P403 + P233

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

P405

Store locked up.

P501

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

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

Reacts violently with water.

Contact with water liberates toxic gas.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Synonyms : Phosphorus(III) chloride

Formula : Cl₃P

Molecular weight : 137.33 g/mol

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EC-No. : 231-749-3
Index-No. : 015-007-00-4

Component	Classification	Concentration
phosphorus trichloride		
	Acute Tox. 2; Skin Corr. 1A; Eye Dam. 1; STOT RE 2; Aquatic Acute 3; H300, H330, H314, H318, H373, H402	<= 100 %

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first-aid measures

General advice

First aiders need to protect themselves. Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air. Immediately call in physician. If breathing stops: immediately apply artificial respiration, if necessary also oxygen.

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

If swallowed: give water to drink (two glasses at most). Seek medical advice immediately. In exceptional cases only, if medical care is not available within one hour, induce vomiting (only in persons who are wide awake and fully conscious), administer activated charcoal (20 - 40 g in a 10% slurry) and consult a doctor as quickly as possible. Do not attempt to neutralise.

4.2 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

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Dry chemical Carbon dioxide (CO₂) Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Water Water Foam

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Oxides of phosphorus

Hydrogen chloride gas

Not combustible.

May not get in touch with: Water

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

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

5.4 Further information

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

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

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

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapours/aerosols. Keep workplace dry. Do not allow product to come into contact with water.

Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions

Tightly closed. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.

Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage.

Store under inert gas. Light sensitive. Metals

Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1B: Non-combustible, acute toxic Cat. 1 and 2 / very toxic hazardous materials

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
phosphorus trichloride	7719-12-2	TWA	0.2 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		STEL	0.5 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		TWA	0.2 ppm 1.5 mg/m ³	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
		ST	0.5 ppm 3 mg/m ³	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits
		TWA	0.5 ppm 3 mg/m ³	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
		STEL	0.5 ppm 3 mg/m ³	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)
		PEL	0.2 ppm 1.5 mg/m ³	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Tightly fitting safety goggles

Skin protection

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: www.kcl.de).

Full contact

Material: Viton®

Minimum layer thickness: 0.7 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Vitoject® (KCL 890 / Aldrich Z677698, Size M)

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Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber
Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm
Break through time: 10 min
Material tested: Camatril® (KCL 730 / Aldrich Z677442, Size M)

Body Protection

protective clothing

Respiratory protection

Recommended Filter type: Filter B-(P2)

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.

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.

Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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|---|---|
| a) Appearance | Form: liquid
Color: clear |
| b) Odor | pungent |
| c) Odor Threshold | No data available |
| d) pH | No data available |
| e) Melting point/freezing point | Melting point/range: -112 °C (-170 °F) - lit. |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range | 74 - 78 °C 165 - 172 °F - lit. |
| g) Flash point | ()Not applicable |
| h) Evaporation rate | No data available |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas) | No data available |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available |
| k) Vapor pressure | 159.98 hPa at 25 °C (77 °F) |
| l) Vapor density | 4.74 - (Air = 1.0) |
| m) Density | 1.574 g/cm ³ at 20 °C (68 °F) - lit. |
| Relative density | No data available |
| n) Water solubility | No data available |

- o) Partition coefficient: Not applicable for inorganic substances
n-octanol/water
- p) Autoignition temperature No data available
- q) Decomposition temperature No data available
- r) Viscosity No data available
- s) Explosive properties No data available
- t) Oxidizing properties none

9.2 Other safety information

Surface tension 27.98 mN/m at 25 °C (77 °F)

Relative vapor density 4.74 - (Air = 1.0)

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

Reacts violently with water.
Contact with water liberates toxic gas.

10.2 Chemical stability

sensitive to moisture

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Exothermic reaction with:

Water
bases
Aluminum
Amines
Iodine chloride
Hydrocarbons
Organic Substances
Oxidizing agents
sulfuric acid
Selenium dioxide
Reducing agents
Risk of explosion with:
Oxygen
Nitric acid
sodium
Potassium
acetic acid
Peroxides
dimethyl sulfoxide
Alkali metals
chromyl chloride

Ammonia
alkalines
Risk of ignition or formation of inflammable gases or vapours with:
Fluorine
hydroxylamine
Violent reactions possible with:
The generally known reaction partners of water.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Do not allow water to enter container because of violent reaction. Light.
Exposure to moisture.
Moisture.

10.5 Incompatible materials

No data available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - 18 mg/kg

Remarks: Behavioral:Food intake (animal).

Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration:Chronic pulmonary edema.

Gastrointestinal:Peritonitis.

(RTECS)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - female - 4 h - 0.586 mg/l - vapor

(OECD Test Guideline 433)

Dermal: No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: Causes severe burns.

(OECD Test Guideline 404)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Corrosive

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

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

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

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Test Type: in vivo assay
Species: Mouse

Application Route: Intraperitoneal

Result: negative

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No ingredient 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 ingredient 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

Inhalation - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

- Respiratory Tract

Aspiration hazard

No data available

11.2 Additional Information

RTECS: TH3675000

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish static test LC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - > 1,000 mg/l - 96 h
(OECD Test Guideline 203)

Toxicity to daphnia
and other aquatic
invertebrates static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 35.4 mg/l - 48 h
(OECD Test Guideline 202)

Toxicity to algae static test ErC50 - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - 33.41
mg/l - 72 h
(Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, C.3)

NOEC - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - 12.5 mg/l - 72 h
(Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, C.3)

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12.2 Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) 116 mg/g
Remarks: (External MSDS)

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

12.7 Other adverse effects

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

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.

SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US)

UN number: 1809 Class: 6.1I (8) Packing group: I

Proper shipping name: Phosphorus trichloride

Reportable Quantity (RQ): 1000 lbs

Poison Inhalation Hazard: Hazard Zone B

IMDG

UN number: 1809

Class: 6.1 (8)

Packing group: I EMS-No: F-

A, S-B

Proper shipping name: PHOSPHORUS TRICHLORIDE

IATA

UN number: 1809 Class: 6.1 (8)

Proper shipping name: Phosphorus trichloride

IATA Passenger: Not permitted for transport

IATA Cargo: Not permitted for transport

SECTION 15: Regulatory information**SARA 302 Components**

phosphorus trichloride

CAS-No.
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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.

SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

phosphorus trichloride

CAS-No.
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2007-07-01**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

phosphorus trichloride

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SECTION 16: Other information**Further information**

The information is believed to be correct but is not exhaustive and will be used solely as a guideline, which is based on current knowledge of the chemical substance or mixture and is applicable to appropriate safety precautions for the product. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.sigma-aldrich.com and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.

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