# 1. PRODUCT

## **1.1 Product identifiers**

Name: Chromium(II) chloride

CAS-No.: 10049-05-5

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

### 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 4), H302

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315

Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

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	Warning
Hazard statement(s)	H302 Harmful if swallowed. H315 Causes skin irritation. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H335 May cause respiratory irritation.
Precautionary statement(s)	<ul> <li>P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.</li> <li>P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.</li> <li>P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.</li> <li>P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.</li> <li>P280 Wear eye protection/ face protection.</li> <li>P280 Wear protective gloves.</li> <li>P301 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.</li> <li>Rinse mouth.</li> <li>P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.</li> <li>P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER od doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.</li> <li>P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.</li> <li>P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.</li> <li>P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.</li> <li>P337 + P333 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.</li> <li>P403 + P233 Store locked up.</li> <li>P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.</li> </ul>

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

No data available

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

## Hazardous components

Component	Classification	Concentration
Chromium dichloride		
	Acute Tox. 4; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2A; STOT SE 3; H302, H315, H319, H335	<= 100 %

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

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

### In case of skin contact

In case of eye contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

### 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

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

No data available

# **5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

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

No data available

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### 5.4 Further information

No data available

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate

ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

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

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result

in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration

before additional processing occurs.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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

Keep in a dry place.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Non Combustible Solids

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

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

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

# Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis	
Chromium dichloride	10049-05-5	TWA	0.500000 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) -Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants	
		TWA	0.500000 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) -Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants	
		TWA	0.500000 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits	
	Remarks	Chromium(II) compounds include soluble chromous salts. See Appendix C			
		TWA	0.5 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) -Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants	
		TWA	0.5 mg/m3	USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits	
		Chromium(II) compounds include soluble chromous salts. See Appendix C			
		PEL	0.5 mg/m3	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)	
see Sections 1532.2, 5206 & 8359			59		

### 8.2 Exposure controls

# Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

# Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection	Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).
Skin protection	Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands. Full contact Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested:Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M) Splash contact Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested:Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M) data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374 If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.
Body Protection	Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.
Respiratory protection	For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).
Control of environmen tal exposure	Do not let product enter drains.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Form: powder Colour: grey
Odour	No data available
Odour Threshold	No data available
рН	No data available
Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 824 °C (1,515 °F) - lit.
Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available
Flash point	Not applicable
Evaporation rate	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
Vapour pressure	No data available
Vapour density	No data available
Relative density	2.9 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)
Water solubility	No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Decomposition temperature	No data available
Viscosity	No data available
Explosive properties	No data available
Oxidizing properties	No data available

# 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

# 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

# **10.5 Incompatible materials**

Oxidizing agents

# **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Hydrogen chloride gas, Chromium oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity	
LD50 Oral - Rat - 1,870 mg/kg Dermal: No data available No data available	
Skin corrosion/irritation	
No data available	
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	
No data available	<u></u>
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	
No data available	
Germ cell mutagenicity	
No data available	
Carcinogenicity	
probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IAR NTP: No component of this product present at levels great known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP. OSHA: No component of this product present at levels great carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.	ter than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a
Reproductive toxicity	×
No data available No data available	2.0
Specific target organ toxicity -single exposure	
Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.	
Specific target organ toxicity -repeated exposure	
No data available	CS
Aspiration hazard	$\sim$
No data available	
Additional Information	
RTECS: GB5250000 Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea, Vomiting	]

# **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish	No data available
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	LC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 21.531 mg/l - 48 h

Toxicity to algae	No data available
Toxicity to bacteria	No data available

# 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

### 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 Other adverse effects

No data available

## **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

### **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

## DOT (US)

UN number: 3077 Class: 9 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. (Chromium dichloride)

Reportable Quantity (RQ): 1000 lbs

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

## IMDG

Not dangerous goods

## IATA

Not dangerous goods

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

### SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

# SARA 313 Components

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

Revision Date
1993-04-24

### Massachusetts Right To Know Components

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Chromium dichloride	10049-05-5	1993-04-24

## Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Chromium dichloride	10049-05-5	1993-04-24

### New Jersey Right To Know Components

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Chromium dichloride	10049-05-5	1993-04-24

### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other

reproductive harm.

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

## Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

Acute Tox. Acute toxicity

Eye Irrit. Eye irritation

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Skin Irrit. Skin irritation

### **HMIS** Rating

Health hazard: 2

Chronic Health Hazard:

Flammability: 0

Physical Hazard 0

# **NFPA** Rating

Health hazard: 2

Fire Hazard: 0

Reactivity Hazard: 0