

## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### Product Identifier

**Product Name** Tetracycline hydrochloride

### Other means of identification

**Product Code(s)** A4010

**Synonyms** No information available

**Product Use** For Laboratory Research Use Only.

### Supplier/Manufacturer

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

#### OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A
Specific target organ toxicity	Category 3

### Label elements

#### Emergency Overview

#### Warning

#### Hazard statements

H319 - Cause serious eye irritation

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation



**Appearance** Powder

**Physical State** Solid

**Odor** No information available

#### Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

#### Precautionary Statements - Response

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes  
 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water  
 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

**Precautionary Statements - Storage**

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

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

Not regulated

**Other Information****3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Chemical Name	CAS-No	EC No.	Weight %	Trade Secret
Tetracycline hydrochloride	64-75-5	200-593-8	95-100	Not applicable

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES****First Aid Measures**

**Eye Contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

**Ingestion** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth.

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

**Most Important Symptoms/Effects** No information available.

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

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES****Suitable Extinguishing Media**

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

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** No information available.

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of toxic/corrosive gases and vapors.

**Hazardous Combustion Products** Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx), Hydrogen chloride gas

**Explosion Data**

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** None.

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** None.

**Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Personal protection** Use personal protective equipment as required. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

**Environmental Precautions**

**Environmental Precautions** See Section 12 for additional Ecological information.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Methods for Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

**Methods for Cleaning Up** Avoid dust formation. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Precautions for Safe Handling**

**Handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Hygroscopic.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

**Incompatible Products** No information.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Control parameters**

**Exposure Guidelines** This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Tetracycline hydrochloride	-	-	-

**Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering Measures** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/Face Protection** Safety glasses with side-shields.

**Skin and Body Protection** Wear protective gloves/clothing.

**Respiratory Protection** If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

**Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES****Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Physical State</b>	Solid	<b>Odor</b>	No information available
<b>Appearance</b>	Powder	<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No information available
<b>Color</b>	No information available		

<b><u>Property</u></b>	<b><u>Values</u></b>	<b><u>Remarks • Method</u></b>
<b>pH</b>	No information available	
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	223 °C	
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	No information available	
<b>Flash Point (High in °C)</b>	No information available	
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	No information available	
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No information available	
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>		
<b>Upper flammability limit:</b>	No information available	
<b>Lower flammability limit:</b>	No information available	
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	No information available	
<b>Vapor Density</b>	No information available	
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	No information available	
<b>Water Solubility</b>	No information available	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available	
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	No information available	
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No information available	
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	No information available	
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	No information available	
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	No information available	
<b>Explosive Properties</b>	No information available	
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	No information available	

**Other Information**

<b>Softening Point</b>	No information available
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	No information available
<b>VOC Content</b>	No information available
<b>Density</b>	No information available
<b>Bulk Density</b>	No information available

**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY****Reactivity**

No data available

**Chemical Stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

**Conditions to Avoid**

No data available

**Incompatible Materials**

Strong oxidizing agents.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx), Hydrogen chloride gas

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### Product Information

<b>Inhalation</b>	There is no data available for this product.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	There is no data available for this product.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	There is no data available for this product.
<b>Ingestion</b>	There is no data available for this product.

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Tetracycline hydrochloride	6,443 mg/kg (rat)	-	-

### Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms** No information available.

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Sensitization** No information available.  
**Mutagenic Effects** No information available.  
**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Tetracycline hydrochloride	-	-	-	-

**Reproductive Toxicity** No information available.  
**STOT - single exposure** No information available.  
**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.  
**Target Organ Effects** No information available.  
**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Toxicity to Fish	Crustacea
Tetracycline hydrochloride	-	LC50 - Salvelinus namaycush - 220 mg/l - 96 h	-

### Persistence and Degradability

No information available.

### Bioaccumulation/Accumulation

No information available.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
Tetracycline hydrochloride	-

**Other Adverse Effects** No information available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste treatment methods**

**Waste Disposal Method** Dispose of material in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** Do not re-use empty containers.

Chemical Name	RCRA	RCRA - Basis for Listing	RCRA - D Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Tetracycline hydrochloride	-	-	-	-

Chemical Name	RCRA - Halogenated Organic Compounds	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes
Tetracycline hydrochloride	-	-	-	-

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Tetracycline hydrochloride	-

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT** Not regulated

**IATA** Not regulated

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**WHMIS Classification**

Not WHMIS controlled.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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**End of Safety Data Sheet**

