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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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. PRODUCT AND COMPANY ID	DENT	IFICATION		
Product name	:	2,3,4,5-Tetrachlorophenol		
Product Number Brand Product Use	:	442281 Supelco For laboratory research purposes.		
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# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Emergency Overview

### **WHMIS Classification**

D1B	Toxic Material Causing Immediate and Serious Toxic Effects	Toxic by ingestion
D2B	Toxic Material Causing Other Toxic Effects	Moderate skin irritant Moderate eye irritant

#### **GHS Classification**

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3) Skin irritation (Category 2) Serious eye damage (Category 1) Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3) Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1)

## GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)	
H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
Precautionary statement(s)	
P261	Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301 + P310	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

HMIS Classification	
Health hazard:	2
Flammability:	0
Physical hazards:	0

#### Potential Health Effects

Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
Skin	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
Eyes	Causes eye irritation.
Ingestion	Toxic if swallowed.

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula	: C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>4</sub> O
Molecular Weight	: 231.89 g/mol

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration		
2,3,4,5-Tetrachlorophenol					
4901-51-3 225-531-7 - <=100%					

## **4. 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

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

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.

# **5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

#### Conditions of flammability

Not flammable or combustible.

#### Suitable extinguishing media

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

#### Special protective equipment for firefighters Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### Hazardous combustion products

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

# Explosion data - sensitivity to mechanical impact

no data available

#### Explosion data - sensitivity to static discharge no data available

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal precautions

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

#### Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

#### 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.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

### Conditions for safe storage

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

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Personal protective equipment

#### **Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Hand 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.

#### Eye protection

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

#### Skin and 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.

#### Hygiene measures

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

### **Specific engineering controls**

Use mechanical exhaust or laboratory fumehood to avoid exposure.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### Appearance

Form	solid
Colour	no data available
Safety data	
рН	no data available
Melting point/freezing point	no data available
Boiling point	no data available
Flash point	no data available
Ignition temperature	no data available
Auto-ignition temperature	no data available
Lower explosion limit	no data available

Upper explosion limit	no data available	
Vapour pressure	no data available	
Density	no data available	
Water solubility	no data available	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 4.328	
Relative vapour density	no data available	
Odour	no data available	
Odour Threshold	no data available	
Evapouration rate	no data available	

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

#### **Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

# Possibility of hazardous reactions no data available

# Conditions to avoid no data available

Materials to avoid Acid anhydrides, Oxidizing agents

#### Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas Other decomposition products - no data available

## **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Acute toxicity

Oral LD50 no data available

Inhalation LC50 no data available

Dermal LD50 no data available

Other information on acute toxicity no data available

# Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation no data available

#### **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** no data available

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity in vitro - Hamster - Lungs Cytogenetic analysis

#### Carcinogenicity

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.

# ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

#### **Reproductive toxicity**

no data available

#### Teratogenicity

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System) Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System) no data available

# Aspiration hazard

no data available

Potential health effects

Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
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Skin	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
Eyes	Causes eye irritation.

#### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Depending on the intensity and duration of exposure, effects may vary from mild irritation to severe destruction of tissue., prolonged or repeated exposure can cause:, Damage to the eyes.

# Synergistic effects no data available

#### Additional Information RTECS: SM9200000

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Toxicity

Toxicity to fish	LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 0.205 mg/l - 96 h
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 1.76 mg/l - 24 h

# Persistence and degradability

no data available

#### **Bioaccumulative potential**

Bioaccumulation

Jordanella floridae - 28 d Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 142

Mobility in soil no data available

PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

#### Other adverse effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Very toxic to aquatic life.

no data available

#### **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

# **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### DOT (US)

UN number: 2020 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III Proper shipping name: Chlorophenols, solid Marine pollutant: No Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

#### IMDG

UN number: 2020 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III Proper shipping name: CHLOROPHENOLS, SOLID Marine pollutant: No EMS-No: F-A, S-A

#### ΙΑΤΑ

UN number: 2020 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III Proper shipping name: Chlorophenols, solid

# **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## **WHMIS Classification**

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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**

#### Text of H-code(s) and R-phrase(s) mentioned in Section 3

#### **Further information**

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