

# Safety Data Sheet

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# **SECTION 1: Identification**

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Substance

Name : Vanadium trichloride oxide

CAS-No. : 7727-18-6 Formula : VOCI3

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture : Synthesis intermediate

#### 1.3. Supplier

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# 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : Chemtrec (USA only): 1-800-424-9300

# SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### **GHS-US** classification

Skin corrosion/irritation H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Category 1A
Hazardous to the aquatic H401 Toxic to aquatic life

environment - Acute

Hazard Category 2

Hazardous to the aquatic H412

environment - Chronic Hazard Category 3

Full text of H statements : see section 16

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

# 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

### **GHS-US** labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US)



Signal word (GHS-US) : Danger

Hazard statements (GHS-US) : H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H401 - Toxic to aquatic life

H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P273 - Avoid release to the environment.

P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.

P303+P361+P353 - If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse

skin with water/shower

P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P403+P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P501 - Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in

accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation

# 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

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# **SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients**

# **Substances**

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Vanadium trichloride oxide (Main constituent)	(CAS-No.) 7727-18-6	>= 99.8	Skin Corr. 1A, H314 Aquatic Acute 2, H401 Aquatic Chronic 3, H412

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements: see section 16

#### Mixtures

Not applicable

# **SECTION 4: First-aid measures**

### **Description of first aid measures**

First-aid measures general : In all cases of doubt, or when symptoms persist, seek medical attention. Never give anything

by mouth to an unconscious person.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Move the affected person away from the contaminated area and into the fresh air. Keep victim

warm and rested. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a doctor.

First-aid measures after skin contact Immediately remove contaminated clothing or footwear. Rinse immediately with plenty of water.

Be careful, the product may remain trapped under clothing, footwear or a wrist-watch... If skin

burns appear, call a doctor immediately.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse immediately and thoroughly, pulling the eyelids well away from the eye (15 minutes

minimum). Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Consult an eye

specialist immediately, even if there are no immediate symptoms.

Do not induce vomiting. Give nothing to eat or drink. Rinse mouth out with water. Give activated First-aid measures after ingestion charcoal. Call a physician immediately. If possible show him this sheet. Failing this, show him

the packaging or label. On ingestion in large quantities: Transfer to hospital rapidly.

#### Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : Irritation to respiratory tract.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact Burns. Ulcerations. Bleeding. Bloody scabs.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Burns. Serious damage to eyes.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Corrosion or irritation of the linings of the mouth, throat, and gastrointestinal tract.

### Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Treat symptomatically.

# **SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

# Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide (CO2). Powder.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Water.

# Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard : On combustion or on thermal decomposition (pyrolysis) releases : Hydrogen chloride.

divanadium pentaoxide, vanadium pentoxide.

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

### Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighting instructions : Contain the extinguishing fluids by bunding.

Protection during firefighting Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment: Self-contained breathing

apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

# **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe vapors. In case of important spillage: Only **Emergency procedures** 

qualified personnel equipped with suitable protective equipment may intervene.

#### For emergency responders 6.1.2.

Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information Protective equipment

refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

#### **Environmental precautions**

Contain the spilled material by bunding (product is hazardous for the environment). Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

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#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Liquid spill: take up in sand, earth, vermiculite.

Wash contaminated area with large amounts of water. Clean preferably with a detergent -Methods for cleaning up

Avoid the use of solvents. Dispose of contaminated materials in accordance with current

regulations.

#### Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Avoid any direct contact with the product. Do not

breathe vapors. Avoid contact of substance with water. Never open the packages under

pressure. Access forbidden to unauthorized personnel. Smoking is forbidden.

: Do not drink, eat or smoke in the workplace. Always wash hands after handling the product. If

on skin, take off contaminated clothing.

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

Storage conditions : Store in dry, well-ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from food, drink

and animal feeding stuffs.

Incompatible materials

Special rules on packaging : Store always product in container of same material as original container.

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

# **Control parameters**

Hygiene measures

No additional information available

#### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Extraction to remove vapors at their source. Safety

shower. Eye fountain.

#### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

# Personal protective equipment:

Safety glasses. Gloves. Protective clothing. Gas mask with filter type E.

# Hand protection:

Chemical resistant gloves (according to European standard NF EN 374 or equivalent). Breakthrough time: refer to the recommendations of the supplier

#### Eve protection:

Safety spectacles with side shields. If there is a risk of liquid being splashed: Face-shield

# Skin and body protection:

If there is a risk of liquid being splashed: Chemically impervious to liquids protective clothing (type 3) according to standard NF EN14605. If there is a risk of splashes: Chemically protective clothing (type 6) according to standard NF EN13034. Boots

# Respiratory protection:

Filtering Half-face mask (DIN EN 149). breathing apparatus with filter: P3 (EN 143) / E (EN 141). In the event of exposure to high concentrations: Gas mask with filter type: ABEK P3 (EN 136). breathing apparatus with filter: B / E (EN 141) / P3 (EN 143)

#### Personal protective equipment symbol(s):









#### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid

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Appearance : Fluid liquid. Color : light yellow Odor : chlorine

Odor threshold : No data available : Not applicable : -77 °C (101.3 kPa) Melting point Freezing point : No data available Boiling point : 127 °C (101.3 kPa)

: Not applicable (inorganic substance) Flash point

Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available Flammability (solid, gas) : Not applicable. Vapor pressure : 19.3 mm Hg (25°C) Relative vapor density at 20 °C : No data available : 1.822 (20°C) Relative density Molecular mass : 173.4 g/mol

Solubility : Soluble in : Water, Ethanol, Ethers, acetic acid.

: Not applicable (inorganic substance) Log Pow

Auto-ignition temperature : No data available Decomposition temperature : No data available Viscosity, kinematic : No data available Viscosity, dynamic : No data available **Explosion limits** : No data available Explosive properties : Not explosive.

Oxidizing properties : Non oxidizing material according to EC criteria.

# Other information

No additional information available

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1. Reactivity

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

# **Chemical stability**

Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of use.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts violently with water. Exothermic reaction with water.

#### 10.4. **Conditions to avoid**

Moisture. Air contact.

# Incompatible materials

Water. Alkali metals. Strong oxidizing agents.

# **Hazardous decomposition products**

On combustion or on thermal decomposition (pyrolysis) releases: Hydrogen chloride, divanadium pentaoxide, vanadium pentaoxide.

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### Information on toxicological effects 11.1.

: Not classified Acute toxicity

(Technical impossibility to obtain the data)

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

pH: Not applicable

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified

pH: Not applicable

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified

(Technical impossibility to obtain the data)

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Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

(Technical impossibility to obtain the data)

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

(Technical impossibility to obtain the data)

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

(Technical impossibility to obtain the data)

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure : Not classified

(Technical impossibility to obtain the data)

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated

exposure

: Not classified

(Technical impossibility to obtain the data)

: Not classified Aspiration hazard

(Technical impossibility to obtain the data)

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : Irritation to respiratory tract.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Burns. Ulcerations. Bleeding. Bloody scabs.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Burns. Serious damage to eyes.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion Corrosion or irritation of the linings of the mouth, throat, and gastrointestinal tract.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Vanadium trichloride oxide (7727-18-6)		
LC50 fish	4 mg/l/96h (Danio rerio) (Test method EU C.1) (Published data) - Information related to: vanadium element	
EC50 Daphnia	3.5 mg/l/48h (Daphnia magna) (Test method EU C.2) (Published data) - Information related to: vanadium element	
ErC50 (algae)	9.5 mg/l/72h (Pseudokirchnerella subcapitata) (OECD 201 method) - Information related to: vanadium element	
NOEC chronic fish	0.17 mg/l/ 28 d (Jordanella floridae) (Published data) - Information related to: vanadium element	
NOEC chronic crustacea	0.56 mg/l (Daphnia magna, 14 weeks) (Published data) - Information related to: vanadium element	

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Vanadium trichloride oxide (7727-18-6)	
Persistence and degradability	Hydrolysis: Instantaneous decomposition in the presence of moisture in the air.
Biodegradation	Not applicable (inorganic substance)

#### 12.3. **Bioaccumulative potential**

Vanadium trichloride oxide (7727-18-6)	
BCF	13 (28 days, OECD 305) (Published data)
Log Pow	Not applicable (inorganic substance)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

# **Mobility in soil**

Vanadium trichloride oxide (7727-18-6)	
Ecology - soil	The product is not mobile in soil.

# Other adverse effects

No additional information available

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### **Disposal methods**

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of in accordance with relevant local regulations. Destroy at an authorized site.

Additional information : Empty the packaging completely prior to disposal. The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of specific european, national or local regulations regarding disposal.

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# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

# **Department of Transportation (DOT)**

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description : UN2443 Vanadium oxytrichloride, 8, II

UN-No.(DOT) : UN2443

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Vanadium oxytrichloride

Class (DOT) : 8 - Class 8 - Corrosive material 49 CFR 173.136

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Packing group (DOT) : II - Medium Danger Hazard labels (DOT) : 8 - Corrosive



DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102)

: A3 - For combination packaging, if glass inner packaging (including ampoules) are used, they must be packed with absorbent material in tightly closed metal receptacles before packing in outer packaging.

A6 - For combination packaging, if plastic inner packaging are used, they must be packed in tightly closed metal receptacles before packing in outer packaging.

A7 - Steel packaging must be corrosion-resistant or have protection against corrosion. B2 - MC 300, MC 301, MC 302, MC 303, MC 305, and MC 306 and DOT 406 cargo tanks are not authorized.

B16 - The lading must be completely covered with nitrogen, inert gas or other inert materials. IB2 - Authorized IBCs: Metal (31A, 31B and 31N); Rigid plastics (31H1 and 31H2); Composite (31HZ1). Additional Requirement: Only liquids with a vapor pressure less than or equal to 110 kPa at 50 C (1.1 bar at 122 F), or 130 kPa at 55 C (1.3 bar at 131 F) are authorized.

N34 - Aluminum construction materials are not authorized for any part of a packaging which is normally in contact with the hazardous material.

T7 - 4 178.274(d)(2) Normal...... 178.275(d)(3)

TP2 - a. The maximum degree of filling must not exceed the degree of filling determined by the following: (image) Where: tr is the maximum mean bulk temperature during transport, tf is the temperature in degrees celsius of the liquid during filling, and a is the mean coefficient of cubical expansion of the liquid between the mean temperature of the liquid during filling (tf) and the maximum mean bulk temperature during transportation (tr) both in degrees celsius. b. For liquids transported under ambient conditions may be calculated using the formula: (image) Where: d15 and d50 are the densities (in units of mass per unit volume) of the liquid at 15 C (59 F) and 50 C (122 F), respectively.

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail : Forbidden

(49 CFR 173.27)

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 : 30 L

CFR 175.75)

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**DOT Vessel Stowage Location** : C - The material must be stowed "on deck only" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel.

**DOT Vessel Stowage Other** : 40 - Stow "clear of living guarters"

Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number : 137

Other information : Dangerous for the environment.

# **Transportation of Dangerous Goods**

Transport document description : UN2443 VANADIUM OXYTRICHLORIDE, 8, II

UN-No. (ADR/RID) (TDG) : UN2443

Proper Shipping Name (Transportation of

Dangerous Goods)

: VANADIUM OXYTRICHLORIDE

TDG Primary Hazard Classes : 8 - Class 8 - Corrosives Packing group : II - Medium Danger

Explosive Limit and Limited Quantity Index : 1 L Passenger Carrying Road Vehicle or Passenger : Forbidden

Carrying Railway Vehicle Index

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#### Transport by sea

Transport document description (IMDG) : UN 2443 VANADIUM OXYTRICHLORIDE, 8, II

UN-No. (IMDG) : 2443

Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : VANADIUM OXYTRICHLORIDE

Class (IMDG) : 8 - Corrosive substances

Packing group (IMDG) : II - substances presenting medium danger

MFAG-No 137

# Air transport

Transport document description (IATA) : UN 2443 Vanadium oxytrichloride, 8, II

UN-No. (IATA) : 2443

Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Vanadium oxytrichloride

Class (IATA) : 8 - Corrosives
Packing group (IATA) : II - Medium Danger

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

# 15.1. US Federal regulations

#### Vanadium trichloride oxide (7727-18-6)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

# 15.2. International regulations

### **CANADA**

# Vanadium trichloride oxide (7727-18-6)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

# **EU-Regulations**

# Vanadium trichloride oxide (7727-18-6)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

### **National regulations**

# Vanadium trichloride oxide (7727-18-6)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)

Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)

Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory

Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)

Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)

Japanese Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law

Japanese Pollutant Release and Transfer Register Law (PRTR Law)

# 15.3. US State regulations

No additional information available

# **SECTION 16: Other information**

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Other information : Safety data sheet established by : LISAM SERVICES - TELEGIS

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www.lisam-telegis.fr.

#### Full text of H-phrases:

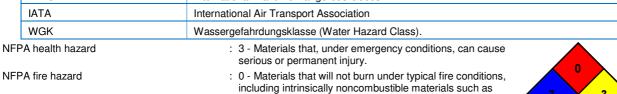
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#### Abbreviations and acronyms:

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ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
IATA	International Air Transport Association
WGK	Wassergefahrdungsklasse (Water Hazard Class).



concrete, stone, and sand.

: 3 - Materials that in themselves are capable of detonation or explosive decomposition or explosive reaction but that require a strong initiating source or must be heated under

confinement before initiation.

: W - Materials that react violently or explosively with water.

NFPA specific hazard Hazard Rating

NFPA reactivity

Health : 3 Serious Hazard - Major injury likely unless prompt action is taken and medical treatment is

given

Flammability : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn

Physical : 2 Moderate Hazard - Materials that are unstable and may undergo violent chemical changes at normal temperature and pressure with low risk for explosion. Materials may react violently with

water or form peroxides upon exposure to air.

Personal protection : D

D - Face shield and eye protection, Gloves, Synthetic apron

#### Indication of changes:

This sheet was updated (refer to the date at the top of this page). SDS changed sections: 2, 3, 12.

SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product

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