Section 1 Chemical Product and Company Identification

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Product	**HYDROCHLORIC ACID, 36.5-38%**
Synonyms	Muriatic Acid; Hydrogen Chloride; Hydrochloric Acid 12M

Section 2 Hazards Identification

Signal word: DANGER
Pictograms: GHS05 / GHS07
Target organs: Respiratory system, skin, eyes, lungs.

GHS Classification:
Serious eye damage (Category 1)
Skin corr. (Category 1B)
STOT SE (Category 3)

GHS Label information: **Hazard statement(s):**
H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H335: May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statement(s):
P260: Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.
P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
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: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P310: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.
P363: Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P403/233: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P405: Store locked up.
P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Hazards not otherwise classified:
Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known
Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Water	7732-18-5	62-63.5%	231-791-2
Hydrochloric acid	7647-01-0	36.5-38%	231-595-7

Section 4 First Aid Measures

INGESTION: Harmful if swallowed. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: Causes eye burns. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: Causes skin burns. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.

Protective Actions for Fire-fighters: In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Specific Hazards: During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Contact with metals produce hydrogen, which is flammable and may produce explosive mixtures with air.

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

Containment and Cleanup: Neutralize spill with sodium bicarbonate or calcium hydroxide, absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Section 7 Handling & Storage

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Protect from physical damage and sunlight. Protect from moisture.

Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:

Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
Hydrogen chloride	STEL: C 2 ppm / C 2.98 mg/m^3	STEL: C 5 ppm / C 7 mg/m^3	STEL: C 5 ppm / C 7 mg/m^3

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: Use a chemical fume hood and/or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance: Clear, colorless, fuming liquid.
Odor: Pungent odor.
Odor threshold: Data not available.
pH: <1.5 acidic, in solution.
Melting / Freezing point: Approx. -45°C (-49°F)
Boiling point: 81.11-85°C (178-185°F)
Flash point: Not flammable.

Evaporation rate (= 1): Data not available.
Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available.
Explosion limits: Upper/Lower: Data not available.
Vapor pressure (mm Hg): Approx. 25 @ 20°C (68°F)
Vapor density (Air = 1): Data not available.
Relative density (Specific gravity): Approx. 1.16 @ 20°C
Solubility(ies): Soluble in water.

Partition coefficient: (n-octanol / water): Data not available.
Auto-ignition temperature: Data not available.
Decomposition temperature: Data not available.
Viscosity: Data not available.
Molecular formula: HCl
Molecular weight: 36.46

Section 10 Stability & Reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable
Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.
Conditions to avoid: Containers may burst when heated. Avoid contact with water.

Incompatible materials: Metals, bases, active metals, alkali metals, oxidizing agents, hydroxides, amines, carbonates, cyanides, sulfides, sulfites, formaldehyde.

Hazardous decomposition products: Hydrogen chloride gas.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: Data not available
Skin corrosion/irritation: Skin-rabbit - causes burns.
Serious eye damage/irritation: Eyes-rabbit - Corrosive to eyes.
Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available
Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available
Carcinogenity: Data not available
NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by NTP.
IARC: Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans.
OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.
Reproductive toxicity: Data not available
STOT-single exposure: The substance or mixture is classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure, category 3 with respiratory tract irritation.
STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available
Aspiration hazard: Data not available
Potential health effects:
Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extrememy destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.
Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.
Skin: May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.
Eyes: Causes eye burns.
Signs and symptoms of exposure: Burning sensation, cough, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema. Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin.
Additional information: RTECS #: MW4025000

Section 12 Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish: LC50 - Gambusia affinis (Mosquito fish) - 282 mg/l - 96 h (Hydrochloric acid)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: No data available
Toxicity to algae: No data available
Persistence and degradability: No data available
Bioaccumulative potential: No data available
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.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

UN/NA number: UN1789
Shipping name: Hydrochloric acid
Hazard class: 8
Packing group: II
Reportable Quantity: No
Marine pollutant: No
Exceptions: Limited quantity equal to or less than 1 Lt
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Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	CA Prop 65
Hydrochloric acid	Listed	Not listed	D002	Listed	Not listed	This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

Section 16 Other Information

The information contained herein is furnished without warranty of any kind. Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them and must make independent determinations of suitability and completeness of information from all sources to assure proper use of these materials and the safety and health of employees. NTP: National Toxicology Program, IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer, OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity, SE: Single Exposure, RE: Repeated Exposure, ERG: Emergency Response Guidebook.