

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### 1. Identification

**Product Name** Cadmium chloride, anhydrous

**Cat No. :** AC192690000; AC192690025; AC192695000

**CAS-No** 10108-64-2  
**Synonyms** No information available

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.  
**Uses advised against** Not for food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use

#### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

##### Company

##### **Importer/Distributor**

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### 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification

##### **WHMIS 2015 Classification**

Classified as hazardous under the Hazardous Products Regulations (SOR/2015-17)

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| <b>Acute oral toxicity</b>                                  | Category 3  |
| <b>Acute Inhalation Toxicity</b>                            | Category 2  |
| <b>Germ Cell Mutagenicity</b>                               | Category 1B |
| <b>Carcinogenicity</b>                                      | Category 1A |
| <b>Reproductive Toxicity</b>                                | Category 1B |
| <b>Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)</b>     | Category 3  |
| Target Organs - Respiratory system.                         |             |
| <b>Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)</b> | Category 1  |
| Target Organs - Kidney, Blood.                              |             |

#### Label Elements

##### **Signal Word**

Danger

##### **Hazard Statements**

Toxic if swallowed

Fatal if inhaled

May cause respiratory irritation  
 May cause genetic defects  
 May cause cancer  
 May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child  
 Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure



### Precautionary Statements

#### Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use  
 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
 Do not breathe dust/fumes/gas/mist/vapours/spray  
 Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
 Wear respiratory protection

#### Response

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing  
 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor  
 Rinse mouth

#### Storage

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

#### Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Other Hazards

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

## 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

| Component        | CAS-No     | Weight % |
|------------------|------------|----------|
| Cadmium chloride | 10108-64-2 | >95      |

## 4. First-aid measures

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <b>General Advice</b> | Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is required.   |
| <b>Eye Contact</b>    | Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.   |
| <b>Skin Contact</b>   | Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.  |
| <b>Inhalation</b>     | Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Immediate medical attention is required. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. |
| <b>Ingestion</b>      | Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.  |

**Most important symptoms/effects** No information available.  
**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Dry chemical, CO<sub>2</sub>, water spray or alcohol-resistant foam.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** No information available

**Flash Point** No information available  
**Method -** No information available

### Autoignition Temperature

#### Explosion Limits

**Upper** No data available  
**Lower** No data available  
**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** No information available  
**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** No information available

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Non-combustible. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

### Hazardous Combustion Products

Fumes Highly toxic fumes

### 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. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

### NFPA

|               |                     |                    |                         |
|---------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Health</b> | <b>Flammability</b> | <b>Instability</b> | <b>Physical hazards</b> |
| 4             | 0                   | 1                  | N/A                     |

## 6. Accidental release measures

**Personal Precautions** Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid dust formation.

**Environmental Precautions** Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. See Section 12 for additional ecological information. Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage.

**Methods for Containment and Clean Up** Avoid dust formation. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.

## 7. Handling and storage

**Handling** Use only under a chemical fume hood. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not ingest. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not breathe vapors/dust. Avoid dust formation.

**Storage** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store under an inert atmosphere.

## 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

### Exposure Guidelines

| Component        | Alberta                      | British Columbia            | Ontario TWAEV               | Quebec                       | ACGIH TLV                   | OSHA PEL | NIOSH IDLH                |
|------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------|---------------------------|
| Cadmium chloride | TWA: 0.002 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |          | IDLH: 9 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

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|--|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|--|--|
|  |  | TWA: 0.002<br>mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 0.002<br>mg/m <sup>3</sup> |  | TWA: 0.002<br>mg/m <sup>3</sup> |  |  |
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**Legend**

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

NIOSH IDLH: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

**Engineering Measures**

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

**Personal protective equipment****Eye Protection**

Goggles

**Hand Protection**

Protective gloves

| Glove material | Breakthrough time | Glove thickness | Glove comments         |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| Natural rubber | See manufacturers | -               | Splash protection only |
| Nitrile rubber | recommendations   |                 |                        |
| Neoprene       |                   |                 |                        |
| PVC            |                   |                 |                        |

Inspect gloves before use. observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information) gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion. gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

**Respiratory Protection**

When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained properly

**Recommended Filter type:** Particulates filter conforming to EN 143

When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

**Environmental exposure controls**

Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

**Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

|   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| <b>Physical State</b>                   | Powder Solid             |
| <b>Appearance</b>                       | White                    |
| <b>Odor</b>                             | No information available |
| <b>Odor Threshold</b>                   | No information available |
| <b>pH</b>                               | No information available |
| <b>Melting Point/Range</b>              | 568 °C / 1054.4 °F       |
| <b>Boiling Point/Range</b>              | 960 °C / 1760 °F         |
| <b>Flash Point</b>                      | No information available |
| <b>Evaporation Rate</b>                 | Not applicable           |
| <b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>         | No information available |
| <b>Flammability or explosive limits</b> |                          |
| <b>Upper</b>                            | No data available        |
| <b>Lower</b>                            | No data available        |
| <b>Vapor Pressure</b>                   | 13 mbar @ 656 °C         |

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|--|--------------------------|
| Vapor Density                          | Not applicable           |
| Specific Gravity                       | No information available |
| Solubility                             | No information available |
| Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water | No data available        |
| Autoignition Temperature               |                          |
| Decomposition Temperature              | No information available |
| Viscosity                              | Not applicable           |
| Molecular Formula                      | Cd Cl <sub>2</sub>       |
| Molecular Weight                       | 183.31                   |

## 10. Stability and reactivity

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Reactive Hazard</b>                  | None known, based on information available  |
| <b>Stability</b>                        | Hygroscopic.  |
| <b>Conditions to Avoid</b>              | Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to moist air or water. Avoid dust formation. |
| <b>Incompatible Materials</b>           | Metals, Powdered metals   |
| <b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b> | Fumes, Highly toxic fumes   |
| <b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>         | Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  |
| <b>Hazardous Reactions</b>              | None under normal processing.   |

## 11. Toxicological information

### Acute Toxicity

#### Product Information

#### Component Information

| Component        | LD50 Oral               | LD50 Dermal | LC50 Inhalation |
|------------------|-------------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Cadmium chloride | LD50 = 88 mg/kg ( Rat ) | Not listed  | Not listed      |

**Toxicologically Synergistic Products** No information available

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

**Irritation** No information available

**Sensitization** No information available

**Carcinogenicity** Possible cancer hazard. May cause cancer based on animal data. The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

| Component        | CAS-No     | IARC    | NTP   | ACGIH | OSHA | Mexico     |
|------------------|------------|---------|-------|-------|------|------------|
| Cadmium chloride | 10108-64-2 | Group 1 | Known | A2    | X    | Not listed |

*IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer)*

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*Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans*

*Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans*

*Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans*

*A1 - Known Human Carcinogen*

*A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen*

*A3 - Animal Carcinogen*

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**Mutagenic Effects** Substances which cause concern for man owing to possible mutagenic effects but for which the available information is not adequate for making a satisfactory assessment

**Reproductive Effects** Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals.

**Developmental Effects** No information available.

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>Teratogenicity</b>                             | Teratogenic effects have occurred in experimental animals. |
| <b>STOT - single exposure</b>                     | Respiratory system   |
| <b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>                   | Kidney Blood   |
| <b>Aspiration hazard</b>                          | No information available                                   |
| <b>Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed</b> | No information available                                   |
| <b>Endocrine Disruptor Information</b>            | No information available                                   |
| <b>Other Adverse Effects</b>                      | See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.        |

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment.

| Component        | Freshwater Algae     | Freshwater Fish       | Microtox  | Water Flea                      |
|------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Cadmium chloride | 3.7 mg/L EC50 = 96 h | 0.0409 mg/L LC50 96 h | = 17 mg/L EC50<br>Photobacterium<br>phosphoreum 15 min as<br>Cd++<br>= 5.4 mg/L EC50<br>Photobacterium<br>phosphoreum 30 min as<br>Cd++<br>= 98 mg/L EC50<br>Photobacterium<br>phosphoreum 5 min as<br>Cd++ | 0.012 - 0.054 mg/L EC50 48<br>h |

**Persistence and Degradability** May persist based on information available.

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

| Component        | log Pow |
|------------------|---------|
| Cadmium chloride | 5       |

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste Disposal Methods** Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

## 14. Transport information

### DOT

|                             |                  |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| <b>UN-No</b>                | UN2570           |
| <b>Proper Shipping Name</b> | CADMIUM COMPOUND |
| <b>Hazard Class</b>         | 6.1              |
| <b>Packing Group</b>        | III              |

### TDG

|                                |                  |
|--------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>UN-No</b>                   | UN2570           |
| <b>Proper Shipping Name</b>    | CADMIUM COMPOUND |
| <b>Hazard Class</b>            | 6.1              |
| <b>Subsidiary Hazard Class</b> | III              |

### IATA

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| <b>UN-No</b> | UN2570 |
|--------------|--------|

|                             |                  |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Proper Shipping Name</b> | CADMIUM COMPOUND |
| <b>Hazard Class</b>         | 6.1              |
| <b>Packing Group</b>        | III              |
| <b>IMDG/IMO</b>             |                  |
| <b>UN-No</b>                | UN2570           |
| <b>Proper Shipping Name</b> | CADMIUM COMPOUND |
| <b>Hazard Class</b>         | 6.1              |
| <b>Packing Group</b>        | III              |

## 15. Regulatory information

### International Inventories

| Component        | DSL | NDSL | TSCA | EINECS    | ELINCS | NLP | PICCS | ENCS | AICS | IECSC | KECL |
|------------------|-----|------|------|-----------|--------|-----|-------|------|------|-------|------|
| Cadmium chloride | X   | -    | X    | 233-296-7 | -      |     | X     | X    | X    | X     | X    |

### Canada

SDS in compliance with provisions of information as set out in Canadian Standard - Part 4, Schedule 1 and 2 of the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) and meets the requirements of the HPR (Paragraph 13(1)(a) of the Hazardous Products Act (HPA)).

## 16. Other information

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|-------------------------|--|
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