

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product identifier** 

**Product Name** 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Other means of identification

Product Code 7900 UN/ID no. UN1702

**Synonyms** Ethane, 1,1,2,2-tetrachloro-; s-tetrachloroethane; acetylene tetrachloride

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use
Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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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)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 3
Acute toxicity - Dermal	Category 1
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 2
Carcinogenicity	Category 1B

#### Label elements

#### **Emergency Overview**

# Danger

# Hazard statements

Toxic if swallowed Fatal in contact with skin Fatal if inhaled

May cause cancer



DANGER! MAY BE FATAL IF SWALLOWED, INHALED OR ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. AFFECTS LIVER, KIDNEYS, CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM AND GASTROINTESTINAL TRACT. CAUSES SEVERE EYE IRRITATION. CAUSES IRRITATION TO SKIN AND RESPIRATORY TRACT.

Appearance Clear, colorless liquid

Physical state liquid

Odor Sweet, characteristic

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

Use personal protective equipment as required

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing

Do not breathe dust

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Wear respiratory protection

# **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

Causes irritation, redness, and pain. Contact may cause permanent eye damage.

Causes irritation to skin. Symptoms include redness, itching and pain.

Causes irritation to the respiratory tract. Symptoms may include coughing, shortness of breath. Overexposure may cause dizziness, headache, nausea and possible fluid in the lungs. May cause liver, kidney or lung injury.

Causes irritation to the gastrointestinal tract. Symptoms may include nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. May cause sore throat and abdominal pain. May cause liver or kidney injury.

# **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

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

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

#### Other Information

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Unknown acute toxicity 0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance

**Synonyms** Ethane, 1,1,2,2-tetrachloro-; s-tetrachloroethane; acetylene tetrachloride.

Formula C2H2Cl4

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	79-34-5	100

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

1,1,2,2-16114011101061114116	19-34-3	100

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

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

Consult a physician if irritation occurs.

Skin contact Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing

contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention immediately. Wash clothing

before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give

oxygen. Get medical attention.

**Ingestion** Wash out mouth with water given the person is conscious. Never give anything by mouth to

an unconscious person. Get medical attention.

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

Symptoms Chronic Exposure: Repeated or high exposures may cause kidney or liver damage; may

affect the lungs. Repeated skin exposure can cause dryness, cracking of skin and rash.

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

**Note to physicians**Treat symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

# Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Dry chemical, CO2 or water spray. Foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

# Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

# **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. Water spray may be used to keep fire exposed containers cool. Water may be used to flush spills away from exposures and to dilute spills to non-flammable mixtures.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Ventilate area of leak or spill. Keep unnecessary and unprotected people away from area of

spill. Wear appropriate personal equipment.

**Environmental precautions** 

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

# Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Contain and recover liquid when possible. Collect liquid in an appropriate container or

absorb and place into an chemical waste container.

Methods for cleaning up

Absorb with inert materials (e.g., vermiculite, dry sand, earth). Do not use combustible

materials, such as saw dust. Do not flush to sewer!!.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Protect against physical damage. Store in tightly closed containers. Outside or detached

storage is preferred. Inside storage should be in a standard flammable liquids storage room or cabinet. Storage and use areas should be No Smoking areas. Use non-sparking type tools and equipment. Containers of this material may be hazardous when empty since they retain product residues (vapors, liquid); observe all warnings and precautions listed for the product. Do not attempt to clean empty containers since residue is difficult to remove.

## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

**Incompatible materials** Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Control parameters

**Exposure Guidelines** 

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	TWA: 1 ppm	TWA: 5 ppm	IDLH: 100 ppm
79-34-5	S*	TWA: 35 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 1 ppm
		(vacated) TWA: 1 ppm	TWA: 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
		(vacated) TWA: 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
		(vacated) S*	
		S*	

#### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Engineering Controls Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

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

quick-drench facilities in work area.

**Skin and body protection**Wear impervious protective clothing, including boots, gloves, lab coat, apron or coveralls,

as appropriate, to prevent skin contact.

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.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state liquid

AppearanceClear, colorless liquidOdorSweet, characteristicColorClear colorlessOdor thresholdNo information available

Property Values Remarks • Method

pH No information available
Melting point / freezing point No information available

### 7900 - 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Boiling point / boiling range 147 °C

Flash point No information available

Evaporation rate 0.65

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability limit:No information availableLower flammability limit:No information available

Vapor pressure8@20CVapor density5.8Relative density1.598

Water solubility Slight, 0.3 g/100g water @ 25°C (77°F)

Solubility in other solvents No information available **Partition coefficient** No information available **Autoignition temperature** No information available No information available **Decomposition temperature** No information available Kinematic viscosity **Dynamic viscosity** No information available **Explosive properties** No information available No information available **Oxidizing properties** 

Other Information

Softening point No information available

Molecular weight 67.85

VOC Content (%)

Density

No information available
No information available
No information available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

No data available

#### **Chemical stability**

Stable under ordinary conditions of use and storage.

# Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Hazardous polymerization Will not occur.

### Conditions to avoid

Incompatible materials.

# **Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases.

# **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon dioxide (CO2). Carbon monoxide. Hydrogen chloride.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# Information on likely routes of exposure

**Inhalation** Harmful by inhalation.

**Eye contact** Severely irritating to eyes.

**Skin contact** Harmful if absorbed through the skin. Irritating to skin.

**Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	= 250 mg/kg (Rat)	= 6400 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	= 8.6 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
79-34-5			

# Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms** 

No information available.

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

Carcinogenicity

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	A3	Group 2A	-	X
79-34-5		Group 2B		

**Target Organ Effects** 

liver, kidney, Nerves.

# Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

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

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Ecotoxicity**

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	40.7 - 344: 96 h Pseudokirchneriella	19.9 - 20.7: 96 h Pimephales	16 - 35: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L
79-34-5	subcapitata mg/L EC50 31.4 - 188:	promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through	EC50 16 - 35: 48 h Daphnia magna
	72 h Pseudokirchneriella	20 - 22: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus	mg/L EC50 Static
	subcapitata mg/L EC50 47: 96 h	mg/L LC50 static	
	Desmodesmus subspicatus mg/L		
	EC50 static		

# Persistence and degradability

# **Bioaccumulation**

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	2.39
79-34-5	

Other adverse effects

No information available

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# Waste treatment methods

Disposal of wastes

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations. Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be managed in an appropriate and approved waste disposal facility.

## Contaminated packaging

Do not reuse container.

Chemical Name	RCRA	RCRA - Basis for Listing	RCRA - D Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane 79-34-5	U209	Included in waste streams: F024, F025, F039, K019, K020, K030, K073, K095, K150	-	U209

Chemical Name	RCRA - Halogenated Organic Compounds	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane 79-34-5	Category I - Volatiles	-	Toxic waste waste number F025 Waste description: Condensed light ends, spent filters and filter aids, and spent desiccant wastes from	

the production of certain
chlorinated aliphatic
hydrocarbons, by free
radical catalyzed processes.
These chlorinated aliphatic
hydrocarbons are those
having carbon chain lengths
ranging from one to and
including five, with varying
amounts and positions of
chlorine substitution.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	Toxic
79-34-5	

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Regulated UN1702

**Proper shipping name** 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Hazard Class 6.1 Packing Group

Reportable Quantity (RQ) 100 lbs (45.4 kg)

TDG Regulated UN/1D no. UN1702

**Proper shipping name** 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Hazard Class 6.1 Packing Group II

MEX Regulated UN/ID no. UN1702

**Proper shipping name** 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Hazard Class 6.1 Packing Group II

ICAO (air)RegulatedUN/ID no.UN1702

**Proper shipping name** 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Hazard Class 6.1 Packing Group II

IATARegulatedUN/ID no.UN1702

**Proper shipping name** 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Hazard Class 6.1
Packing Group II

IMDG Regulated

UN/ID no. UN1702
Proper shipping name 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Hazard Class 6.1
Packing Group

RID Regulated UN/10 no. UN1702

**Proper shipping name** 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Hazard Class 6.1 Packing Group

ADR Regulated UN/ID no. UN1702

**Proper shipping name** 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Hazard Class 6.1 Packing Group

ADN Regulated UN1702

**Proper shipping name** 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane

Hazard Class 6.1 Packing Group

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

# **International Inventories**

**TSCA** Complies **DSL/NDSL** Complies Complies **EINECS/ELINCS ENCS** Complies Complies **IECSC** Complies **KECL** Complies **PICCS AICS** Complies

# Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

# **US Federal Regulations**

### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical Name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane - 79-34-5	1.0
SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories	
Acute health hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	Yes
Fire hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

# **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane 79-34-5	-	X	X	-

# CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

	Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Ī	1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	100 lb 1 lb	-	RQ 100 lb final RQ
-	79-34-5			RQ 45.4 kg final RQ RQ 1 lb final
-				RQ
-				RQ 0.454 kg final RQ

# **US State Regulations**

## **California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals

Chemical Name	California Proposition 65
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane - 79-34-5	Carcinogen

## **U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

This product may contain substances regulated by state right-to-know regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	X	X	X
79-34-5			

## U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OF THE LAST REVISION

NFPA Health hazards 4 Flammability 0 Instability 0 Physical and Chemical

Properties -

HMIS Health hazards 4 Flammability 0 Physical hazards 0 Personal protection X

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**Revision Note** 

No information available

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