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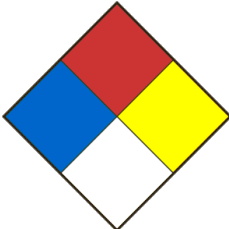
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SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 01 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier GOLD (III) CHLORIDE ($\geq 64.4\%$ Au)		Product Use Laboratory use	
Chemical formula AuCl ₃		Product code OR-0859	Molar weight 303,33
Chemical name / Commercial name / Synonymous Auric chloride; Gold(III) chloride; Trichlorure d'or; Chlorure d'or; trichlorogold			
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SECTION 02 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification WHIMS / GHS	Skin corrosion/irritation - Skin irritation category 2 Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure category 3 Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Eye irritation category 2	
Signal Word	WARNING	
Hazards statements (H)	H315 Causes skin irritation. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H335 May cause respiratory irritation.	
Precautionary statements (P)	P264 Wash the areas of the body that have been in contact with the product after handling. P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position 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. P321 Specific treatment (see section 4 of the SDS and on this label). P405 Store locked up. P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local / regional / national / international regulations or contact a specialist waste disposal company. P261 Avoid breathing dust / fume / gas / mist / vapors / spray. P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. P362 + P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.	
PICTOGRAMS		
Other dangers	NFA (Risk: 0=No risk; 1=Slight; 2=Moderate; 3=Signifiant; 4=Extreme)	
	Health 2 Fire 1 Reactivity 1 Special danger	

SECTION 03 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingrédients (Dénomination chimique / synonymes)	Numéro CAS et tout identificateur unique	Concentration (%)
Chlorure d'or (III)	13453-07-1	<=100

SECTION 04 - FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye contact	Wash eyes with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyelids apart to rinse eyes. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.
Skin contact	Wash skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove soiled clothing. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.
Inhalation	Move the unwell person to the fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Consult a physician.
Ingestion	If the person is conscious, give water to drink. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician.
Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)	Main symptoms of high exposure: Skin, eye and respiratory system irritation. Skin sensitizer. To our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. Ref. section 11.
Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary	In case of medical consultation, keep this sheet available.
General advice	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

SECTION 05 - FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability	No
Ignition conditions	Non flammable.
Suitable extinguishing media	Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Data not available.
Hazardous combustion products	Hazardous combustion products formed under fire conditions: Chlorine gas. - Hydrogen chloride gas To our knowledge, the products of combustion and decomposition have not been fully studied.
Special fire and explosion hazards	May react violently with incompatible products (Ref Section 10).
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Discard incompatible substances if this can be done without risk. Firefighters should be equipped with standard protective equipment, fireproof clothing, face mask, gloves, protective boots and, where appropriate, self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 06 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up / Personal precautions, protective equipment	Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Pick up with a shovel or broom, taking care not to scatter dust. Dispose of residues in a container provided for the disposal of hazardous materials. Do not let product enter drains.
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SECTION 07 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

Conditions for safe storage	Hygroscopic. Light sensitive. Store in a cool, dry place. Keep container tightly closed and store away from moisture, light, sunlight and incompatible products. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.
Methods of handling	Always open containers slowly to allow any excess pressure to vent. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust or vapor is formed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Wear personal protective equipment when handling. Always ensure good ventilation. Transport according to TDG (ref Section 14)

SECTION 08 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Value	Basis
Gold (III) chloride	13453-07-1	TLV, TWA, STEL	No data available	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
		TLV, TWA, STEL	No data available	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		TLV, TWA, STEL	No data available	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants

Ventilation	Fan.
Respiratory	If work under the hood is not possible, or if the permissible levels are exceeded, use a mechanical filter / cartridge against NIOSH vapors or a respirator with air supply.
Gloves	Handle with gloves.
Eyes	Safety goggles with safety shutters.
Shoes	Safety shoes.
Clothing	Labcoat. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.
Engineering control	Have safety showers and eyewash stations in the workplace in case of an emergency and a ventilation system to maintain the level of concentrations in the air below the exposure limit values.

SECTION 09 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state	Solid.
Appearance	Poudre rouge foncée.
Odour	Inodore.
Odour threshold	Data not available
pH	Donnée non-disponible.
Melting point / Freezing point	254°C (dec)
Initial boiling point	Data not available
Boiling range	Data not available
Flash point	Data not available
Evaporation rate	Data not available
Flammability	No
Lower flammable / Explosive limit	Data not available
Upper flammable / Explosive limit	Data not available
Vapour pressure	Data not available
Vapour density	Data not available
Relative density	4.7g/cm ³
Solubility	Soluble dans l'eau (eau froide 68g/100ml); soluble dans éther, éthanol.
Partition coefficient water/n-octanol	Data not available
Auto-ignition temperature	Data not available
Decomposition temperature	254°C
Viscosity	Data not available

SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	May react violently with incompatible substances.
Chemical stability	Hygroscopic. Sensitive to light.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Stable under normal conditions. May react violently with incompatible substances.
Conditions of instability (Including sensitivity to shock / static discharge / vibration)	This product quickly absorbs moisture from the air. Light sensitive.
Incompatible material	Strong oxidizers. Bases. Metals. Aluminum. Steel. Reducing agent.
Hazardous decomposition products	Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Hydrogen chloride gas Gaseous chlorine. To our knowledge, the products of decomposition have not been fully studied.

SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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Routes of exposure	Ingestion, inhalation, skin and eyes.
Acute exposition effects / symptoms:	By exposure route below.
- Eyes	May cause eye irritation. To our knowledge, the product has not been fully studied.
- Skin	May cause skin irritation. To our knowledge, the product has not been fully studied.
- Inhalation	May cause respiratory tract irritation. To our knowledge, the product has not been fully studied.
Acute toxicity (Ingestion)	May cause irritation. To our knowledge, the product has not been fully studied.
Chronic exposure effects / symptoms	Skin sensitizer. To our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.
DL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LD50 Oral - Data not available; LD50 Dermal - Data not available.
CL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LC50 - Inhalation - Data not available.

SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity	Data not available.
Persistence and degradability	Soluble in water. Persistence is unlikely based on the information provided.
Bioaccumulative potential	Data not available.
Mobility in soil	Probable mobility in the environment due to its solubility in water.
Other adverse effects	Do not throw residues in the sewer.

SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Method	Dispose of contents / container in accordance with local / regional / national / international regulations / or contact a specialist waste disposal company.
Contaminated Packaging	Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number	N/R
UN Proper shipping name	
Transport hazard class(es)	
Packing group	
Limited quantity index	
ERAP Index	
Special precautions	

SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

WHIMS CANADA	Skin corrosion/irritation - Skin irritation category 2 Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure category 3 Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Eye irritation category 2
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SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

Further information

The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Laboratoire MAT Inc. shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.

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