

## Safety Data Sheet

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## **SECTION 1: Identification**

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Substance

Substance name : 3,5,7,8-Tetrachloroperfluorooctanoic acid

CAS-No. : 2923-68-4
Product code : 2121-7-38
Formula : C8HCl4F11O2

Synonyms : Kel-F acid 8114; 3,5,7,8-Tetrachloro-2,2,3,4,4,5,6,6,7,8,8-undecafluorooctanoic acid

Other means of identification : MFCD00046513

### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture : Laboratory chemicals

Manufacture of substances

Scientific research and development

## 1.3. Supplier

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### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : (844) 523-4086 (3E Company - Account 10069)

## **SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification**

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### **GHS US classification**

Acute toxicity (oral) Category 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1B H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage
Specific target organ toxicity – Single exposure, Category 3, H335 May cause respiratory irritation

Respiratory tract irritation

Full text of H statements : see section 16

## 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

### **GHS US labeling**

Hazard pictograms (GHS US)





Signal word (GHS US) : Danger

Hazard statements (GHS US) : H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

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Precautionary statements (GHS US)

: P260 - Do not breathe fumes, mist, spray, vapors.

P264 - Wash skin thoroughly after handling

P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

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

P301+P312 - If swallowed: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell

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/ physician

P321 - Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label)

P330 - Rinse mouth.

P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

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

P405 - Store locked up.

P501 - Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

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

No additional information available

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

## 3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
3,5,7,8-Tetrachloroperfluorooctanoic acid (Main constituent)	CAS-No.: 2923-68-4	≤ 100	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 STOT SE 3, H335

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

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

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

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general

: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). Move the affected personnel away from the contaminated area.

First-aid measures after inhalation

: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after skin contact

: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after eye contact

: Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

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First-aid measures after ingestion

: Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth out with water. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

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

Symptoms/effects

: The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11.

Symptoms/effects after inhalation

: Material is destructive to tissue of the mucuous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Cough, shortness of breath, headache, nausea.

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

Treat symptomatically.

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

#### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

: Alcohol resistant foam. Carbon dioxide. Dry powder. Water spray. Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

#### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard Explosion hazard

- : Thermal decomposition generates: Carbon oxides. Hydrogen chloride. Hydrogen fluoride.
- : Risk of explosion if heated under confinement. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed

containers.

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

Firefighting instructions

: In case of fire: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion.

Protection during firefighting

: Wear gas tight chemically protective clothing in combination with self contained breathing apparatus. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

General measures

: Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Ensure adequate air ventilation. Do not breathe gas, fumes, vapor or spray.

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

**Emergency procedures** 

: Only qualified personnel equipped with suitable protective equipment may intervene.

## 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment

: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

**Emergency procedures** 

: Gas/vapor heavier than air. May accumulate in confined spaces, particularly at or below ground

## 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

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

For containment

: Stop leak if safe to do so. Dike for recovery or absorb with appropriate material.

Methods for cleaning up

: Take up large spills with pump or vacuum and finish with dry chemical absorbent. Use explosion-proof equipment. Take up small spills with dry chemical absorbent. Sweep or shovel spills into appropriate container for disposal. Ventilate area.

Other information

: For disposal of solid materials or residues refer to section 13: "Disposal considerations".

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#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Ensure good

ventilation of the work station. Do not breathe fumes, mist, spray, vapors. Wear personal

protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Do not eat, drink or

smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

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

Technical measures : Comply with applicable regulations.
Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use.
Incompatible materials : Refer to Section 10 on Incompatible Materials.
Storage area : Store in dry, cool, well-ventilated area.

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

## 8.1. Control parameters

#### 3,5,7,8-Tetrachloroperfluorooctanoic acid (2923-68-4)

No additional information available

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls

: Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

## 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

## Hand protection:

protective gloves. 29 CFR 1910.138: Hand Protection

#### Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or safety glasses. Face shield. 29 CFR 1910.133: Eye and Face Protection

#### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

## Respiratory protection:

In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. 29 CFR 1910.134: Respiratory Protection

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









#### Other information:

Safety shoes. 29 CFR 1910.136: Foot Protection.

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

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid

Color : No data available
Odor : No data available
Odor threshold : No data available
pH : No data available
Melting point : No data available
Freezing point : No data available

Boiling point : 154 – 156,5 °C (@ 10 mm Hg)

Flash point : No data available Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available Vapor pressure : No data available Relative vapor density at 20 °C No data available Relative density No data available Density 1,899 g/ml (@ 20 °C) Molecular mass 479,89 g/mol Solubility : No data available Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) : No data available Auto-ignition temperature : No data available Decomposition temperature No data available No data available Viscosity, kinematic Viscosity, dynamic No data available **Explosion limits** No data available Explosive properties No data available

#### 9.2. Other information

Oxidizing properties

Refractive index : 1,398 (@ 20 °C)

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

## 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

## 10.2. Chemical stability

The product is stable at normal handling and storage conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No additional information available

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Keep away from heat, sparks and flame.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced. Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire, see Section 5.

No data available

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## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Harmful if swallowed.

Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified

Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

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

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified
Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

STOT-single exposure : May cause respiratory irritation.

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified
Aspiration hazard : Not classified
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Symptoms/effects : The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2)

and/or in section 11.

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : Material is destructive to tissue of the mucuous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Cough,

shortness of breath, headache, nausea.

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### 12.1. Toxicity

No additional information available

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

## 3,5,7,8-Tetrachloroperfluorooctanoic acid (2923-68-4)

Persistence and degradability

Not readily biodegradable. May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. PBT Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

### 3,5,7,8-Tetrachloroperfluorooctanoic acid (2923-68-4)

Bioaccumulative potential Perfluorinated alkanes (PFAs, "forever chemicals") are long lasting, widely used chemicals that break down slowly over time. The potential hazards of PFAs are under investigation and have

not been established.

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### 13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods : Remove to an authorized incinerator equipped with an afterburner and a flue gas scrubber.

Sewage disposal recommendations : See the EPA's Interim Guidance on PFAS Destruction and Disposal.

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

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Additional information

: Recycle the material as far as possible.

Ecology - waste materials

: This material is considered to be a "Forever chemical". Prevent any possible release to the environment. Do not discharge into drains. Take all necessary measures to prevent accidental discharge of products into drains and waterways due to the rupture of containers or transfer systems, or emergency response.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

### 14.1. UN number

DOT NA No : UN3265 UN-No. (TDG) : Not applicable UN-No. (IMDG) : 3265 UN-No. (IATA) : 3265

## 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Proper Shipping Name (TDG) : Not applicable

Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S.

Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

## 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

#### DOT

Transport hazard class(es) (DOT) : 8
Hazard labels (DOT) : 8



## **TDG**

Transport hazard class(es) (TDG) : Not applicable

#### **IMDG**

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : 8
Hazard labels (IMDG) : 8



### **IATA**

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : 8
Hazard labels (IATA) : 8



## 14.4. Packing group

Packing group (DOT) : II

Packing group (TDG) : Not applicable

Packing group (IMDG) : II
Packing group (IATA) : II

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#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Other information : No supplementary information available.

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

#### DOT

UN-No.(DOT) : UN3265

DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102) : 148 - Ex

: 148 - Except for transportation by aircraft, when transported as a limited quantity or a consumer commodity, the maximum net capacity specified in §173.150(b)(2) of this subchapter for inner

packaging may be increased to 5 L (1.3 gallons).

B2 - MC 300, MC 301, MC 302, MC 303, MC 305, and MC 306 and DOT 406 cargo tanks are not authorized.

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.

T11 - 6 178.274(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.

TP27 - A portable tank having a minimum test pressure of 4 bar (400 kPa) may be used provided the calculated test pressure is 4 bar or less based on the MAWP of the hazardous material, as defined in 178.275 of this subchapter, where the test pressure is 1.5 times the MAWP.

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 154
DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 202
DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 242
DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 : 1 L

CFR 173.27)

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49

CFR 175.75)

DOT Vessel Stowage Location

: 30 L

: B - (i) The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel carrying a number of passengers limited to not more than the larger of 25 passengers, or one passenger per each 3 m of overall vessel length; and (ii) "On deck only" on passenger vessels in which the number of passengers specified in paragraph (k)(2)(i) of this

section is exceeded.

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

#### **TDG**

No data available

#### **IMDG**

Special provision (IMDG) : 274
Limited quantities (IMDG) : 1 L
Excepted quantities (IMDG) : E2
Packing instructions (IMDG) : P001
IBC packing instructions (IMDG) : IBC02
Tank instructions (IMDG) : T11
Tank special provisions (IMDG) : TP2, TP3

EmS-No. (Fire) : F-A - FIRE SCHEDULE Alfa - GENERAL FIRE SCHEDULE
EmS-No. (Spillage) : S-B - SPILLAGE SCHEDULE Bravo - CORROSIVE SUBSTANCES

Stowage category (IMDG) : B

IATA

PCA Excepted quantities (IATA) : E2

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: Y840 PCA Limited quantities (IATA) PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA) : 0.5L PCA packing instructions (IATA) : 851 PCA max net quantity (IATA) : 1L CAO packing instructions (IATA) : 855 CAO max net quantity (IATA) : 30L Special provision (IATA) : A3, A803 ERG code (IATA) : 8L

## 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

### 15.1. US Federal regulations

All components of this product are present and listed as Active on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory, except for:

3,5,7,8-Tetrachloroperfluorooctanoic acid CAS-No. 2923-68-4 100%

## 15.2. International regulations

#### **CANADA**

No additional information available

### **EU-Regulations**

No additional information available

#### **National regulations**

No additional information available

### 15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

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Full text of H-phrases		
H302	Harmful if swallowed	
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage	
H318	Causes serious eye damage	
H335	May cause respiratory irritation	

NFPA health hazard : 3 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause serious or

permanent injury.

NFPA fire hazard : 0 - Materials that will not burn under typical fire conditions, including

intrinsically noncombustible materials such as concrete, stone, and

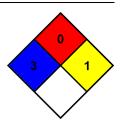
sand.

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NFPA reactivity

: 1 - Materials that in themselves are normally stable but can become unstable at elevated temperatures and pressures.



Hazard Rating

Health

given
: 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn

Flammability Physical

: 1 Slight Hazard - Materials that are normally stable but can become unstable (self-react) at high temperatures and pressures. Materials may react non-violently with water or undergo hazardous polymerization in the absence of inhibitors.

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

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