

SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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SECTION 1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**1.1 Product identifier**

Catalogue No.	103943
Product name	Iron(III) chloride hexahydrate for analysis EMSURE® ACS, Reag. Ph Eur
REACH Registration Number	01-2119497998-05-XXXX
CAS-No.	10025-77-1

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses	Reagent for analysis In compliance with the conditions described in the annex to this safety data sheet.
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1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	Merck KGaA * 64271 Darmstadt * Germany * Phone:+49 6151 72-0
Responsible Department	LS-QHC * e-mail: prodsafe@merckgroup.com

1.4 Emergency telephone number	Please contact the regional company representation in your country.
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SECTION 2. Hazards identification**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)**

Acute toxicity, Category 4, Oral, H302
Skin irritation, Category 2, H315
Serious eye damage, Category 1, H318

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

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2.2 Label elements

Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Hazard pictograms



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statements

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

Precautionary statements

Prevention

P280 Wear eye protection.

Response

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P313 Get medical advice/ attention.

Reduced labelling (≤125 ml)

Hazard pictograms



Signal word

Danger

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P313 Get medical advice/ attention.

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2.3 Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substance

Formula	FeCl ₃ * 6 H ₂ O	Cl ₃ Fe * 6 H ₂ O (Hill)
EC-No.	231-729-4	
Molar mass	270,33 g/mol	

Hazardous components (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Chemical name (Concentration)

CAS-No.	Registration number	Classification
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iron(III) chloride hexahydrate (<= 100 %)

Substance does not meet the criteria for PBT or vPvB according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII. Substance does not meet the criteria for PBT or vPvB according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII.

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3.2 Mixture

Not applicable

SECTION 4. First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

The Safety Data Sheets for catalogue items are available at www.merckgroup.com

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After inhalation: fresh air.

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult a physician.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

irritant effects, Cough, Nausea, Vomiting, cardiovascular disorders, Shortness of breath

Risk of serious damage to eyes.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

SECTION 5. Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Not combustible.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

Fire may cause evolution of:

Hydrogen chloride gas

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

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Further information

Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet.

SECTION 6. Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid substance contact. Avoid inhalation of dusts. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders: Protective equipment see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not empty into drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills.

Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10).

Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

6.4 Reference to other sections

Indications about waste treatment see section 13.

SECTION 7. Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Observe label precautions.

Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers

No metal containers.

Storage conditions

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Tightly closed. Dry.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

See exposure scenario in the Annex to this MSDS.

SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Worker DNEL, longterm	Systemic effects	inhalation	2 mg/m ³
Worker DNEL, longterm	Systemic effects	dermal	0,57 mg/kg Body weight
Worker DNEL, acute	Systemic effects	inhalation	2 mg/m ³
Worker DNEL, acute	Systemic effects	dermal	0,57 mg/kg Body weight
Consumer DNEL, longterm	Systemic effects	inhalation	0,5 mg/m ³
Consumer DNEL, longterm	Systemic effects	dermal	0,29 mg/kg Body weight
Consumer DNEL, longterm	Systemic effects	oral	0,29 mg/kg Body weight
Consumer DNEL, acute	Systemic effects	inhalation	0,5 mg/m ³
Consumer DNEL, acute	Systemic effects	dermal	0,29 mg/kg Body weight
Consumer DNEL, acute	Systemic effects	oral	0,29 mg/kg Body weight

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

PNEC Fresh water sediment	49,5 mg/kg (as Fe)
PNEC Marine sediment	49,5 mg/kg (as Fe)
PNEC Sewage treatment plant	500 mg/l (as Fe)
PNEC Soil	55,5 mg/kg (as Fe)

8.2 Exposure controls

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Engineering measures

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

See section 7.1.

Individual protection measures

Protective clothing needs to be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentrations and quantities of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be enquired at the respective supplier.

Eye/face protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles

Hand protection

full contact:

Glove material:	Nitrile rubber
Glove thickness:	0,11 mm
Break through time:	> 480 min

splash contact:

Glove material:	Nitrile rubber
Glove thickness:	0,11 mm
Break through time:	> 480 min

The protective gloves to be used must comply with the specifications of EC Directive 89/686/EEC and the related standard EN374, for example KCL 741 Dermatril® L (full contact), KCL 741 Dermatril® L (splash contact).

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types.

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet (>,<) supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

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Other protective equipment

protective clothing

Respiratory protection

required when dusts are generated.

Recommended Filter type: Filter B-(P2)

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

Environmental exposure controls

Do not empty into drains.

SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form	solid
Colour	tan
Odour	of chlorine
Odour Threshold	No information available.
pH	ca. 1,8 at 10 g/l 25 °C
Melting point	37 °C
Boiling point/boiling range	Not applicable
Flash point	does not flash

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Evaporation rate	No information available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available.
Lower explosion limit	Not applicable
Upper explosion limit	Not applicable
Vapour pressure	No information available.
Relative vapour density	No information available.
Density	No information available.
Relative density	No information available.
Water solubility	920 g/l at 20 °C
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No information available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition temperature	No information available.
Viscosity, dynamic	No information available.
Explosive properties	Not classified as explosive.
Oxidizing properties	none

9.2 Other data

Ignition temperature	not combustible
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Bulk density ca.600 - 1.200 kg/m³

SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

Corrosive in contact with metals

10.2 Chemical stability

sensitive to moisture

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Risk of explosion with:

Alkali metals, Ethylene oxide

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Strong heating (decomposition).

Exposure to moisture

10.5 Incompatible materials

Metals, Mild steel

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

in the event of fire: See section 5.

SECTION 11. Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity

LD50 Rat: 316 mg/kg

(RTECS)

Symptoms: Nausea, Vomiting, Irritations of mucous membranes in the mouth, pharynx, oesophagus and gastrointestinal tract.

Acute inhalation toxicity

Symptoms: Possible damages:, mucosal irritations

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Acute dermal toxicity

LD50 Dermal Rat: > 2.000 mg/kg
(External MSDS)

Skin irritation

Rabbit
Result: irritating

(IUCLID)

Causes skin irritation.

Eye irritation

Rabbit
Result: Severe irritations
OECD Test Guideline 405
Causes serious eye damage.

Sensitisation

This information is not available.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity in vivo

In vivo micronucleus test
Mouse
Result: negative

(External MSDS)

Genotoxicity in vitro

Ames test
Result: negative
Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): micronucleus.
Result: negative
Method: OECD Test Guideline 487

Carcinogenicity

This information is not available.

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Reproductive toxicity

This information is not available.

Teratogenicity

This information is not available.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

This information is not available.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

This information is not available.

Repeated dose toxicity

Rat

male

Oral

98 d

daily

NOAEL: 277 mg/kg

OECD Test Guideline 408

Subchronic toxicity

Aspiration hazard

This information is not available.

11.2 Further information

After absorption:

cardiovascular disorders

Toxic effect on:

Kidney, Liver

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

SECTION 12. Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish

LC50 *Lepomis macrochirus* (Bluegill sunfish): 20,3 mg/l; 96 h

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Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

Immobilization EC50 *Daphnia magna* (Water flea): 9,6 mg/l; 48 h

OECD Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae

ErC50 *Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata* (green algae): 6,9 mg/l; 72 h

OECD Test Guideline 201

NOEC *Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata* (green algae): 2,4 mg/l; 72 h

OECD Test Guideline 201

Toxicity to fish (Chronic toxicity)

NOEC *Pimephales promelas* (fathead minnow): 0,33 mg/l; 33 d

(External MSDS)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity)

NOEC *Daphnia magna* (Water flea): 0,7 mg/l; 21 d

(External MSDS)

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No information available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

12.4 Mobility in soil

No information available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Substance does not meet the criteria for PBT or vPvB according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII.

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12.6 Other adverse effects

Additional ecological information

Product reacts with water.

The following may develop after reaction of the product with water:

hydrochloric acid

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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SECTION 13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

See www.retrologistik.com for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

SECTION 14. Transport information

Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1 - 14.6 Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

Inland waterway transport (ADN)

Not relevant

Air transport (IATA)

14.1 - 14.6 Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

Sea transport (IMDG)

14.1 - 14.6 Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

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

Not relevant

SECTION 15. Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

EU regulations

Major Accident Hazard SEVESO III
Legislation Not applicable

Occupational restrictions Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work. Observe work restrictions regarding maternity protection in accordance to Dir 92/85/EEC or stricter national regulations where applicable.

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Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer not regulated

Regulation (EC) No 850/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 on persistent organic pollutants and amending Directive 79/117/EEC not regulated

Substances of very high concern (SVHC) This product does not contain substances of very high concern according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 57 above the respective regulatory concentration limit of ≥ 0.1 % (w/w).

National legislation

Storage class 10 - 13

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out.

SECTION 16. Other information

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H318 Causes serious eye damage.

Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

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Labelling

Hazard pictograms



Signal word

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P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

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P313 Get medical advice/ attention.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Used abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at www.wikipedia.org.

Regional representation

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The information contained herein is based on the present state of our knowledge. It characterises the product with regard to the appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent a guarantee of any properties of the product.

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EXPOSURE SCENARIO 1 (Industrial use)

1. Industrial use Reagent for analysis)

Sectors of end-use

- SU 3* Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites
SU 9 Manufacture of fine chemicals
SU 10 Formulation [mixing] of preparations and/ or re-packaging (excluding alloys)

Chemical product category

- PC21* Laboratory chemicals

Process categories

- PROC1* Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure
PROC2 Use in closed, continuous process with occasional controlled exposure
PROC3 Use in closed batch process (synthesis or formulation)
PROC4 Use in batch and other process (synthesis) where opportunity for exposure arises
PROC5 Mixing or blending in batch processes for formulation of preparations and articles (multistage and/ or significant contact)
PROC8a Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large containers at non-dedicated facilities
PROC8b Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large containers at dedicated facilities
PROC9 Transfer of substance or preparation into small containers (dedicated filling line, including weighing)
PROC14 Production of preparations or articles by tableting, compression, extrusion, pelletisation
PROC15 Use as laboratory reagent
PROC22 Potentially closed processing operations with minerals/ metals at elevated temperature; Industrial setting
PROC26 Handling of solid inorganic substances at ambient temperature

Environmental Release Categories

- ERC1* Manufacture of substances
ERC2 Formulation of preparations
ERC6a Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance (use of intermediates)

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ERC6b Industrial use of reactive processing aids

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2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC1, PROC2, PROC3, PROC8b

Product characteristics

Concentration of the Substance in Mixture/Article	Covers the percentage of the substance in the product up to 100 %.
Physical Form (at time of use)	Solid, low dustiness
Physical Form (at time of use)	Aqueous solution

Frequency and duration of use

Frequency of use	8 hours/day
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Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Outdoor / Indoor	Indoor
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Organisational measures to prevent /limit releases, dispersion and exposure

Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing. Enclosed process

Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear suitable gloves (tested to EN374), coverall and eye protection.

2.3 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC4, PROC5, PROC8a, PROC9, PROC14, PROC15, PROC22, PROC26

Product characteristics

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Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Outdoor / Indoor Indoor

Technical conditions and measures

Ensure material transfers are under containment or extract ventilation.

Organisational measures to prevent /limit releases, dispersion and exposure

Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing.

Conditions and measures related to personal protection, hygiene and health evaluation

Wear suitable gloves (tested to EN374), coverall and eye protection.

3. Exposure estimation and reference to its source

Environment

A chemical safety assessment was performed according REACH Article 14(3), Annex I, sections 3 (Environmental Hazard Assessment) and 4 (PBT/vPvB Assessment). As no hazard was identified, an exposure assessment and risk characterisation is not necessary (REACH Annex I section 5.0).

Workers

CS	Use descriptor	Exposure duration, route, effect	RCR	Exposure Assessment Method
2.2	PROC1, PROC2, PROC3, PROC8b	longterm, combined, systemic	< 1	ECETOC TRA, Stoffenmanager
2.3	PROC4, PROC5, PROC8a, PROC9, PROC14, PROC15, PROC22, PROC26	longterm, combined, systemic	< 1	ECETOC TRA, Stoffenmanager

4. Guidance to Downstream User to evaluate whether he works inside the boundaries set by the Exposure Scenario

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EXPOSURE SCENARIO 2 (Professional use)

1. Professional use Reagent for analysis)

Sectors of end-use

SU 22 Professional uses: Public domain (administration, education, entertainment, services, craftsmen)

Chemical product category

PC 21 Laboratory chemicals

Process categories

PROC 15 Use as laboratory reagent

Environmental Release Categories

ERC 2 Formulation of preparations

ERC 6a Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance (use of intermediates)

ERC 6b Industrial use of reactive processing aids

2. Contributing scenarios: Operational conditions and risk management measures

2.2 Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for: PROC15

Product characteristics

Concentration of the Substance in Mixture/Article Covers the percentage of the substance in the product up to 100 %.

Physical Form (at time of use) Solid, low dustiness

Physical Form (at time of use) Aqueous solution

Frequency and duration of use

Frequency of use 8 hours/day

Other operational conditions affecting workers exposure

Outdoor / Indoor Indoor

Technical conditions and measures

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Workers

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