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# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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# 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Mercury(II) trifluoromethanesulfonate

Product Number : 515906
Brand : Aldrich
Index-No. : 080-004-00-7

CAS-No. : 49540-00-3

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich

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USA

Telephone : +1 800-325-5832 Fax : +1 800-325-5052

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +1-703-527-3887 (CHEMTREC)

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

# GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 2), H300 Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 2), H330 Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 1), H310

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Category 2), H373

Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H400 Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H410

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

# 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H300 + H310 + H330 Fatal if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P262 Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

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

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P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. P273 Avoid release to the environment. P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing. Wear respiratory protection. P284 P301 + P310 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Rinse mouth. P302 + P350 + P310 IF ON SKIN: Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician. P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. P314 Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell. P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. P391 Collect spillage. 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.

# Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1 Substances

2.3

**Hazardous components** 

Component	Classification	Concentration
Mercury(II) trifluoromethanesulfonate		
	Acute Tox. 2; Acute Tox. 1; STOT RE 2; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1; H300 + H310 + H330, H373, H410	90 - 100 %

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

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# 4.1 Description of first aid measures

# General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.

# In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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

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

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

No data available

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### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

## 5.1 Extinguishing media

## Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

# 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No data available

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

# 5.4 Further information

No data available

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

# 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

# 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

# 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

# 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1B: Non-combustible, acute toxic Cat. 1 and 2 / very toxic hazardous materials

# 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

# Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Hazardous components without workplace control parameters

# 8.2 Exposure controls

# Appropriate engineering controls

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

## Personal protective equipment

# Eye/face protection

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

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### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

### **Body Protection**

Complete suit protecting against chemicals. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

# Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

# Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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

Form: solid a) Appearance

b) Odour No data available c) Odour Threshold No data available No data available d)

Melting point/freezing

point

Melting point/range: > 350 °C (> 662 °F) - lit.

Initial boiling point and

boiling range

No data available

No data available g) Flash point h) Evaporation rate No data available Flammability (solid, gas) No data available Upper/lower No data available

flammability or explosive limits

Vapour pressure No data available No data available Vapour density m) Relative density No data available

Aldrich - 515906 Page 4 of 8 n) Water solubility No data available o) Partition coefficient: n-No data available

octanol/water

p) Auto-ignition No data available temperature

a) Decomposition temperature

No data available

Viscosity No data available r) s) Explosive properties No data available Oxidizing properties No data available

#### 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Air Heat Light.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents, acids, Alkali metals

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Sulphur oxides, Hydrogen fluoride, Mercury/mercury oxides.

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

# **Acute toxicity**

No data available

Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available

No data available

# Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

# Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

# Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

### Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Aldrich - 515906 Page 5 of 8 NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a

known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's

list of regulated carcinogens.

### Reproductive toxicity

No data available

No data available

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

# **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

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Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

# 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

# 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

# 12.6 Other adverse effects

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# 13.1 Waste treatment methods

### **Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

# Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

UN number: 2025 Class: 6.1 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Mercury compounds, solid, n.o.s. (Mercury(II) trifluoromethanesulfonate)

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Marine pollutant:yes

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

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### **IMDG**

IATA

UN number: 2025 Class: 6.1 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Mercury compound, solid, n.o.s. (Mercury(II) trifluoromethanesulfonate)

IATA Passenger: Not permitted for transport

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

# **SARA 302 Components**

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

### **SARA 313 Components**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

CAS No

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### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

## **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

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### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Mercury(II) trifluoromethanesulfonate	49540-00-3	2015-07-08
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New Jersey Right To Know Components		
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Mercury(II) trifluoromethanesulfonate	CAS-No. 49540-00-3	Revision Date 2015-07-08
California Prop. 65 Components		
WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.  Mercury(II) trifluoromethanesulfonate	CAS-No. 49540-00-3	Revision Date 2013-12-20
WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.  Mercury(II) trifluoromethanesulfonate	CAS-No. 49540-00-3	Revision Date 2013-12-20

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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

Acute Tox. Acute toxicity

Aquatic Acute Acute aquatic toxicity
Aquatic Chronic Chronic aquatic toxicity

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H300 Fatal if swallowed.

H300 + H310 + Fatal if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

H330

H310 Fatal in contact with skin.

H330 Fatal if inhaled.

H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

### **HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 4
Chronic Health Hazard: \*
Flammability: 0
Physical Hazard 0

# **NFPA Rating**

Health hazard: 4
Fire Hazard: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 0

# **Further information**

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