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12 August 2023**Section 1. Identification****1.1 Product Identifier** 1697

Product Name CHROMIUM (III) CHLORIDE 6H₂O pure

CAS Number 10060-12-5

REACH Registration No A registration number is not available as the substance or its uses are exempt, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later date.

Molecular Formula $\text{CrCl}_3 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O} = 266.45$

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

Uses of Material Chemical for industrial and laboratory use. Not suitable for domestic use.

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(Have this document to hand)**Section 2. Hazards Identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification according to regulation 1272/2008/EC**

Corrosive to metals, category 1
Acute toxicity, category 4 (oral)
Skin sensitization, category 1
Hazard to aquatic environment, category 2

H290: May be corrosive to metals.
H302: Harmful if swallowed.
H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H411: Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

2.2 Label elements**Labelling according to regulation 1272/2008/EC**

Signal word Warning

Hazard Pictograms



Hazard Statements May be corrosive to metals. Harmful if swallowed. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.

Section 3. Composition

3.1 Substances

Component	CAS No.	EEC No.	REACH No.	Conc w/w	CLP Classification (1272/2008/CE)
Chromic Chloride	10060-12-5			98%	Met. Corr. 1, Acute Tox. 4 (O), Skin Sens. 1, Aquatic Chronic 2

Section 4. First Aid

4.1 Description of first aid measures

Eyes	Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open. If discomfort persists OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Skin	Thoroughly wash off skin with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash before re-use.
Inhalation	Remove from exposure.
Ingestion	Wash out the patients mouth thoroughly with water. In severe cases or if exposure has been great, OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Personal protection for first aiders	Wear protective gloves / eye protection.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute & delayed.

No further relevant information available.

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

No further relevant information available.

Section 5. Fire Fighting

5.1 Extinguishing media

Extinguishing Media	Consider what other flammable materials are present and act accordingly.
Unsuitable Media	Nothing specified.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards	May evolve toxic fumes if involved in a fire.
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5.3 Advice for firefighters

Advice for firefighters	Evacuate area immediately. Keep up wind. Avoid exposure to toxic vapours and fumes. Fire-fighters should wear protective clothing and breathing apparatus.
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Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Protection	Avoid breathing dust-wear respiratory protective equipment. Do not allow other people to enter area.
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6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental Notify the Environmental Agency and local Environmental Health Officer if major spillage occurs.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Major Spillage Vacuum up into container for removal. Carefully remove material from vacuum cleaner and transfer to sealable container for disposal. Carry out this operation under fume extraction.

Minor Spillage Vacuum up into container for removal. Carefully remove material from vacuum cleaner and transfer to sealable container for disposal. Carry out this operation under fume extraction.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See section 8.2 for information on protective equipment and section 13 for information on disposal.

Section 7. Storage & Handling

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breath dust. Do not allow to contaminate clothing.

Ensure Local Exhaust Ventilation maintains dust concentrations to a minimum.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Well ventilated, cool, dry storage .

7.3 Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2.

Section 8. Workplace Exposure & Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

Component	CAS No	Concentration	Workplace Exposure Limits		
			Long Term (8hr TWA)	Short Term 15min period	
Chromic Chloride	10060-12-5	98%	-	0.5 ppm	-

Exposure data source(s) IOELV: Indicative Occupational Exposure Limit Value.

8.2 Exposure controls

Respiratory Protection If process creates significant amounts of dust use L.E.V. or wear suitable dust mask.

Hand Protection Wear gloves.

Eye Protection Use tightly fitting chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.

Skin Protection Avoid contact with skin. If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.

Special Hazards No special precautions required.

Section 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Green crystals.
Odour	No specific odour.
pH	Not applicable
Boiling Point	Not available
Melting Point	Not applicable
Flash Point	Not applicable
Upper Flammable Limit	Not applicable
Lower Flammable Limit	Not applicable
Auto Ignition	Not applicable
Explosive Properties	No.
Oxidising Properties	No.
Vapour Pressure	Not applicable
Relative Density	Not available

Water Solubility Moderately soluble in water.

9.2 Other information

No data available.

Section 10. Stability & Reactivity

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| 10.1 | Reactivity | No data available. |
| 10.2 | Chemical Stability | Stable under normal conditions |
| 10.3 | Possibility of hazardous reactions | No data available. |
| 10.4 | Conditions to Avoid | Prolonged heat. |
| 10.5 | Incompatible Materials | No specific materials to avoid. |
| 10.6 | Hazardous Decomposition Products | May produce hazardous fumes if involved in a fire. |

Section 11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Eyes	Contact with the solid or dust will be irritating to the eyes.
Skin	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
LD50 Skin	Not available
Ingestion	Moderately toxic by ingestion.
LD50 Oral	1790mg/kg Rat
Inhalation	Inhalation of dust will produce irritation of the eyes, nose, throat and respiratory tract.
LD50 Inhalation	Not available
TCLo	Not available
Carcinogenicity	Not considered to be a carcinogen.
Mutagenicity	Not considered to be a mutagen.
Reproductive Effects	None identified.

Section 12. Ecological

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| 12.1 | Toxicity | No specific environmental hazard. |
| | LC50 Algal | Not available |
| | LC50 Crustacea | Not available |
| | LC50 Fish | Not 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 & vPvB assessment | Assessment not required. |
| 12.6 | Other adverse effects | None known at present. |

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Disposal Methods	Dispose of to a licensed land fill site.
Contaminated Packaging	Use a licensed waste disposer.


Section 14. Transport Information

14.1 UN Number	Non-restricted
14.2 Proper Shipping Name	Non-restricted
14.3 Transport classes	
UN classification	None
Subsidiary hazard(s)	None
Transport category	None
ADR Hazard ID	Non-restricted
Tunnel Restriction Code	Non-restricted
14.4 Packing Group	None
14.5 Environment hazards	See section 12.
14.6 Special precautions for user	No special precautions required.
14.7 Transport in bulk	Not transported in bulk.

Section 15. Regulatory Information

15.1 Safety, health and environment regulations specific for substance/mixture.

Classification, Labeling & Packaging of Substances & Mixtures Regulations (1272/2008/CE)

Classification	Corrosive to metals, category 1; Acute toxicity, category 4 (oral); Skin sensitization, category 1; Hazard to aquatic environment, category 2
Signal word	Warning
Hazard Pictograms	
Hazard Statements	H290, H302, H317, H411 May be corrosive to metals. Harmful if swallowed. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
Precautionary Statements	P264, P270, P301+P312, P330 Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

Assessment not required.

Section 16. Other Information

The information contained in this document only covers the hazards presented by this material, it DOES NOT constitute a workplace risk assessment. See sections 11 for toxicological information and section 12 for ecological information.

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