

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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GENERIC EU MSDS - NO COUNTRY SPECIFIC DATA - NO OEL DATA

## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Trifluoroacetic anhydride

Product Number : 106232

Brand : Sigma-Aldrich

REACH No. : A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its uses are exempted from registration, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.

CAS-No. : 407-25-0

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Chimie Sarl  
L'Isle D'Abeau Chesnes  
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### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +33 (0)9 75 18 14 07 (CHEMTREC)  
+33 (0)1 45 42 59 59 (I.N.R.S.)

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332

Skin corrosion (Sub-category 1A), H314

Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard (Category 3), H412

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

### 2.2 Label elements

#### Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H314

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H332

Harmful if inhaled.

H412

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P273

Avoid release to the environment.

P280

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

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.

P304 + P340 + P312

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

P305 + P351 + P338 +

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

P310

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

Supplemental Hazard information (EU)

EUH014

Reacts violently with water.

### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : TFAA

Formula : C<sub>4</sub>F<sub>6</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

Molecular weight : 210,03 g/mol

CAS-No. : 407-25-0

EC-No. : 206-982-9

Component	Classification	Concentration
<b>Trifluoroacetic anhydride</b>	Acute Tox. 4; Skin Corr. 1A; Eye Dam. 1; Aquatic Chronic 3; H332, H314, H318, H412	<= 100 %

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## SECTION 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.

#### If inhaled

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

#### In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. 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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## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Dry powder Dry sand

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media

Do NOT use water jet.

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides, Hydrogen fluoride  
Not combustible.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### 5.4 Further information

No data available

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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.  
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

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Do not flush with water. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.  
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. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Store in cool place. Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage.

Hygroscopic. Store under inert gas.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

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

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

#### Personal protective equipment

##### Eye/face protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

##### 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.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of Regulation (EU) 2016/425 and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Full contact

Material: Nature latex/chloroprene

Minimum layer thickness: 0,6 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Lapren® (KCL 706 / Aldrich Z677558, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber



Minimum layer thickness: 0,11 mm  
Break through time: 38 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, Flame retardant protective clothing, 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 respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type AXBEK (EN 14387) 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.

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

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

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| a) Appearance                                   | Form: clear, liquid<br>Colour: colourless, to, light yellow |
| b) Odour  | pungent   |
| c) Odour Threshold                              | No data available   |
| d) pH   | No data available   |
| e) Melting point/freezing point                 | Melting point/range: -65 °C - lit.                          |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | 39,5 - 40 °C - lit.   |
| g) Flash point                                  | No data available   |
| h) Evaporation rate                             | No data available   |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available   |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available   |
| k) Vapour pressure                              | 433 hPa at 20 °C - Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, A.4 |



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|----|---|--|
| l) | Vapour density                            | No data available                        |
| m) | Relative density                          | 1,511 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C - lit.  |
| n) | Water solubility                          | 10.000 g/l - US-EPA - completely soluble |
| o) | Partition coefficient:<br>n-octanol/water | No data available                        |
| p) | Auto-ignition<br>temperature              | No data available                        |
| q) | Decomposition<br>temperature              | No data available                        |
| r) | Viscosity                                 | No data available                        |
| s) | Explosive properties                      | No data available                        |
| t) | Oxidizing properties                      | No data available                        |

## 9.2 Other safety information

Surface tension            72,5 mN/m at 1g/l at 20 °C  
                                       - OECD Test Guideline 115

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

Reacts violently with water.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts violently with water.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Exposure to moisture

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Strong bases, Alcohols

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Hydrogen fluoride

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

No data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - In vitro study

Result: Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue.

(OECD Test Guideline 435)

Tendency of poor wound-healing after penetration of the substance.



**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Causes serious eye damage.

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 429)

Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test

mouse lymphoma cells

Result: negative

(in analogy to similar products)

**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.

**Reproductive toxicity****Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

Acute oral toxicity - If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a danger of perforation of the oesophagus and the stomach.

Acute inhalation toxicity - burns of mucous membranes, Cough, Shortness of breath, Inhalation may lead to the formation of oedemas in the respiratory tract., Possible damages:., damage of respiratory tract

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure****Aspiration hazard****Additional Information**

RTECS: AJ9800000

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

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

Decomposition of the substance with tissue moisture.

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1 Toxicity**

Toxicity to fish	static test LC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - > 999 mg/l - 96 h (OECD Test Guideline 203) Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - > 999 mg/l - 48 h (OECD Test Guideline 202) Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)
Toxicity to algae	static test NOEC - Phaeodactylum tricornutum - 97 mg/l - 72 h



(OECD Test Guideline 201)  
Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)

static test EC50 - *Phaeodactylum tricornutum* - > 97 mg/l - 72 h  
(OECD Test Guideline 201)  
Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)

Toxicity to bacteria NOEC - activated sludge - > 1.000 mg/l - 3 h  
(OECD Test Guideline 209)  
Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)  
EC50 - activated sludge - > 1.000 mg/l - 3 h  
(OECD Test Guideline 209)  
Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability aerobic - Exposure time 28 d  
Result: 0 % - Not biodegradable  
(OECD Test Guideline 301D)  
Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)

## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## 12.6 Other adverse effects

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.  
Biological effects:  
Harmful effect due to pH shift.  
Hazard for drinking water supplies.  
Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the Directive on waste 2008/98/EC as well as other national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 3265

IMDG: 3265

IATA: 3265

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Trifluoroacetic anhydride)







