

Safety data sheet
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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Molecular formula:** $MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O$
- **Trade name:** Magnesium chloride
- **SDS number:** CH0887
- **CAS Number:**
7791-18-6
- **EC number:**
232-094-6
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Chemicals products for laboratory
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
CARLO ERBA REAGENTS
Chaussée du Vexin
Parc d'Affaires des Portes - BP616
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- **Further information obtainable from:**
Q.A / Normative
email: MSDS_CER-SDS@cer.dgroup.it
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:**
Ireland - Tel : 00 353 1 8092568 - 00 353 1 8379964 (24h/24)
EU Tel : 112
National Poisons Information Centre: +353 (1) 809 2166 (8.00 a.m. to 10.00 p.m. 7 days a week)
Healthcare Professionals: +353 (1) 809 2566 (24 hour service)
Members of the public seeking specific information on poisons should contact:
In England and Wales: NHS 111 - dial 111
In Scotland: NHS 24 - dial 111

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
The substance is not classified, according to the GB CLP regulation.
- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008** Void
- **Hazard pictograms** Void
- **Signal word** Void
- **Hazard statements** Void
- **2.3 Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

- **3.1 Chemical characterisation: Substances**
- **CAS No. Description**
CAS: 7791-18-6 Magnesium chloride hexahydrate

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- **Identification number(s)**
- **EC number: 232-094-6**

SECTION 4: First aid measures

- **4.1 Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:** No special measures required.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult a doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
- **After eye contact:** Wash with plenty of water.
- **After swallowing:** Drink plenty of water and provide fresh air.
- **Information for doctor:** Show the doctor this Material Safety Data Sheet.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** Gastric or intestinal disorders
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** Hydrogen chloride (HCl)
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Do not inhale gases in case of fire or combustion.
- **Additional information** Keep receptacles cool with water spray.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Pick up mechanically.
Provide suction extractors if dust is formed.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
No dangerous substances are released.
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling** No special measures required.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** The product is not flammable.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**
Unsuitable material for receptacle: aluminium.
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

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- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** None.
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see section 7.
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:** TLV not established.
- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.
- **8.2 Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.
- **Respiratory protection:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation
- **Material of gloves**
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation.
The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.
- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:** Not required.
- **Body protection:**
Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.
- **Limitation and supervision of exposure into the environment**
In case of unintended release of the product: See section 6 of the Safety Data Sheet.
- **Risk management measures** Keep good industrial hygiene.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
- **Molecular weight** 203.31 g
- **Appearance:**
- **Form:** Crystalline
- **Colour:** Colourless
- **Odour:** Odourless
- **Odour threshold:** Not determined.
- **pH-value:** Not applicable.
- **Change in condition**
- **Melting point/freezing point:** 117 °C
- **Initial boiling point and boiling range:** Undetermined.
- **Flash point:** Not applicable.
- **Flammability (solid, gas):** Product is not flammable.

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| · Decomposition temperature: | Not determined. |
| · Ignition temperature: | Not determined. |
| · Explosive properties: | Product does not present an explosion hazard. |
| · Explosion limits: | |
| Lower: | Not determined. |
| Upper: | Not determined. |
| · Vapour pressure: | Not applicable. |
| · Density at 20 °C: | 1.56 g/cm ³ |
| · Relative density | Not determined. |
| · Vapour density | Not applicable. |
| · Evaporation rate | Not applicable. |
| · Solubility in / Miscibility with water at 20 °C: | 1670 g/l |
| · Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: | Not determined. |
| · Viscosity: | |
| Dynamic: | Not applicable. |
| Kinematic: | Not applicable. |
| · 9.2 Other information | No further relevant information available. |

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** See 10.3
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** Hydrogen chloride (HCl)

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:

Oral	LD50	8,100 mg/kg (rat)
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Ingestion:** It can be harmful if swallowed.
- **Inhalation:** May be harmful if inhaled.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Other information (about experimental toxicology):** No further relevant information available.
- **Target organ information**
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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· **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** Foreseeable as non relevant.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Method**
- **Ecological information** Not available
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Not known to be hazardous to water (German classification -WGK).
Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

* **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste.
Reutilise if possible or contact a waste processors for recycling or safe disposal.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:**
Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
Packagings that may not be cleansed are to be disposed of in the same manner as the product.
Chemical treatment of contaminated water.
- **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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| · 14.1 UN-Number | |
| · ADR/RID, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.2 UN proper shipping name | |
| · ADR/RID, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) | |
| · ADR/RID, ADN, IMDG, IATA | |
| · Class | Void |
| · 14.4 Packing group | |
| · ADR/RID, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.5 Environmental hazards: | |
| · Marine pollutant: | No |

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| · 14.6 Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | Void |

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **SARA Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances)** Substance is not listed.
- **SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings)** Substance is not listed.
- **Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemical safety assessment**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** Substance is not listed.
- **National regulations:**
- **Waterhazard class: Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment):** slightly hazardous for water.
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Department issuing SDS:** Q.A./Normative
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
 - RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
 - ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation
 - DNEL
 - ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
 - IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
 - IATA: International Air Transport Association
 - GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
 - EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
 - CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
 - LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
 - LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
 - PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
 - vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
 - IMO: International Maritime Organization
- **Sources**
 - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006, UK REACH, in the latest valid version.
 - Regulation (EC) N° 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008, GB CLP, in the latest valid version.
 - Globally Harmonized System, GHS
 - ADR/RID, IMDG, IATA
 - PubChem: an open chemistry database at the National Institutes of Health (NIH)
 - ECHA: European Chemicals Agency
 - GESTIS: Information system on hazardous substances of the German Social Accident Insurance
- *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**