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## **Ferric Chloride Hexahydrate**

## **SECTION 1: Identification**

#### Product identifier

Product name: Ferric Chloride Hexahydrate

**Product code:** FE3010

### Recommended use of the product and restriction on use

Relevant identified uses: Laboratory Chemicals

**Uses advised against:** Not determined or not applicable.

**Reasons why uses advised against:** Not determined or not applicable.

### Manufacturer or supplier details

Manufacturer: United States

AquaPhoenix Scientific, Inc. 860 Gitts Run Road Hanover, PA 17331 1-717-632-1291

## **Emergency telephone number:**

Canada

ChemTel: (24-hour) +1(800)255-3924

+1(813)248-0585 (International)

#### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

#### **GHS** classification:

Acute toxicity (oral), category 4 Skin corrosion, category 1B Serious eye damage, category 1 Chronic aquatic hazard, category 3

#### **Label elements**

# Hazard pictograms:





# Signal word: Danger Hazard statements:

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### **Precautionary statements:**

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

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

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

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

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P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P304+P340+P310 If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

P301+P330+P331+P310 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

P303+P361+P353+P310 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Rinse skin with water/shower. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

P305+P351+P338+P310 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents and container as instructed in Section 13.

Hazards not otherwise classified: None

### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

Identification	Name	Weight %
CAS number: 10025-77-1	Ferric Chloride Hexahydrate	100

Additional Information: None

### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

### Description of first aid measures

#### **General notes:**

Not determined or not applicable.

#### After inhalation:

Move exposed individual to fresh air

Loosen clothing as necessary and position individual in a comfortable position

Maintain an unobstructed airway

Immediately call a POISON CONTROL CENTER or seek medical attention

#### After skin contact:

Immediately remove all contaminated clothing

Wash affected area with soap and water

Immediately call a POISON CONTROL CENTER or seek medical attention

### After eye contact:

Rinse/flush exposed eye(s) gently using water for 15-20 minutes

Remove contact lens(es) if able to do so during rinsing

Immediately call a POISON CONTROL CENTER or seek medical attention

### After swallowing:

Immediately call a POISON CONTROL CENTER or seek medical attention

Do not induce vomiting

Rinse mouth and then drink plenty of water

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

### Acute symptoms and effects:

Not determined or not applicable.

### **Delayed symptoms and effects:**

Not determined or not applicable.

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#### Immediate medical attention and special treatment

#### **Specific treatment:**

Not determined or not applicable.

#### Notes for the doctor:

Not determined or not applicable.

### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

### **Extinguishing media**

### Suitable extinguishing media:

Use appropriate fire suppression agents for adjacent combustible materials or sources of ignition

### Unsuitable extinguishing media:

Not determined or not applicable.

### Specific hazards during fire-fighting:

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors

### Special protective equipment for firefighters:

Wear protective eye wear, gloves and clothing

Refer to Section 8

### **Special precautions:**

Avoid inhaling gases, fumes, dust, mist, vapor and aerosols

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing

### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

Wear protective eye wear, gloves and clothing

Ensure adequate ventilation

Ensure air handling systems are operational

### **Environmental precautions:**

Should not be released into the environment

Prevent from reaching drains, sewer or waterway

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Wear protective eye wear, gloves and clothing

### Reference to other sections:

Not determined or not applicable.

### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### Precautions for safe handling:

Do not eat, drink, smoke or use personal products when handling chemical substances.

Avoid breathing mist or vapor.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Store in a cool, well-ventilated area.

#### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Only those substances with limit values have been included below.

### Occupational Exposure limit values:

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Country (Legal Basis)	Substance	Identifier	Permissible concentration
ACGIH	Ferric Chloride Hexahydrate		ACGIH TLV 1.0 mg/m³, as Fe (soluble iron salts)

## Biological limit values:

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

#### Information on monitoring procedures:

Not determined or not applicable.

## **Appropriate engineering controls:**

Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of use or handling.

## Personal protection equipment

### Eye and face protection:

Safety goggles or glasses, or appropriate eye protection.

## Skin and body protection:

Select glove material impermeable and resistant to the substance.

## **Respiratory protection:**

When necessary, use NIOSH-approved breathing equipment.

### **General hygienic measures:**

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

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

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Dark yellow/brown Powder
Odor	Odorless
Odor threshold	Not determined or not available.
pH	Not determined or not available.
Melting point/freezing point	280 °F
Initial boiling point/range	Not determined or not available.
Flash point (closed cup)	Not determined or not available.
Evaporation rate	Not determined or not available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not determined or not available.
Upper flammability/explosive limit	Not determined or not available.
Lower flammability/explosive limit	Not determined or not available.
Vapor pressure	Not determined or not available.
Vapor density	Not determined or not available.
Density	Not determined or not available.
Relative density	Not determined or not available.
Solubilities	Not determined or not available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not determined or not available.
Auto/Self-ignition temperature	Not determined or not available.
Decomposition temperature	300 °F
Dynamic viscosity	Not determined or not available.
Kinematic viscosity	Not determined or not available.

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Explosive properties	Not determined or not available.
Oxidizing properties	Not determined or not available.

### Other information

### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### Reactivity:

Does not react under normal conditions of use and storage.

### **Chemical stability:**

Stable under normal conditions of use and storage.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions:

None under normal conditions of use and storage.

#### Conditions to avoid:

None known.

### Incompatible materials:

None known.

## **Hazardous decomposition products:**

None known.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### Acute toxicity

**Assessment:** Harmful if swallowed **Product data:** No data available. **Substance data:** No data available.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Assessment: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Product data: No data available.

**Substance data:** 

Name	Result
Ferric Chloride Hexahydrate	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

### Serious eye damage/irritation

**Assessment:** Causes serious eye damage

Product data: No data available.

Substance data: No data available.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

**Assessment:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Product data:** No data available. **Substance data:** No data available.

Carcinogenicity

**Assessment:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Product data: No data available.

Substance data: No data available.

**International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC):** None of the ingredients are listed.

National Toxicology Program (NTP): None of the ingredients are listed.

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Assessment: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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Product data: No data available. Substance data: No data available.

Reproductive toxicity

**Assessment:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Product data:** No data available. **Substance data:** No data available.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Assessment: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Product data: No data available.

Substance data: No data available.

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Assessment: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Product data: No data available.

Substance data: No data available.

**Aspiration toxicity** 

**Assessment:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Product data: No data available.

Substance data: No data available.

Information on likely routes of exposure: No data available.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics: No data available.

Other information: No data available.

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### Acute (short-term) toxicity

Assessment: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Product data:** No data available. **Substance data:** No data available.

Chronic (long-term) toxicity

**Product data:** No data available. **Substance data:** No data available.

Persistence and degradability

**Product data:** No data available. **Substance data:** No data available.

Bioaccumulative potential

**Product data:** No data available. **Substance data:** No data available.

Mobility in soil

Product data: No data available.
Substance data: No data available.
Other adverse effects: No data available.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### Disposal methods:

It is the responsibility of the waste generator to properly characterize all waste materials according to applicable regulatory entities (US 40CFR262.11)

### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

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## Ferric Chloride Hexahydrate

## United States Transportation of dangerous goods (49 CFR DOT)

UN number	UN3260	
UN proper shipping name	Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, N.O.S. Iron trichloride hexahydrate	
UN transport hazard class(es)	8	CORROSIVE
Packing group	III	
Environmental hazards	None	
Special precautions for user	None	

## **International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG)**

UN number	UN3260	
UN proper shipping name	Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, N.O.S. Iron trichloride hexahydrate	
UN transport hazard class(es)	8	CORROSIVE
Packing group	III	
Environmental hazards	None	
Special precautions for user	None	

## International Air Transport Association Dangerous Goods Regulations (IATA-DGR)

UN number	UN3260	
UN proper shipping name	Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, N.O.S. Iron trichloride hexahydrate	
UN transport hazard class(es)	8	CORROSIVE
Packing group	III	
Environmental hazards	None	
Special precautions for user	None	

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code		
Bulk Name	None	
Ship type	None	
Pollution category	None	

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### **United States regulations**

**Inventory listing (TSCA):** 

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10025-77-1	Ferric Chloride Hexahydrate	Not
		Listed

Significant New Use Rule (TSCA Section 5): Not determined. Export notification under TSCA Section 12(b): Not determined.

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#### SARA Section 311/312 hazards:

Acute	Chronic	Fire	Pressure	Reactive
No	No	No	No	No

SARA Section 302 extremely hazardous substances: Not determined.

SARA Section 313 toxic chemicals: Not determined.

**CERCLA:** Not determined. **RCRA:** Not determined.

Section 112(r) of the Clean Air Act (CAA): Not determined.

Massachusetts Right to Know:

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Listed

**New Jersey Right to Know:** 

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		Listed

New York Right to Know:

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		Listed

Pennsylvania Right to Know:

10025-77-1	Ferric Chloride Hexahydrate	Not
		Listed

California Proposition 65: Not determined.

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

# **Abbreviations and Acronyms: None**

#### **Disclaimer:**

This product has been classified in accordance with hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations. The responsibility to provide a safe workplace remains with the user. The user should consider the health hazards and safety information contained herein as a guide and should take those precautions required in an individual operation to instruct employees and develop work practice procedures for a safe work environment. The information contained herein is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, accurate. However, since the conditions of handling and use are beyond our control, we make no guarantee of results, and assume no liability for damages incurred by the use of this material. It is the responsibility of the user to comply with all applicable laws and regulations applicable to this material.

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**End of Safety Data Sheet**