

SAFETY DATA SHEET

LITHIUM CHLORIDE SOLUTION

1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and of the Company/Undertaking:

- 1.1 **Product Identifier:** Lithium chloride solution
- 1.1.1 **Substances** Not applicable
- 1.1.2 **Mixture name:** Lithium chloride solution
- Alternate names and trade name** ADVAGuard[®] Inhibited Lithium Chloride Solution, Limit[®] 201, Limit[®] 301
- 1.2 **Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against:**
 Component in closed systems for air conditioning applications.
 Formulation and chemical synthesis in industrial manufacturing operations.
 Additive for preparations and articles for industrial and consumer use.
 Do not use for private purposes (household).

1.3 **Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet**

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2. Hazards Identification

2.1 **Classification of the Substance or mixture:**
2.1.1 GHS Classification [EC Regulation No 1272/2008 and US OSHA regulations]

Acute Toxicity, Category 4
 Eye Irritant, Category 2
 Skin irritant, Category 2

2.2.2 EC: Classification according to 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC [DSD/DPD]

Xn, R22; Xi, R36, R38

2.2 **Label Elements:**

2.2.3 Hazard Pictograms(s):



2.2.4 Signal Word:

Warning

Hazard Statement(s):

Harmful if swallowed H302
 Causes serious eye irritation H319
 Causes skin irritation H315

Precautionary Statement(s):

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P280
 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously w/ water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P305 + P351 + P338
 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. P337 + P313
 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. P301 + P312
 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. P302 + P352
 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. P332 + P313

Additional Precautionary Statements:

Wash hands thoroughly after handling. P264

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. P270
 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. P362
 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant P501

2.3 Other Hazards
 None.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

3.1 Substances Not applicable.

3.2 Mixtures

3.2.1 GHS Classification [EC: Regulation No 1272/2008; US: OSHA regulations]

Chemical Name	CAS #	EC No	EC Index No	REACH Reg No	Wt. %	Classification, Hazard Statement Codes	
Lithium chloride	7447-41-8	231-212-3	not avail.	01-2119560574-35-0000	33-42	Acute Tox. 4 Eye Irrit. 2 Skin Irrit. 2	H302 H319 H315
Water	7732-18-5	None	None	None	58-62	None	

3.2.2 EC: Classification according to 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC [DSD/DPD]

Chemical Name	CAS #	EC No	Wt. %	Symbols	R-phrases
Lithium chloride	7447-41-8	231-212-3	33-42	Xn Xi	R22 R36, 38
Water	7732-18-5	None	58-62	None	

(see Section 16 for R-phrases text)

4. First Aid Measures

4.1 Description of First Aid Measures

EYES: Flush with water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation occurs and persists, contact a medical doctor.
SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation occurs and persists.
INGESTION: Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If any discomfort persists, obtain medical attention.
INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If breathing difficulty or discomfort occurs and persists, contact a medical doctor.

4.2 Most Important Symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Skin and eye irritation.

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

Notes to medical doctor:

This product has low oral, dermal and inhalation toxicity, and is a mild irritant. Treatment is controlled removal of exposure followed by symptomatic and supportive care.

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

5.1 Extinguishing media Dry chemical, CO₂, water spray or regular foam.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous combustion products None
General Hazard No known physical hazard, non-combustible.
Properties contributing to
Flammability None
Flashpoint Not applicable
Flammable limits in air Upper: Not available Lower: Not available.
Auto ignition temperature Not applicable
Sensitivity to static discharge Not applicable
Sensitivity to static impact Not applicable

5.3 Advice for fire-fighters

Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) approved for fire fighting. This is necessary to protect against the hazards of heat, products of combustion and oxygen

deficiency. Do not breathe smoke, gases or vapors generated.

COMMENTS:

(See Section 10, Stability and Reactivity)

6. Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Before cleanup measures begin, review the entire SDS with particular attention to Section 2, Hazards Identification; and Section 8, Exposure Controls/Personal Protection.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Contain spill. Do not wash into drains. Dispose of at qualified waste disposal facility.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Contain spill with absorbant. Sweep up and place in approved transport container. Dispose of waste according to local and Federal laws and regulations.

6.4 Reference to other sections

Before cleanup measures begin, review the entire SDS with particular attention to Section 2, Hazards Identification; and Section 8, Exposure Controls/Personal Protection.

6.5 Additional information

Not specified.

7. Handling and Storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Use with adequate ventilation. Wear safety glasses or goggles and rubber gloves. Wash thoroughly after handling.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep away from strong acids. Keep container closed.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Defined in Exposure scenarios. Industrial and professional use only

8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

Lithium Chloride

DNEL

Long-term exposure, systemic, inhalation 10 mg/m³
 Long-term exposure, systemic, dermal 73.2 mg/kg/day

PNEC

PNEC aqua (freshwater) 10.4 mg/l
 PNEC STP 140 mg/l

EXPOSURE LIMITS

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>EU</u>		<u>EH40 (UK WEL)</u>		<u>USA (ACGIH)</u>		<u>USA (OSHA)</u>	
	<u>TWA</u>	<u>STEL</u>	<u>TWA</u>	<u>STEL</u>	<u>TWA</u>	<u>STEL/Ceiling</u>	<u>PEL</u>	<u>STEL/Ceiling</u>
Lithium chloride	none*		none*		none*		none*	

* No occupational exposure limit value

8.2 Exposure controls

Engineering controls:

Use local exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits.

Personal protective equipment

Eyes and Face:

Safety glasses or goggles

Respiratory:

When engineering controls are not adequate, wear a respirator approved for protection against aqueous sprays.

US: NIOSH or MSHA approved

Europe: CEN Class P type

Protective Clothing:

Gloves: Nitrile/Neoprene/PVC/Natural Rubber (permeation breakthrough not detected during 6 hr test)

These glove recommendations should not be used as the absolute basis for glove selection. Actual in-use conditions may vary glove performance from the

controlled conditions of laboratory tests. Factors such as concentration and temperature, glove thickness and glove reuse, may affect performance. Other glove requirements, such as length, dexterity, cut, abrasion, puncture and snag resistance, or glove grip need to be considered in making your final selection.
Other: Not specified.

Work Hygienic Practices:

Quick-drench eyewash and safety shower.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<u>Appearance:</u>	Water-white liquid
<u>Odor:</u>	Odorless
<u>Odor threshold:</u>	None
<u>pH:</u>	6 to 8
<u>Melting point:</u>	< 0°C Aqueous mixture
<u>Boiling point:</u>	130°C (266°F)
<u>Flash point:</u>	Not applicable
<u>Evaporation rate(butyl acetate = 1):</u>	Not applicable
<u>Flammability:</u>	Not applicable
<u>Flammable limits:</u>	Not applicable
<u>Vapor pressure:</u>	As for water
<u>Vapor density (air = 1):</u>	Not applicable
<u>Specific gravity:</u>	1.2-1.3 g/cc @ 25°C (77°F)
<u>Solubility in water:</u>	Miscible in any proportion
<u>Partition coefficient n-octanol/ water:</u>	Not available
<u>Autoignition temperature:</u>	Not applicable
<u>Decomposition temperature:</u>	Not available
<u>Viscosity:</u>	Not applicable
<u>Explosive properties:</u>	Not explosive
<u>Oxidizing properties:</u>	Not an oxidizer

9.2 Other information

<u>Self-reactive properties</u>	Does not meet classification criteria.
<u>Pyrophoric properties</u>	Does not meet classification criteria.
<u>Self-heating properties</u>	Does not meet classification criteria.
<u>Water reactive properties</u>	Does not meet classification criteria.
<u>Corrosive to metals</u>	Does not meet classification criteria.
<u>Molecular weight:</u>	42.4 (LiCl)

10. Stability and Reactivity

10.1 <u>Reactivity</u>	Reacts with acids to form hydrogen chloride
10.2 <u>Chemical stability</u>	Stable
10.3 <u>Possibility of hazardous reaction</u>	Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
10.4 <u>Conditions to avoid</u>	Contact with acids
10.5 <u>Incompatible materials</u>	Acids
10.6 <u>Hazardous decomposition products</u>	None

11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

(a) acute toxicity	Lithium chloride acute oral toxicity > 526 mg/kg (rat) Lithium chloride acute inhalation toxicity LC ₅₀ : > 5.57 mg/L (male/female) Lithium chloride acute dermal toxicity LD ₅₀ : >2000 mg/kg (rat),
(b) skin corrosion/irritation	Classified as an irritant to skin on the basis of lithium chloride.
(c) serious eye damage/irritation	Classified as irritant to eyes on the basis of lithium chloride.
(d) respiratory/skin sensitisation	Classed as not sensitizing to skin on the basis of lithium chloride.
(e) germ cell mutagenicity	Classified as not mutagenic based on lithium chloride.

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| (f) carcinogenicity | Classified as not carcinogenic based on lithium chloride. |
| (g) reproductive toxicity | Classified as not a reproductive toxin based on lithium chloride. |
| (h) STOT-single exposure | Classified as not causing organ damage based on lithium chloride. |
| (i) STOT-repeated exposure | Classified as not causing organ damage on repeat exposure based on lithium chloride. |
| (j) aspiration hazard | Lithium chloride, a solid, does not present an aspiration hazard. |

Lithium chloride has been extensively tested for REACH registration

Acute Effects From Overexposure:

No data available for the formulation.
No envisaged effects other than acute effects from local irritation

Chronic Effects From Overexposure:

No data available for product.

Carcinogenicity Listings

EH40: Not listed.
IARC: Not listed.
NTP: Not listed.
OSHA: Not considered a carcinogen under OSHA.
ACGIH: Not listed.

12. Ecological Information

- 12.1 **Toxicity:** No classification
Lithium chloride Rainbow trout: 96 hr. LC₅₀ = 158 mg/L
 Daphnia magna: 48 hr. EC₅₀ = 249 mg/L
 Daphnia reproduction 21 day, NOEC 10.4 mg/l
- 12.2 **Persistence and degradability**
 Inorganic salt.
- 12.3 **Bioaccumulative potential**
 Inorganic. Lithium salts are not bioaccumulative
- 12.4 **Mobility in soil**
 Not expected to be mobile.
- 12.5 **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
 Inorganic
- 12.6 **Other adverse effects**
 None

13. Disposal Considerations

- 13.1 **Waste treatment methods**
Use a qualified industrial waste disposal facility. Dispose of waste according to local and Federal laws and regulations.

14. Transport Information

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| 14.1 <u>UN Number</u> | None |
| 14.2 <u>UN proper shipping name (IMDG, ICAO, ADR, DOT)</u> | None |
| 14.3 <u>Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG, ICAO, ADR, DOT)</u> | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. |
| 14.4 <u>Packing group (IMDG, ICAO, ADR, DOT)</u> | None |
| 14.5 <u>Environmental hazards</u> | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. |
| 14.6 <u>Special precautions for user</u> | None |
| 14.7 <u>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</u> | None |

15. Regulatory Information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

EUROPEAN UNION:

German Wassergefährdungsklasse (water hazard class)

Lithium chloride 1

UNITED STATES:

Section 311 Hazard Category (40 CFR 370):

Immediate (acute) health hazard,

Section 313 Reportable Ingredients (40 CFR 372):

This product does not contain a toxic chemical subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act of 1986.

Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 355):

Not listed

CERCLA Hazardous Substance (40 CFR 302.4):

Not listed

TSCA Sec 12b Export Notification:

This product is not subject to TSCA 12 (b) Export Notification Requirements.

NFPA Rating:

Health: 1 **Flammability:** 0 **Reactivity:** 0 **Special:** None

INTERNATIONAL INVENTORY STATUS:

<u>Inventory/Country</u>	<u>Product Status</u>
EINECS (EU)	Listed
TSCA (US)	Listed
ECL (Korea)	Listed
DSL (Canada)	Listed

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment has been completed for this material

16. Other Information

European Union:

R Phrases:

Harmful if swallowed	R22
Irritating to eyes	R36
Irritating to skin	R38
Harmful if swallowed	H302
Causes serious eye irritation	H319
Causes skin irritation	H315

List of Abbreviations used in this SDS:

PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB	very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative
PEC	Predicted environmental concentration
PNEC	Predicted no effect concentration
DNEL	Derived no effect level

Specific uses identified for Exposure Scenarios

ES1	Industrial, chemical synthesis and processing
ES2	Formulation, industrial
ES3	Industrial, use of products
ES4	Professional, use of products
ES5	Consumer, use of products

REVISION SUMMARY: Revision # 1. Revision of skin irritation classification in Section 11.

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