



SAFETY DATA SHEET  
NO. 4 ETCHING AND ACTIVATING - 1024

1. Identification

Product identifier

Product name NO. 4 ETCHING AND ACTIVATING

Product number 1024/4250

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on

use Application Industrial Use

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Canada  
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Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone Emergency spill response telephone number Toll Free: 1-800-899-6926

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Physical hazards Not

Classified

Health hazards Skin Corr. 1A - H314 Eye Dam. 1 -

H318 Environmental hazards Not Classified

Label

elements

Pictogram



Signal word Danger

Hazard statements H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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Precautionary statements

P260 Do not breathe vapor/ spray.

P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection. P304+P340  
If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P305+P351+P338 If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with national regulations. P403+P233  
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

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

P284 [In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.

P301+P310 If swallowed: Immediately call a poison center/ doctor.

P302+P352 If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.

Contains HYDROCHLORIC ACID 7.8%

Other hazards

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

## 3. Composition/Information on ingredients

## Mixtures

SODIUM CHLORIDE	10-15%
CAS number: 7647-14-5	

Classification
Not Classified

HYDROCHLORIC ACID	5-10%
CAS number: 7647-01-0	

Classification
Skin Corr. 1B - H314
Eye Dam. 1 - H318
STOT SE 3 - H335

The full text for all hazard statements is displayed in Section 16.

## 4. First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

Inhalation	Move affected person to fresh air at once. Get medical attention.
Ingestion	Get medical attention immediately. Do not induce vomiting.
Skin Contact	Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention.
Eye contact	Remove affected person from source of contamination. Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Inhalation	Coughing, chest tightness, feeling of chest pressure.
Ingestion	May cause chemical burns in mouth and throat. May cause stomach pain or vomiting.
Skin contact	May cause serious chemical burns to the skin.



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Eye contact Causes severe burns. May cause serious eye damage.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes for the doctor No specific recommendations.

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

#### Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media The product is not flammable. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.

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

Specific hazards Corrosive gases or vapors.

#### Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during firefighting Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing.

Special protective equipment for firefighters Use protective equipment appropriate for surrounding materials.

### 6. Accidental release measures

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

Personal precautions Follow precautions for safe handling described in this safety data sheet. Avoid inhalation of vapors. Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation.

#### Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Do not discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground. Inform the relevant authorities if environmental pollution occurs (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

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

Methods for cleaning up Wear suitable protective equipment, including gloves, goggles/face shield, respirator, boots, clothing or apron, as appropriate. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. Avoid the spillage or runoff entering drains, sewers or watercourses. Collect and dispose of spillage as indicated in Section 13. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a spillage.

Reference to other sections Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. See Section 11 for additional information on health hazards. See Section 12 for additional information on ecological hazards. For waste disposal, see Section 13.

### 7. Handling and storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions Avoid spilling. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapors and spray/mists. Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation.

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

Storage precautions Store in tightly-closed, original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from freezing and direct sunlight.

Storage class Corrosive storage.

#### Specific end uses(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.

### 8. Exposure Controls/personal protection

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Control parameters Occupationalexposure limits

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL

Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): WEL 2 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

## HYDROCHLORIC ACID

Ceiling exposure limit: OSHA 5 ppm 7 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Ceilingexposure limit: ACGIH 2 ppm 2.98 mg/m<sup>3</sup> A4

OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists. A4 =

Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen.

Exposure controls Protective

## equipment



Appropriate engineering controls

As this product contains ingredients with exposure limits, process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls should be used to keep worker exposure below any statutory or recommended limits, if use generates dust, fumes, gas, vapor or mist.

Eye/face protection

Tight-fitting safety glasses.

Hand protection

It is recommended that chemical-resistant, impervious gloves are worn. Considering the data specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that the gloves are retaining their protective properties and change them as soon as any deterioration is detected. It is recommended that gloves are made of the following material: Nitrile rubber.

Other skin and body protection

Appropriate footwear and additional protective clothing complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates skin contamination is possible.

Hygiene measures

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet.

Respiratory protection

If ventilation is inadequate, suitable respiratory protection must be worn. Respiratory protection must be used if the airborne contamination exceeds the recommended occupational exposure limit.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Liquid.
Color	Colorless.
Odor	No characteristic odor.
pH	pH (concentrated solution): 0-1
Relative density	1.11-1.12 @ 20° C
Other information	Not available.

## 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

Stability

Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended.



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Possibility of hazardous reactions	Not determined.
Conditions to avoid	Avoid excessive heat for prolonged periods of time.
Materials to avoid	Strong alkalis.
Hazardous decomposition products	None at ambient temperatures.

### 11. Toxicological information

#### Information on toxicological effects

Inhalation	Vapors irritate the respiratory system.
Ingestion	Causes severe burns. May cause chemical burns in mouth, esophagus and stomach. Skin
Contact	May cause serious chemical burns to the skin.
Eye contact	Causes serious eye damage. Immediate first aid is imperative.
Acute and chronic health hazards	May cause burns in mucous membranes, throat, esophagus and stomach.
Route of entry	Ingestion Inhalation Skin and/or eyecontact

#### Toxicological information on ingredients.

##### SODIUM CHLORIDE

##### Acute toxicity - oral

Acute toxicity oral (LD<sub>50</sub>  
mg/kg) 3,000.0

Species Rat

ATE oral (mg/kg) 3,000.0

##### HYDROCHLORIC ACID

##### Carcinogenicity

IARC carcinogenicity IARC Group 3 Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans.

### 12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity	The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.
Toxicity	No data available.

#### Ecological information on ingredients.

##### SODIUM CHLORIDE

Acute toxicity - fish , 96 hour: 7341 mg/l, Carassius auratus (Goldfish)  
, 48 hour: 4135 mg/l, Daphnia magna

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Acute toxicity - fish

LC<sub>50</sub>, 96 hours: 100-1000 mg/l, Fish

### Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No data available.

### Bioaccumulative potential

Bio-Accumulative Potential The product does not contain any substances expected to be bioaccumulating.

### Mobility in soil

Mobility The product is soluble in water.

### Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects Not determined.

## 13. Disposal considerations

### Waste treatment methods

General information Disposal of this product, process solutions, residues and by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any local authority requirements.

Disposal methods Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

## 14. Transport information

### UN Number

UN No. (TDG) 1789

UN No. (IMDG) 1789

UN No. (ICAO) 1789

UN No. (DOT) 1789

### UN proper shipping name

Proper shipping name (TDG) HYDROCHLORIC ACID

Proper shipping name (IMDG) HYDROCHLORIC ACID

Proper shipping name (ICAO) HYDROCHLORIC ACID

Proper shipping name (DOT) HYDROCHLORIC ACID

### Transport hazard class(es)

TDG class 8

TDG label(s) 8

IMDG Class 8

ICAO class/division 8

Transport labels



Packing group

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TDG Packing Group III

IMDG packing group III

ICAO packing group III

DOT packing group III

Environmental hazards

Environmentally Hazardous Substance No.

Special precautions for user

EmS F-A, S-B

Transport in bulk according to No information required.  
Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and  
the IBC Code

**15. Regulatory information**US Federal Regulations

SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Tier II Threshold Planning Quantities Hydrochloric Acid  
500 lbs

CERCLA/Superfund, Hazardous Substances/Reportable Quantities (EPA) Hydrochloric  
Acid  
Final CERCLA RQ: 5000 lbs

SARA Extremely Hazardous Substances EPCRA Reportable Quantities Hydrochloric Acid  
EPCRA RQ: 10 lbs

SARA 313 Emission Reporting  
Hydrochloric Acid

CAA Accidental Release Prevention HAP  
Hydrochloric Acid

SARA (311/312) Hazard Categories Acute  
Chronic

OSHA Highly Hazardous Chemicals Hydrochloric  
Acid  
Threshold Quantity: 5000 lbs

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65 Carcinogens and Reproductive Toxins  
Exempt.

California Directors List of Hazardous Substances  
Present.  
Hydrochloric Acid

Inventories

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US - TSCA

All ingredients are present.

## 16. Other information

Classification abbreviations  
and acronyms

Acute Tox. = Acute toxicity  
Carc. = Carcinogenicity  
Eye Dam. = Serious eye damage Eye  
Irrit. = Eye irritation  
Flam. Liq. = Flammable liquid  
Muta. = Germ cell mutagenicity  
Resp. Sens. = Respiratory sensitisation Skin  
Corr. = Skin corrosion  
Skin Irrit. = Skin irritation  
Skin Sens. = Skin sensitisation  
STOT RE = Specific target organ toxicity-repeated exposure STOT SE  
= Specific target organ toxicity-single exposure

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Hazard statements in full

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
H318 Causes serious eye damage. H335  
May cause respiratory irritation.

NFPA - instability hazard

Normally stable. (0)

NFPA - health hazard

Extremely hazardous, serious injury. (3)

NFPA - flammability hazard

Will not burn. (0)

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