



## ZIRCONIUM TETRACHLORIDE, 99+%

Safety Data Sheet INZR065

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product name	: ZIRCONIUM TETRACHLORIDE, 99+%
Product code	: INZR065
Product form	: Substance
Physical state	: Solid
Formula	: Cl <sub>4</sub> Zr
Synonyms	: TETRACHLOROZIRCONIUM ZIRCONIUM(IV) CHLORIDE, ANHYDROUS
Chemical family	: INORGANIC HALIDE

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Recommended use	: Chemical intermediate
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#### 1.3. Supplier

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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number	: CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (USA); +1 703-527-3887 (International)
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### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### GHS-US classification

Acute toxicity (oral) Category 4	H302 Harmful if swallowed
Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1B	H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1	H318 Causes serious eye damage
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3	H335 May cause respiratory irritation

Full text of H statements : see section 16

#### 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

##### GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US)



Signal word (GHS US)

: Danger

Hazard statements (GHS US)

: H302 - Harmful if swallowed  
H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage  
H318 - Causes serious eye damage  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary statements (GHS US)

: P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P260 - Do not breathe dust.  
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
P301+P330+P331 - If swallowed: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting  
P301+P312 - If swallowed: Call a doctor if you feel unwell  
P303+P361+P353 - If on skin (or hair): take off immediately all contaminated clothing. rinse skin with water/shower  
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  
P310 - Immediately call a doctor  
P321 - Specific treatment (see first aid instructions on this label)  
P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  
P403+P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.  
P405 - Store locked up.  
P501 - Dispose of contents/container to licensed waste disposal facility.

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### 2.3. Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

No additional information available

### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

## SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent  
Name : ZIRCONIUM TETRACHLORIDE, 99+%  
CAS-No. : 10026-11-6

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Zirconium tetrachloride	(CAS-No.) 10026-11-6	99 - 100	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 STOT SE 3, H335

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). If possible show this sheet; if not available show packaging or label.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical advice/attention.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May cause respiratory irritation. Inhalation of large amounts is expected to cause necrosis of tracheal epithelium, bronchitis and interstitial pneumonia.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Causes (severe) skin burns.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Harmful if swallowed. Swallowing a small quantity of this material will result in serious health hazard.

### 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Note to physician: ZIRCONIUM TETRACHLORIDE reacts with water to form hydrochloric acid, consequently treatment for acid burns may be considered.

## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Not flammable.  
Unsuitable extinguishing media : Water.

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard : Irritating fumes of hydrogen chloride may develop when material is exposed to water or open flame.

### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighting instructions : Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Water spray or fog should only be used to knock down hydrogen chloride vapors in areas downwind from the fire.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Wear protective equipment as described in Section 8.  
Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

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### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Equip cleanup crew with proper protection. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

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

For containment : Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.

Methods for cleaning up : Clean up any spills as soon as possible, using an absorbent material to collect it. Sweep or shovel spills into appropriate container for disposal.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. Avoid dust formation. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Hygiene measures : Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

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

Storage conditions : Keep container tightly closed. Avoid contact with water. Store locked up.

Incompatible materials : Moisture. Water.

Storage area : Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from heat.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

Zirconium tetrachloride (10026-11-6)		
ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (ppm)	5 ppm as Zr
OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	5 ppm as HZr

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Provide local exhaust or general room ventilation.

### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

#### Personal protective equipment:

Avoid all unnecessary exposure. Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

#### Hand protection:

Neoprene or nitrile rubber gloves

#### Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or face shield. Contact lenses should not be worn

#### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection:

Where exposure through inhalation may occur from use, respiratory protection equipment is recommended. NIOSH-certified combination dust mask/acid gas (yellow cartridge) respirator.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

Physical state : Solid  
Appearance : Solid.  
Molecular mass : 233.03 g/mol  
Color : White to orange.  
Odor : Acrid. Similar to hydrogen chloride.  
Odor threshold : No data available

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Refractive index	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: 437 °C
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: 331 °C sublimes
Flash point	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not combustible
Vapor pressure	: 1 mm Hg @ 190°C
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: > 1
Relative density	: 2.803
Solubility	: Reacts with water.
Log Pow	: No data available
Log Kow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts with water and moisture in air liberating hydrogen chloride.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

No additional information available

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Moisture. Water.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hydrogen chloride. Zirconium dioxide.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

<b>ZIRCONIUM TETRACHLORIDE, 99+% (10026-11-6)</b>	
ATE US (oral)	1688 mg/kg body weight
<b>Zirconium tetrachloride (10026-11-6)</b>	
LD50 oral rat	1688 mg/kg
ATE US (oral)	1688 mg/kg body weight

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

None of the components in this product at concentrations >0.1% are listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH as a carcinogen.

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure : May cause respiratory irritation.

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Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Chronic Toxicity: Feeding studies in rats resulted in unspecified liver effects.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: May cause respiratory irritation. Inhalation of large amounts is expected to cause necrosis of tracheal epithelium, bronchitis and interstitial pneumonia.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Causes (severe) skin burns.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Causes serious eye damage.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: Harmful if swallowed. Swallowing a small quantity of this material will result in serious health hazard.
Reason for classification	: Expert judgment

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

No additional information available

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

#### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects	: This substance may be hazardous to the environment.
Effect on the ozone layer	: No additional information available

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Disposal methods

Sewage disposal recommendations	: Do not dispose of waste into sewer.
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	: Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Dispose of contents/container to licensed waste disposal facility.
Ecology - waste materials	: Avoid release to the environment.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### 14.1. UN number

UN-No.(DOT)	: 2503
DOT NA no.	UN2503

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Transport document description	: UN2503 Zirconium tetrachloride, 8, III
Proper Shipping Name (DOT)	: Zirconium tetrachloride
Class (DOT)	: 8 - Class 8 - Corrosive material 49 CFR 173.136
Packing group (DOT)	: III - Minor Danger
Hazard labels (DOT)	: 8 - Corrosive



DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx)	: 213
DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx)	: 240
DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx)	: 154

#### 14.3. Additional information

Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number	: 137
Other information	: No supplementary information available.

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### Transport by sea

DOT Vessel Stowage Location : A - The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel.

### Air transport

DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail : 25 kg  
(49 CFR 173.27)

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75) : 100 kg

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. US Federal regulations

#### Zirconium tetrachloride (10026-11-6)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

### 15.2. International regulations

#### CANADA

#### Zirconium tetrachloride (10026-11-6)

Listed on the Canadian NDSD (Non-Domestic Substances List)

WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 1 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects Class E - Corrosive Material Class F - Dangerously Reactive Material
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### EU-Regulations

#### Zirconium tetrachloride (10026-11-6)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

### National regulations

#### Zirconium tetrachloride (10026-11-6)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)  
Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)

### 15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm

#### Zirconium tetrachloride (10026-11-6)

U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List  
U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List  
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List  
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List

## SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-phrases::

H302	Harmful if swallowed
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H335	May cause respiratory irritation

Abbreviations and acronyms

: Abbreviations: ND: Not Determined, No Data; NA: Not Applicable; LD: Lethal Dose; LC: Lethal Concentration; ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimates; H: hour; °: °C unless otherwise stated; mm: millimeters Hg, torr; PEL: permissible exposure level; TWA: time weighted average; TLV: threshold limit value; TG: Test Guideline; NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer; NTP: National Toxicology Program; HMIS: Hazardous Material Information System; CAS No.: Chemical Abstract Service Registration Number; EC No.: European Commission Registration Number; EC Index No.: European Commission Index Number; OECD: The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; GHS: The Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling; APF: Assigned Protection Factor.

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### Hazard Rating

Health	: 3 Serious Hazard - Major injury likely unless prompt action is taken and medical treatment is given
Flammability	: 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn
Physical	: 1 Slight Hazard - Materials that are normally stable but can become unstable (self-react) at high temperatures and pressures. Materials may react non-violently with water or undergo hazardous polymerization in the absence of inhibitors.

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