

SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to the OSHA
Hazard Communication Standard

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SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Trifluoroacetic anhydride

Product Number : 91719
Brand : Sigma-Aldrich
CAS-No. : 407-25-0

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

Restrictions on use : Not Available

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS classification in accordance with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Hazards for the product as supplied

Acute toxicity : Category 4
(Inhalation)

Skin corrosion : Sub-category 1A

Serious eye damage : Category 1

Reproductive toxicity : Category 2

Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard : Category 3

Other hazards

Reacts violently with water.

GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H332 Harmful if inhaled.
H361 Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Supplemental Hazard Statements : Corrosive to the respiratory tract.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**
P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P261 Avoid breathing mist or vapours.
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P273 Avoid release to the environment.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

Response:
P301 + P330 + P331 + P310 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.
P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.
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/ doctor.

P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage:

P405 Store locked up.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Substance

CAS-No. : 407-25-0

Components

Chemical name	CAS No./Unique ID	Concentration (% w/w)	Trade secret
trifluoroacetic anhydride	407-25-0*	>= 80 - <= 100	TSC

* Indicates that the identifier is a CAS No.

TSC- the actual concentration or concentration range is withheld as a trade secret

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- General advice : First aiders need to protect themselves.
Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
- If inhaled : After inhalation: fresh air. Immediately call in physician.
If breathing stops: immediately apply artificial respiration, if necessary also oxygen.
- In case of skin contact : In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
Call a physician immediately.
- In case of eye contact : After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water.
Immediately call in ophthalmologist.
Remove contact lenses.
- If swallowed : After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most), avoid vomiting (risk of perforation).
Call a physician immediately.
Do not attempt to neutralise.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	: The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2 GHS label elements) and/or in section 11
Protection of first-aiders	: For personal protection see section 8.
Notes to physician	: No data available

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media	: Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
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Unsuitable extinguishing media	: Water Foam
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Specific hazards during fire fighting	: Not combustible.
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May not get in touch with: Water

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

Hazardous combustion products	: Carbon oxides
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Hydrogen fluoride

Specific extinguishing methods	: No data available
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Further information	: Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.
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Special protective equipment for fire-fighters	: Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.
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SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	: Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapours, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert. Advice for emergency responders: Wear appropriate personal protective equipment, as indicated in Section 8.
Environmental precautions	: Do not let product enter drains.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	: Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

For precautions see section 2 GHS label elements

Advice on safe handling	: Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapours/aerosols. Keep workplace dry. Do not allow product to come into contact with water.
Further information on storage conditions	: Tightly closed.
Materials to avoid	: Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage.
Storage class	: 8B, Non-combustible, corrosive hazardous materials
Recommended storage temperature	: 36 - 46 °F / 2 - 8 °C
Further information on storage stability	: Hygroscopic. Store under inert gas.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

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Engineering measures : No data available

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : required when vapours/aerosols are generated.
Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

Recommended Filter type: : Filter B-(P3)

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

Hand protection

Material : Nature latex/chloroprene
Break through time : 480 min
Glove thickness : 0.6 mm
Protective index : Full contact
Manufacturer : Lapren® (KCL 706 / Aldrich Z677558, Size M)

Material : Nitrile rubber
Break through time : 38 min
Glove thickness : 0.11 mm
Protective index : Splash contact
Manufacturer : Dermatrill® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Manufacturer : data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

Remarks : Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.
If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer

familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

- Eye protection : Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).
Tightly fitting safety goggles
- Skin and body protection : protective clothing
- Hygiene measures : Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

- Appearance : liquid
- Colour : colourless, to, light yellow
- Odour : pungent
- Odour Threshold : No data available
pH : No data available
- Melting point/ range : -85 °F / -65 °C
Method: lit.
- Boiling point/boiling range : 103.1 - 104 °F / 39.5 - 40 °C
Method: lit.
- Flash point : No data available
- Evaporation rate : No data available
- Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available
- Flammability (liquids) : The product is not flammable.
- Burning rate : No data available
- Upper explosion limit /
Upper flammability limit : No data available
- Lower explosion limit /
Lower flammability limit : No data available

Vapour pressure	: 433 hPa (68 °F / 20 °C) Method: Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008, Annex, A.4
Relative vapour density	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Density	: 1.511 g/mL (68 °F / 20 °C) Method: lit.
Solubility(ies)	
Water solubility	: 10,000 g/l completely soluble Method: US-EPA GLP: yes
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: No data available
Autoignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity	
Viscosity, dynamic	: 1.8 mPa.s (68 °F / 20 °C) Method: OECD Test Guideline 114 GLP: yes
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Flow time	: No data available
Explosive properties	: Not classified as explosive.
Oxidizing properties	: none
Surface tension	: 72.5 mN/m, 1 g/l, 68 °F / 20 °C, OECD Test Guideline 115, GLP: yes
Molecular weight	: 210.03 g/mol
Particle characteristics	
Particle size	: No data available

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	: No data available
Reactivity	: Reacts violently with water.

Chemical stability	: sensitive to moisture
Possibility of hazardous reactions	: Violent reactions possible with: Water Alkali metals alkalines Strong oxidizing agents Strong acids Alcohols
Conditions to avoid	: Do not allow water to enter container. Moisture.
Incompatible materials	: No data available
Hazardous decomposition products	: For Hazardous combustion products in the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Symptoms: If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a danger of perforation of the oesophagus and the stomach.

Acute toxicity estimate Inhalation - 11.1 mg/l - vapour

(Expert judgement)

Symptoms: burns of mucous membranes, Cough, Shortness of breath, Inhalation may lead to the formation of oedemas in the respiratory tract., Possible damages:, damage of respiratory tract

Inhalation: Corrosive to respiratory system.

Dermal: No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - In vitro study

Result: Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue.

(OECD Test Guideline 435)

Remarks: Tendency of poor wound-healing after penetration of the substance.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Remarks: Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 429)

Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)

The value is given in analogy to the following substances: Ethyl trifluoroacetate

Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test

Test system: mouse lymphoma cells

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Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

Result: negative

Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)

The value is given in analogy to the following substances: Sodium

trifluoroacetate **Carcinogenicity**

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

Reproductive toxicity

Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration hazard

No data available

11.2 Additional Information

RTECS: AJ9800000

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Decomposition of the substance with tissue moisture.

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Components:

trifluoroacetic anhydride:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Danio rerio (zebra fish)): > 999 mg/l

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End point: mortality
 Exposure time: 96 h
 Test Type: static test
 Analytical monitoring: yes
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 203
 GLP: yes
 Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances:
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Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): > 999 mg/l
 End point: Immobilization
 Exposure time: 48 h
 Test Type: static test
 Analytical monitoring: yes
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 202
 GLP: yes
 Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances:
 The value is given in analogy to the following substances: trifluoroacetic acid

Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants : ErC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 237.07 mg/l
 Exposure time: 72 h
 Test Type: static test
 Analytical monitoring: yes
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 201
 GLP: yes
 Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances:
 The value is given in analogy to the following substances: trifluoroacetic acid

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity) : EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): > 25 mg/l
 End point: reproduction rate
 Exposure time: 21 d
 Test Type: semi-static test
 Analytical monitoring: yes
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 211
 GLP: yes
 The value is given in analogy to the following substances: Sodium trifluoroacetate

NOEC (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): > 25 mg/l
 End point: reproduction rate
 Exposure time: 21 d
 Test Type: semi-static test
 Analytical monitoring: yes
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 211
 GLP: yes

Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances:

The value is given in analogy to the following substances: trifluoroacetic acid

Toxicity to microorganisms

: EC50 (activated sludge): > 832 mg/l

Exposure time: 3 h

Method: OECD Test Guideline 209

GLP: yes

Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances:

The value is given in analogy to the following substances: trifluoroacetic acid

Ecotoxicology Assessment

Chronic aquatic toxicity : Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances:

The value is given in analogy to the following substances: trifluoroacetic acid

Persistence and degradability

Components:

trifluoroacetic anhydride:

Biodegradability

: aerobic

Inoculum: activated sludge

Concentration: 20 mg/l

Result: Not biodegradable

Biodegradation: 0 %

Exposure time: 28 d

Method: OECD Test Guideline 301D

GLP: yes

Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)

The value is given in analogy to the following substances: Sodium trifluoroacetate

Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

Product:

Ozone-Depletion Potential : Regulation: 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Protection of Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I Substances

Remarks: This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as

defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

Components:

trifluoroacetic anhydride:

Additional ecological information : Biological effects:

Harmful effect due to pH shift.

Hazard for drinking water supplies.

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

Waste from residues : Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

International Regulations

IATA-DGR

UN/ID No. : UN 3265
Proper shipping name : Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s. (trifluoroacetic anhydride)
Class : 8
Packing group : I
Labels : Class 8 - Corrosive substances
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : 854
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : 850

IMDG-Code

UN number : UN 3265
Proper shipping name : CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (trifluoroacetic anhydride)
Class : 8
Packing group : I
Labels : 8
EmS Code : F-A, S-B

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Marine pollutant : no

Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable for product as supplied.

National Regulations

49 CFR

UN/ID/NA number : UN 3265
Proper shipping name : Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.
(trifluoroacetic anhydride)
Class : 8

Packing group : I
Labels : Class 8 - Corrosive substances
ERG Code : 153
Marine pollutant : no
Poison Inhalation Hazard : No

Special precautions for user

The transport classification(s) provided herein are for informational purposes only, and solely based upon the properties of the unpackaged material as it is described within this Safety Data Sheet. Transportation classifications may vary by mode of transportation, package sizes, and variations in regional or country regulations.

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

CERCLA Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Acute Health Hazard
Chronic Health Hazard

SARA 313 : This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

Clean Air Act

This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F).

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCM Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489).

Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A.

This product does not contain any Hazardous Chemicals listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3.

This product does not contain any toxic pollutants listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Section 307

This product does not contain any priority pollutants related to the U.S. Clean Water Act

US State Regulations

Massachusetts Right To Know

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Maine Chemicals of High Concern

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

Vermont Chemicals of High Concern

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

Washington Chemicals of High Concern

Product does not contain any listed chemicals

The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

US TSCA : All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

TSCA list

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Relevant changes since previous version

2. Hazards identification

Full text of other abbreviations

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DOT - Department of Transportation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; EHS - Extremely Hazardous Substance; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonised System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; HMIS - Hazardous Materials Identification System; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA -

International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organisation; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardisation; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; MSHA - Mine Safety and Health Administration; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NFPA - National Fire Protection Association; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; RCRA - Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RQ - Reportable Quantity; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

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