1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product code  None.
Synonyms  None.

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

Use of the Substance/Preparation  Deplating electrolyte - for checking device in electroplating industry

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company/Undertaking  HELMUT FISCHER AG
Identification  Moosmattstrasse 1 P.O. Box
              CH-6331 Hünenberg
              Switzerland

Tel. +41 (0)41 785 08 15 (8-17h)
info@helmutfischer.com / www.helmutfischer.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number  STIZ (Tox-Zentrum) CH-Zürich :
                                     145 / +41 44 251 51 51 [24h/7]

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2. Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture  Acute toxicity, oral, Cat. 4
                                            Skin Sensitisation, Cat. 1
                                            Hazardous to the aquatic environment, chronic, Cat. 1
                                            Dispose of contents/container according to local and national regulations.
2.2. Label elements

**Signal Word**

**Hazard Statements**

- **WARNING!**
  - H302: Harmful if swallowed.
  - H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction.
  - H410: Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary statements**

- P261: Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
- P264a: Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
- P273: Avoid release to the environment.
- P280: Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
- P301+P312: IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.

**Additional advice**

Dispose of contents/container according to local and national regulations.

**GHS product identifier**

Chlornickel, CAS-No. 7791-20-0

**Classification and labelling according to Directive 67/548/EEC:**

- **T** - Toxic.
- **N** - Dangerous for the environment.

**R-phrase(s)**

- R25: Toxic if swallowed.
- R43: May cause sensitisation by skin contact.
- R50/53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**S-phrase(s)**

- S2: Keep out of the reach of children.
- S24: Avoid contact with skin.
- S37: Wear suitable gloves.
- S45: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).
- S29/35: Do not empty into drains; dispose of this material and its container in a safe way.

**Hazardous components which must be listed on the label**

Nickel dichloride, CAS-No. 7791-20-0, EC-No. 231-743-0

2.3. Other hazards

No information available.
3. Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization
Aqueous solution; contains inorganic salts.

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For the full text of the phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

Hazardous impurities None known.

4. First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation Move to fresh air. In the case of inhalation of aerosol/mist consult a physician if necessary.

Skin contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water.

Eye contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

Ingestion Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed None known.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed None known.

5. Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Water spray mist or foam.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons No extinguishing agent constraints

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture The product is not flammable.

5.3. Advice for firefighters
**Special protective equipment for firefighters**  
Standard procedure for chemical fires.

**Specific methods**  
Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

### 6. Accidental release measures

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

- **Advice for non-emergency personnel**  
  Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Use personal protective equipment.

- **Advice for emergency responders**  
  Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

- Prevent product from entering drains.

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

- Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Keep in suitable and closed containers for disposal.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

- See chapter 8 and 13.

### 7. Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use. Wear personal protective equipment.

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

- Store at room temperature in the original container. Keep out of reach of children.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

- Use only in accordance with our recommendations.

### 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

- **EU**  
  None.

- **Exposure limit(s)**  
  No data is available on the product itself.

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

- **Occupational exposure controls**  
  Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep away from food and drink.
Personal protection equipment

Respiratory protection No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required. In the case of mist, spray or aerosol exposure wear suitable personal respiratory protection and protective suit. Suitable mask with particle filter P3 (European Norm 143).


Eye protection Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN 166. Eye wash bottle with pure water.

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing.

Thermal hazards Do not heat the product.

Environmental exposure controls Prevent leaks and prevent soil / water pollution caused by leaks.

9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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9.2. Other information
10. Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity
No hazards to be specially mentioned.

10.2. Chemical stability
Stable at normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions
Exothermic reaction with strong acids.

10.4. Conditions to avoid
Heating in air.

10.5. Incompatible materials
Incompatible with strong acids and oxidizing agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products
None reasonably foreseeable.

11. Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity
No data is available on the product itself.

Skin corrosion/irritation
May cause skin irritation with susceptible persons.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation
May cause eye irritation with susceptible persons.

Respiratory / Skin Sensitisation
None.

Carcinogenicity
Contains no ingredient listed as a carcinogen.

Germ cell mutagenicity
Contains no ingredient listed as a mutagen.

Reproductive toxicity
Contains no ingredient listed as toxic to reproduction.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)
No data available.

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)
No data available.

Aspiration hazard
No aspiration toxicity classification.

Human experience
No data is available on the product itself.

12. Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity
No data is available on the product itself.

12.2. Persistence and degradability
No data is available on the product itself.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential
No data is available on the product itself.
12.4. Mobility in soil
No data is available on the product itself.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
This preparation contains no substance considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT).

12.6. Other adverse effects
Highly water contaminating (self estimation).

13. Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues / unused products
Do not empty into drains. Do not put residues of product into household waste. It should be given in the original package to the official waste disposal authorities. EWC waste disposal No: 16 10 01.

Contaminated packaging
Rinse empty containers with water and use the rinse water to prepare the working solution. Completely emptied packaging disposed of with household waste. Partially empty containers back to the point of sale or transfer of a collection site for hazardous waste.

14. Transport information

ADR/RID
Proper shipping name TOXIC LIQUID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Nickel dichloride)
UN No 3287.
Class 6.1.
Packing group III.
ADR/RID-Labels 6.1+ENV.
Classification code T4.
Risk No. 60.
Limited quantity 5 L.
Tunnel code E

IMO
Proper shipping name Toxic liquid, inorganic, n.o.s. (Nickel dichloride)
UN No 3287.
Class 6.1.
Packing group III.
ADR/RID-Labels 6.1+ENV.
Limited quantity 5 L.
EmS F-A, S-A.
Marine Pollutant no
ICAO

Proper shipping name Toxic liquid, inorganic, n.o.s. (Nickel dichloride)
UN No 3287.
Class 6.1.
Packing group III.
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft): 655 (60 L).
Packing instruction (LQ): Y642 (2 L).
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft): 663 (220 L).

Inland navigation ADN

Proper shipping name TOXIC LIQUID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Nickel dichloride)
UN No 3287.
Class 6.1.
Packing group III.
ADN danger 6.1+(N1, N2, N3, CMR, F oder S).

Further Information
None.

15. Regulatory information

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

Regulatory Information
The product is classified according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP).

15.2. Chemical safety assessment
Not required.

16. Other information

Revision Note
None.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms
CLP: Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (GHS/CLP) VOC: Volatile organic compounds (VOC) content

Key literature references and sources for data
Information taken from reference works and the literature.

Classification procedure
Calculation method.

Text of H phrases mentioned in Section 3
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R50/53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Training advice
For further information, refer to the product technical data sheet.

Further information
Take notice of the directions of use. SZID 326114 [CH]
Instructions for use

For industrial application only. Keep away from children.

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