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Material Safety Data Sheet

Trifluoromethanesulfonic acid, 99%

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

MSDS Name: Trifluoromethanesulfonic acid, 99%

Synonyms: Triflic acid

Manufacturer/Supplier

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Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

CAS#	Chemical Name	Percent	EINECS/ELINCS
1493-13-6	Trifluoromethanesulfonic acid	99%	216-087-5

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Appearance: clear very light yellow liquid.

Danger! Corrosive. Causes eye and skin burns. Causes digestive and respiratory tract burns. Harmful if swallowed. Hygroscopic (absorbs moisture from the air). The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated.

Target Organs: Respiratory system, eyes, skin.

Potential Health Effects

Eye: Causes severe eye burns. May cause blindness.

Skin: Causes severe burns with delayed tissue destruction.

Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. Causes gastrointestinal tract burns.



Inhalation: May cause irritation of the respiratory tract with burning pain in the nose and throat, coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath and pulmonary edema. Causes chemical burns to the respiratory tract. Inhalation may be fatal as a result of spasm, inflammation, edema of the larynx and bronchi, chemical pneumonitis and pulmonary edema.

Chronic: No information found.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Eyes: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical aid immediately.

Skin: Get medical aid immediately. Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. Get medical aid immediately. Wash mouth out with water.

Inhalation: Get medical aid immediately. Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically and supportively.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

General Information: As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

Extinguishing Media: Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or chemical foam.

Flash Point: Not available.

Autoignition Temperature: Not available.

Explosion Limits, Lower: Not available.

Upper: Not available.

NFPA Rating: (estimated) Health: 3; Flammability: 0; Instability: 1

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

General Information: Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

Spills/Leaks: Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. vermiculite, sand or earth), then place in suitable



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container. Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways. Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Provide ventilation.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling: Wash thoroughly after handling. Use with adequate ventilation. Do not breathe dust, mist, or vapor. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Storage: Storage:

Storage conditions: Keep container tightly closed. Store under inert gas. Protect from moisture. Store locked up. Store away from incompatible materials such as oxidizing agents. Store in a cool, dry place. Store in a tightly closed container. Keep under a nitrogen blanket.

Packaging material: Law is followed. Keep only in original container.

Corrosives area.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Exposure Limits

Chemical Name	ACGIH	NIOSH	OSHA - Final PELs
Trifluoromethanesulfonic acid	none listed	none listed	none listed

OSHA Vacated PELs: Trifluoromethanesulfonic acid: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eyes: Wear chemical splash goggles and face shield.

Skin: Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

Clothing: Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respirators: Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Liquid

Appearance: clear very light yellow

Odor: Strong pungent odor.



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pH: Not available.

Vapor Pressure: 10 hPa @ 55 deg C

Vapor Density: Not available.

Evaporation Rate: Not available.

Viscosity: 2.87 cP 25 deg C

Boiling Point: 162 deg C @ 760.00mm Hg

Freezing/Melting Point: -40 deg C

Decomposition Temperature: Not available.

Solubility: soluble

Specific Gravity/Density: 1.6960g/cm³

Molecular Formula: CHF₃O₃S

Molecular Weight: 150.07

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials, excess heat, exposure to moist air or water.

Incompatibilities with Other Materials: Strong oxidizing agents - strong bases.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, oxides of sulfur, carbon dioxide, hydrogen fluoride gas.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS#:

CAS# 1493-13-6 unlisted.

LD50/LC50:

Not available.

Carcinogenicity:

CAS# 1493-13-6: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

Epidemiology: No information found

Teratogenicity: No information found

Reproductive Effects: No information found

Mutagenicity: No information found



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Neurotoxicity: No information found

Other Studies:

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: No data available. Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) < 36 mg/kg 20-Day Biochemical Oxygen Demand of neutralized product < 72 mg/kg

Environmental: No information available.

Physical: No information available.

Other: No information available.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

RCRA P-Series: None listed.

RCRA U-Series: None listed.

Section 14 - Transport Information

	US DOT	Canada TDG
Shipping Name:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S.	CORROSIVE LIQUID ACIDIC ORGANIC (TRIFLUOROMETHANESULFONIC)
Hazard Class:	8	8
UN Number:	UN3265	UN3265
Packing Group:	II	II



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Section 15 - Regulatory Information

US FEDERAL

TSCA

CAS# 1493-13-6 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

Health & Safety Reporting List

None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

Chemical Test Rules

None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

Section 12b

None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

TSCA Significant New Use Rule

None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs

None of the chemicals in this material have an RQ.

SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

SARA Codes

CAS # 1493-13-6: immediate.

Section 313 No chemicals are reportable under Section 313.

Clean Air Act:

This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants.

This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depleters.

This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depleters.

Clean Water Act:

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA.

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA.

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

OSHA:

None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

STATE

CAS# 1493-13-6 is not present on state lists from CA, PA, MN, MA, FL, or NJ.

California Prop 65

California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

European/International Regulations

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives



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Hazard Symbols:



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Risk Phrases:

- R 22 Harmful if swallowed.
- R 35 Causes severe burns.

Safety Phrases:

- S 26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
- S 36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.
- S 45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

WGK (Water Danger/Protection)

CAS# 1493-13-6: 2

Canada - DSL/NDSL

CAS# 1493-13-6 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

Canada - WHMIS

This product has a WHMIS classification of D1B, E.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List

Section 16 - Additional Information

MSDS Creation Date: 3/29/2007

Revision #4 Date: 28/12/2010

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