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Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification

Cat#: 4632, 4601
Part Name: Iradecon

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Identified uses: Laboratory use

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Emergency Telephone Numbers

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Section 2: Hazards Identification:

GHS Classification(s): Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 1C

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 1

GHS Label

Elements: GHS

Hazard

Symbols:

Signal Word: Danger

Hazard Statements: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary Statements:

Prevention: Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Response: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Rinse skin with water.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position

comfortable for breathing.

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 or doctor/physician. Specific treatment (see First Aid on SDS or on this label). Wash

contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage: Store in a secure manner.

Disposal: Dispose of in accordance with local, regional and international

regulations.

Hazards Not Otherwise Classified: May react with various food sugars to form carbon monoxide.

Mixing with acid detergents may form chlorine gas.

NFPA Rating

Hazard Ratings:

These ratings are Decon Laboratories Inc.'s own assessments of the properties of the material using the ANSI/NFPA 704 Standard. Additional information can be found by consulting in the NFPA published ratings lists (List 325 and list 49).

If no data is listed the information is not available

Health 3 Flammability 0 Reactivity 1

Section 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

Substances/Mixtures:

Chemical or Common Name/Synonyms

CAS Number

% by Wt.

Sodium Hypochlorite

7681-52-9

< 1 %

Note: Any chemical identity and/or exact percentage not expressly stated is being withheld as a trade secret or is due to batch variation.

Section 4: First Aid Measures

Description of Necessary Measures:

Eye Contact: If in eyes: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyelids open. Tilt head to avoid contaminating unaffected eye. Get immediate medical attention.

Skin Contact: If on skin: Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention immediately. Do not reuse clothing and shoes until cleaned. Do not apply oils or ointments unless ordered by the physician.

Inhalation: If inhaled: Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

Ingestion: If swallowed: If fully conscious, drink a quart of water. DO NOT induce vomiting. CALL A PHYSICIAN IMMEDIATELY. If unconscious or in convulsions, take immediately to a hospital or a physician. NEVER induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious victim. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration of liquid into the lungs. Do not give sodium bicarbonate, fruit juices or vinegar.

Most Important Symptoms/Effects, Acute and Delayed:

Eye Contact: CORROSIVE-Causes severe irritation and burns. Small amounts may cause: permanent eye damage. blindness.

Skin Contact: CORROSIVE-Causes severe irritation and burns. Corrosive action causes burns and frequently deep ulceration with ultimate scarring. Contact may cause: redness. swelling. burns. blistering. tissue destruction.

Skin Absorption: No absorption hazard expected under normal use.

Inhalation: CORROSIVE-Causes severe irritation and burns. May cause: difficulty breathing. coughing. choking. nausea. pulmonary edema. May irritate or burn: nose. throat. mucous membranes.

Ingestion: CORROSIVE-Causes severe irritation and burns. May cause: nausea. vomiting. perforation of the esophagus. colitis. delirium. hypotension. confusion. convulsions. circulatory collapse. coma. death.

Indication of Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed: There is no specific antidote. Treatment of overexposure should be directed at the control of symptoms and the clinical condition of the patient.

Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media: For fires in area use appropriate media. For example: Water spray. Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide. Alcohol foam.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical: Fire and Explosion Hazards: None known.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Chlorine-containing gases.

Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-Fighters: Evacuate area of unprotected personnel. Wear protective clothing including NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus. Remain upwind of fire to avoid hazardous vapors and decomposition products. Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers and disperse vapors.

Section 6: Accidental Release measures

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, Emergency Procedures: CORROSIVE MATERIAL. Evacuate unprotected personnel from area. Maintain adequate ventilation. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section 8. Never exceed any occupational exposure limit.

Methods and Materials for Containment and Clean Up: Contain spill, place into drums for proper disposal. Flush remaining area with water to remove trace residue and dispose of properly. Avoid direct discharge to sewers and surface waters. Notify authorities if entry occurs.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Precautions for Safe Handling: Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Use with adequate ventilation. Do not swallow. Avoid breathing vapors, mists, or dust. Do not eat, drink, or smoke in work area. Wash thoroughly after handling. Empty containers retain product residue (vapor, dust, or liquid) and can be dangerous. DO NOT pressurize, cut, weld, braze, solder, drill, grind, or expose such containers to

heat, flame, sparks, static electricity, or other source of ignition. They may explode and cause injury or death.

Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities: CORROSIVE MATERIAL. Store in a cool, well ventilated area, out of direct sunlight. Store in a dry location away from heat. Keep away from incompatible materials. Keep containers tightly closed. Do not store in unlabeled or mislabeled containers. Relieve pressure in containers weekly. Do not freeze. Avoid temperatures greater than 70 Deg. F. Product degrades more rapidly with increasing temperature.

Section 8: Exposure Controls/ Personal Protection

OSHA Exposure Guidelines:

Component Limits

No components found.

ACGIH Exposure Guidelines:

<u>Component</u> <u>Limits</u>

No components found.

Engineering Controls: Local exhaust ventilation, process enclosures, or other engineering controls are required when handling or using this product to avoid overexposure. Keep levels below exposure limits. To determine exposure levels, monitoring should be performed regularly.

Individual Protection Measures:

Eye/Face Protection: Wear chemical safety goggles and a full face shield while handling this product. Do not wear contact lenses.

Skin Protection: Prevent contact with this product. Wear gloves and protective clothing depending on condition of use. Protective gloves: Rubber (latex). Polyvinyl chloride. Neoprene.

Respiratory Protection: None required under normal use. If vapors or mists are present, wear: NIOSH-Approved respirator. NIOSH-Approved self-contained breathing apparatus. DO NOT exceed limits established by the respirator manufacturer. All respiratory protection programs must comply with OSHA 29 CFR 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements and must be followed whenever workplace conditions require a respirator's use.

Other Protective Equipment: Protective clothing. Eye-wash station. Safety shower.

General Hygiene Conditions: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Food, beverages, and tobacco products should not be carried, stored or consumed where this material is in use.

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Liquid. Color: Pale yellow. Clear. Odor: Chlorine odor. Odor Threshold: N.D..

pH: 12.5 (as is)

Freezing Point (deg. F): N.D. Melting Point (deg. F): N.D.

Initial Boiling Point or Boiling Range: N.D.

Flash Point: N.A.

Flash Point Method: N.A.

Evaporation Rate (nBuAc = 1): N.D. Flammability (solid, gas): N.D. Lower Explosion Limit: N.A. Upper Explosion Limit: N.A. Vapor Pressure (mm Hg): N.D. Vapor Density (air=1): N.D.

Specific Gravity or Relative Density: 1.0180 @ 25 Deg. C

Solubility in Water: Complete

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water): N.D.

Autoignition Temperature: No Data **Decomposition Temperature:** N.D.

Viscosity: N.D. % Volatile (wt%): N.D. VOC (wt%): N.D. VOC (lbs/gal): N.D. Fire Point: N.D.

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity:

Reactivity: No data available.

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization will not occur under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid: Avoid exposure to light. Avoid temperatures greater than 70 Deg. F. Product degrades more rapidly with increasing temperature.

Incompatible Materials: Iron. Copper. Acids. Ammonia. Ammonium compounds. Alum. Oxidizing agents. Reducing agents. Organic materials. Amines. Cleaners. Sodium sulfite. Sodium thiosulfate.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Chlorine-containing gases. Reacts with acids to release poisonous chlorine gas. Sodium oxide.

Section 11: Toxicological Information

Routes of Exposure: Eyes. Skin. Ingestion. Inhalation.

Symptoms/Effects: Acute, Delayed and Chronic:

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Skin Absorption: No absorption hazard expected under normal use.

Inhalation: CORROSIVE-Causes severe irritation and burns. May cause: difficulty breathing. coughing. choking. nausea. pulmonary edema. May irritate or burn: nose. throat. mucous membranes.

Ingestion: CORROSIVE-Causes severe irritation and burns. May cause: nausea. vomiting. perforation of the esophagus. colitis. delirium. hypotension. confusion. convulsions. circulatory collapse. coma. death.

Numerical Measures of Toxicity:

<u>Component</u>	Oral LD50	<u>Dermal LD50</u>	Inhalation LC50
Sodium Hypochlorite	Rat: 8200 mg/kg	Rabbit: 10000 mg/kg	No Data

Cancer Information:

This product does not contain 0.1% or more of the known or potential carcinogens listed in NTP, IARC, or OSHA.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure to Product: Respiratory system disorders.

Other: None known.

Section 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicological Information: No data available. **Chemical Fate Information:** No data available.

Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Hazardous Waste Number: D002

Disposal Method: Dispose of in a permitted hazardous waste management facility following all local, state and federal regulations. Since emptied containers retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. DO NOT pressurize, cut, weld, solder, drill, grind or expose empty containers

to heat, flame, sparks or other sources of ignition. Disposal methods identified are for the product as sold. For proper disposal of used material, an assessment must be completed to determine the proper and permissible waste management options permitted under applicable rules, regulations and/or laws governing your location.

Section 14: Transportation Information

DOT (Department of Transportation):

Not regulated

Section 15: Regulatory Information

TSCA Inventory Status: All components of this product are on the TSCA Inventory or are exempt from TSCA Inventory requirements.

SARA Title III Section 311/312 Category Hazards

Immediate (Acute)	Delayed (Chronic)	Fire Hazard	Pressure	e Release		Reactive	!
Yes	No	No	No			No	
Regulated Components:	: <u>CAS</u>	CERCLA	SARA	SARA	U.S.	<u>WI</u>	Prop
Component	<u>Number</u>	<u>RQ</u>	<u>EHS</u>	<u>313</u>	<u>HAP</u>	<u>HAP</u>	<u>65</u>
Sodium Hypochlorite	7681-52-9	Yes	No	No	No	No	No

^{*}Prop 65 - May Contain the Following Trace Components:

This product may contain a detectable level of (a) chemical(s) subject to California proposition 65

Section 16: Other Information

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Hazard Rating System

Health: 3

Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 1

* = Chronic Health Hazard NFPA Rating System Health: 3

Flammability: 0
Reactivity: 1
Special Hazard: None

SDS Abbreviations N.A. = Not Applicable N.D. = Not Determined

HAP = Hazardous Air
Pollutant VOC = Volatile
Organic Compound C =
Ceiling Limit
N.E./Not Estab. = Not Established

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