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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY I	DENT	IFICATION			
Product name	:	Lead(IV) acetate			
Product Number Brand Product Use	:	185191 Sigma-Aldrich For laboratory research purposes.			
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Preparation Information	:	Sigma-Aldrich Corporation Product Safety - Americas Region 1-800-521-8956			

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# **Emergency Overview**

# **Target Organs**

Peripheral nervous system., Central nervous system, Female reproductive system., Male reproductive system., Blood, Kidney

#### **WHMIS Classification**

D1B	Toxic Material Causing Immediate and Serious	Toxic by inhalation.
	Toxic Effects	
D2A	Very Toxic Material Causing Other Toxic Effects	Teratogen
		Carcinogen

Reproductive hazard

# **GHS Classification**

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4) Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4) Reproductive toxicity (Category 1A) Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Category 2) Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1) Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 1)

# GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)	
H302 + H332	Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child.
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)	
P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P308 + P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

# **HMIS Classification**

Health hazard:	2
Chronic Health Hazard:	*
Flammability:	0
Physical hazards:	0

**Potential Health Effects** 

Inhalation	Toxic if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.
Skin	Harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.
Eyes	May cause eye irritation.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed.

# **3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Synonyms	:	Lead tetraacetate Pb(acac) <sub>4</sub>
Formula	:	C <sub>8</sub> H <sub>12</sub> O <sub>8</sub> Pb
Molecular weight	:	443.38 g/mol

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
Lead tetraacetate			
546-67-8	208-908-0	082-001-00-6	<=100%

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

#### **5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

#### Conditions of flammability

Not flammable or combustible.

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

### Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### Hazardous combustion products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Lead oxides

#### **Explosion data - sensitivity to mechanical impact** No data available

#### Explosion data - sensitivity to static discharge

No data available

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### **Personal precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

# **Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

# Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

# Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Recommended storage temperature 2 - 8 °C

Store under inert gas. Air and moisture sensitive.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# Components with workplace control parameters

Lead tetraacetate	546-67-8	TWA		
			0.050000 mg/m3	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
Remarks			•	
		TWAEV	0.050000 mg/m3	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants
	As of January 4, 2008, lead [7439-92-1] and its inorganic compounds (As Pb) as foreseen in Part 1 of Annex I, in the regulation concerning the lead foundries of the second fusion. For the application of this article, 'lead foundry of second fusion' is understood to mean any institution intended to treat a substance containing lead, other than lead concentrate from a mine by a chemical or metallurgical process for the production of refined lead, the oxide of lead or lead alloy. Carcinogenic effect detected in animals. Results of studies relating to the carcinogenocity of these substances in animals are not necessarily applicable to humans.			
	TWA 0.050000 Canada. British Columbia OEL mg/m3			
	IARC '2A' applies to substances deemed probably carcinogenic to humans on the basis of limited evidence of carcinogenicity in humans. Adverse reproductive effect			
		TWA	0.050000 mg/m3	Ontario Table of Occupational Exposure Limits made under the Occupational Health and Safety Act.
	Skin Skinnotation only applies to organic compounds Denotes a chemical agent listed in Table 1 of Ontario Regulation 490/09 (Designated Substances) made under the Act. See clause 2 (2) (a) of this Regulation.			
		TWA	0.05 mg/m3	Ontario Table of Occupational Exposure Limits made

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#### Personal protective equipment

# **Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Hand protection

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.

#### Eye protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### Skin and body protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### **Hygiene measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

#### **Specific engineering controls**

Use mechanical exhaust or laboratory fumehood to avoid exposure.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### Appearance

	Form	crystalline
	Colour	off-white
Sa	ifety data	
	рН	No data available
	Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 180 - 190 °C (356 - 374 °F)
	Boiling point	No data available
	Flash point	No data available
	Ignition temperature	No data available
	Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
	Lower explosion limit	No data available
	Upper explosion limit	No data available
	Vapour pressure	No data available
	Density	2.230 g/cm3
	Water solubility	No data available
	Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available

Relative vapour density	No data available
Odour	No data available
Odour Threshold	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

# **Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No data available

NO Gala available

#### **Conditions to avoid** Air Avoid moisture.

Materials to avoid Alcohols, Strong acids, Strong reducing agents

# Hazardous decomposition products Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Lead oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Acute toxicity

Oral LD50 No data available

Inhalation LC50 Dermal LD50 No data available

Other information on acute toxicity No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation No data available

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation** No data available

# Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

# Carcinogenicity

Found positive for carcinogenicity in EPA Genetox program.

IARC: 2A - Group 2A: Probably carcinogenic to humans (Lead tetraacetate)

# Reproductive toxicity

Known human reproductive toxicant

# Teratogenicity

May cause congenital malformation in the fetus.

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System) No data available

# Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System)

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

### Aspiration hazard

No data available

# Potential health effects

Inhalation	Toxic if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.		
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed.		
Skin	Harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.		
Eyes	May cause eye irritation.		

# Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Lead salts have been reported to cross the placenta and to induce embryo- and feto- mortality. They also have teratogenic effect in some animal species. No teratogenic effects have been reported with exposure to organometallic lead compounds. Adverse effects of lead on human reproduction, embryonic and fetal development, and postnatal (e.g., mental) development have been reported. Excessive exposure can affect blood, nervous, and digestive systems. The synthesis of hemoglobin is inhibited and results in anemia. If left untreated, neuromuscular dysfunction, possible paralysis, and encephalopathy can result. Additional symptoms of overexposure include: joint and muscle pain, weakness of the extensor muscles (frequently the hand and wrist), headache, dizziness, abdominal pain, diarrhea, constipation, nausea, vomiting, blue line on the gums, insomnia, and metallic taste. High body levels produce increased cerebrospinal pressure, brain damage, and stupor leading to coma and often death., To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

# Synergistic effects

No data available

#### Additional Information RTECS: AI5300000

# **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Toxicity

No data available

#### Persistence and degradability No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential** No data available

#### Mobility in soil No data available

# PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available

#### Other adverse effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

# **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

# **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

<b>DOT (US)</b> UN number: 161 Proper shipping Reportable Quar Marine pollutant: Poison Inhalation	name: Lead acetate htity (RQ): No	Packing group: III		
	6 Class: 6.1 name: LEAD ACETATE Marine pollutant	Packing group: III	EMS-No: F-A, S-A	
<b>IATA</b> UN number: 161 Proper shipping	6 Class: 6.1 name: Lead acetate	Packing group: III		
15. REGULATORY IN	IFORMATION			
WHMIS Classi	fication			
D1B	Toxic Material Causing Immediate and Serious Toxic Effects		Toxic by inhalation.	
D2A	Very Toxic Material Causing Other Toxic Effects		Teratogen Carcinogen	

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

Reproductive hazard

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

# Text of H-code(s) and R-phrase(s) mentioned in Section 3

#### Further information

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