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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Chloroform
- **Article number:** 45627
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the mixture:** Laboratory chemicals
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
SERVA Electrophoresis GmbH  
Carl-Benz-Str. 7  
D-69115 Heidelberg  
Tel.: +49 6221 13840-0  
FAX: +49 6221 13840-10  
msds.info@serva.de
- **Information department:** Product Safety department Tel.: +49 6221 13840-35
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:**  
Medical Emergency Information in case of poisoning:  
Poison Information Center Mainz - Phone: +49 (0) 6131 19240  
(advisory service in German or English language)



**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008:**



GHS06

Acute Tox. 3 H331 Toxic if inhaled.



GHS08

Carc. 2 H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

Repr. 2 H361d Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

STOT RE 1 H372 Causes damage to the central nervous system, the kidneys, the liver and the respiratory system through prolonged or repeated exposure.



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008:**  
The product is classified and labelled according to the GB CLP regulation.
- **Hazard pictograms:** GHS06, GHS08
- **Signal word:** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**  
trichloromethane

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**· Precautionary statements**

P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.

P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

**· Additional information:**

For use in industrial installations only.

**· 2.3 Other hazards****· Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:****· PBT:** PBT - assessment not available.**· vPvB:** vPvB - assessment not available.**· Determination of endocrine-disrupting properties** No relevant information available**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****· 3.2 Mixtures****· Description:****· Empirical formula:**

67-66-3	trichloromethane	$CHCl_3$
64-17-5	ethanol	$C_2H_6O$

**· Dangerous components:**

CAS: 67-66-3 EINECS: 200-663-8 Reg.nr.: 01-2119486657-20	trichloromethane ☠ Acute Tox. 3, H331; ☠ Carc. 2, H351; Repr. 2, H361d; STOT RE 1, H372; ⚠ Acute Tox. 4, H302; Skin Irrit. 2, H315; Eye Irrit. 2, H319	70-100%
CAS: 64-17-5 EINECS: 200-578-6 Reg.nr.: 01-2119457610-43	ethanol ⚠ Flam. Liq. 2, H225; ⚠ Eye Irrit. 2, H319	1-3%

**· Additional information**

the product contains no further substances which shall be indicated according to UK REACH-Regulation (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006).

For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

**SECTION 4: First aid measures****· 4.1 Description of first aid measures****· General information:**

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

**· After inhalation:** Provide fresh air. Call for doctor immediately.

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- **After skin contact:**  
*Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly. Consult doctor if you feel unwell.*
- **After eye contact:**  
*Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Remove present contact lenses, if easy to do, and continue rinsing. Consult ophthalmologist In case of complaints.*
- **After swallowing:** *Wash out the mouth and call a doctor.*
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**  
*No further relevant information available.*
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
*No further relevant information available.*

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
*CO<sub>2</sub>, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.*
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:**  
*Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.  
In case of fire, the following can be formed, but not limited to:  
Hydrogen chloride (HCl)  
Phosgene gas*
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** *Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.*

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**  
*Wear protective clothing.  
Ensure adequate ventilation  
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.*
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** *Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.*
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**  
*Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).*
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**  
*See Section 7 for information on safe handling  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.*

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling:**  
*Ensure good interior ventilation, especially at floor level. (Fumes are heavier than air).*
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** *No special measures required.*
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** *Store only in the original receptacle.*
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** *Store away from oxidising agents.*
- **Further information about storage conditions:** *Keep receptacle tightly sealed and store in dry conditions.*
- **7.3 Specific end use(s):** *No further relevant information available.*

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### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

· **8.1 Control parameters**

· **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

**67-66-3 trichloromethane (80-100%)**

WEL	Long-term value: 9.9 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 2 ppm
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**64-17-5 ethanol (1-3%)**

WEL	Long-term value: 1920 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 1000 ppm
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· **DNELs**

workers: short-term exposition - systemic effects, inhalation: 333 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

workers: short term exposure-systemic and local effects, inhalative: 2,5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

workers: long term exposure - systemic effects, dermal: 0,94 mg/kg bw/day

· **PNECs**

PNEC freshwater: 0,146 mg/l

PNEC freshwater sediment: 0,45 mg/kg

PNEC marine water: 0,015 mg/l

PNEC soil: 0,56 mg/kg

PNEC sewage treatment plant: 0,048 mg/l

· **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

· **8.2 Exposure controls**

· **Appropriate engineering controls:** No further data; see item 7.

· **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment:**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to when handling chemicals.

· **Breathing equipment:**

Short term filter device:

Filter AX.

· **Hand protection:**

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

· **Material of gloves:**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

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· **Penetration time of glove material:**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· **For the permanent contact of a maximum of 15 minutes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**

Fluorocarbon rubber (Viton)

· **As protection from splashes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:** Butyl rubber, BR

· **Eye/face protection:** Tightly sealed goggles.

· **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

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### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### · 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

##### · General Information:

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|---|--|
| · Physical state:   | Fluid  |
| · Colour:   | Colourless   |
| · Odour:  | Characteristic   |
| · Odour threshold:  | Not determined.  |
| · Melting point/freezing point:                             | -63 °C   |
| · Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range: | 62 °C  |
| · Flammability:   | Based on available data, the classification criteria of flammable liquids are not met. |
| · Lower and upper explosion limit:                          |  |
| · Lower:  | no information available   |
| · Upper:  | no information available   |
| · Flash point:  | no information available   |
| · Ignition temperature:                                     | 982 °C (67-66-3 trichloromethane)  |
| · Decomposition temperature:                                | no information available   |
| · pH:   | Mixture is non-polar/aprotic.  |
| · Viscosity:  |  |
| · Kinematic viscosity:                                      | no information available   |
| · Dynamic viscosity:  | Not determined.  |
| · Solubility:   |  |
| · Water at 20 °C:   | 8 g/l  |
| · Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value):        | no information available   |
| · Vapour pressure at 20 °C:                                 | 213 hPa  |
| · Density and/or relative density:                          |  |
| · Density at 20 °C:   | 1.47 g/cm <sup>3</sup>   |
| · Relative density:   | no information available   |

#### · 9.2 Other information

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| · Appearance:   |   |
| · Form:   | Liquid  |
| · Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety: |   |
| · Explosive properties:   | Product does not present an explosion hazard. |
| · Molecular weight  | 119.4 g/mol                                   |

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- 10.1 Reactivity: No further relevant information available.
- 10.2 Chemical stability:
- Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions: No further relevant informations available.
- 10.4 Conditions to avoid: No further relevant information available.
- 10.5 Incompatible materials:  
Avoid contact with:  
Strong oxidizers  
alkalis
- 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products: In case of fire: See Section 5

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### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### · 11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008:

- **Acute toxicity:**  
Harmful if swallowed.  
Toxic if inhaled.

#### · LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

##### 67-66-3 trichloromethane

Oral	LD50	300 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	>20,000 mg/kg (rabbit)
		75 mg/kg (rat)
Inhalative	LC50/4h	47.7 mg/l (rat)
	LC50/96h	18 mg/l (trout)

- **Skin corrosion/irritation:** Causes skin irritation.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation:** Causes serious eye irritation.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Germ cell mutagenicity:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity:** Suspected of causing cancer.
- **Reproductive toxicity:** Suspected of damaging the unborn child.
- **STOT-single exposure:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure:**  
Causes damage to the central nervous system, the kidneys, the liver and the respiratory system through prolonged or repeated exposure.
- **Aspiration hazard:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **11.2 Information on other hazards:**
- **Endocrine disrupting properties:** no relevant information available

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### · 12.1 Toxicity:

##### · Aquatic toxicity:

##### 67-66-3 trichloromethane

EC50/48h	29 mg/l (Daphnia magna)
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- **12.2 Persistence and degradability:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:**
- **PBT:** PBT - assessment not available.
- **vPvB:** vPvB - assessment not available.
- **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties:** For information on endocrine disrupting properties see section 11.
- **12.7 Other adverse effects:**
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**  
Water danger class 3 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### · 13.1 Waste treatment methods

##### · Recommendation

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

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· **Uncleaned packagings:**· **Recommendation:**

Disposal of uncleaned packagings must be made according to official regulations in the same manner as the product.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

· **14.1 UN number or ID number**· **ADR, IMDG, IATA**

UN1888

· **14.2 UN proper shipping name**· **ADR**

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· **IMDG, IATA**

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· **14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**· **ADR, IMDG, IATA**· **Class:**

6.1 Toxic substances.

· **Label:**

6.1

· **14.4 Packing group**· **ADR, IMDG, IATA**

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· **14.5 Environmental hazards**

Not applicable.

· **14.6 Special precautions for user**

Warning: Toxic substances.

· **Hazard identification number (Kemler code):**

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· **EMS Number:**

F-A,S-A

· **Segregation groups**

(SGG10) Liquid halogenated hydrocarbons

· **Stowage Category**

A

· **Stowage Code**

SW2 Clear of living quarters.

· **14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments**

Not applicable.

· **Transport/Additional information:**· **ADR**· **Limited quantities (LQ)**

5L

· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

Code: E1

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml

Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml

· **Transport category**

2

· **Tunnel restriction code**

E

· **IMDG**· **Limited quantities (LQ)**

5L

· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

Code: E1

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml

Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml

· **UN "Model Regulation":**

UN 1888 CHLOROFORM, 6.1, III

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

- Directive 2012/18/EU
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.
- **Seveso category H2 ACUTE TOXIC**
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements** 50 t
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements** 200 t
- **REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII** Conditions of restriction: 3, 32

· **Regulation (EU) No 649/2012**

67-66-3	trichloromethane	Annex I Part I
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· **DIRECTIVE 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment – Annex II**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **REGULATION (EU) 2019/1148**

· **Annex I - RESTRICTED EXPLOSIVES PRECURSORS (Upper limit value for the purpose of licensing under Article 5(3))**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Annex II - REPORTABLE EXPLOSIVES PRECURSORS**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Regulation (EC) No 273/2004 on drug precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Regulation (EC) No 111/2005 laying down rules for the monitoring of trade between the Community and third countries in drug precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **National regulations:**

· **Technical instructions (air):**

Class	Share in %
I	80-100

· **Water hazard class:** Water danger class 3 (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water.

· **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

### SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Relevant phrases**

- H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
- H302 Harmful if swallowed.
- H315 Causes skin irritation.
- H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
- H331 Toxic if inhaled.
- H351 Suspected of causing cancer.
- H361d Suspected of damaging the unborn child.
- H372 Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

· **Department issuing SDS:** Product safety department

· **Contact:** +49 6221 13840-35

· **Date of previous version:** 23.06.2023

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

PBT: persistent, bioaccumulative, toxic substance (UK REACH)

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*vPvB: very persistent, very bioaccumulative substance (UK REACH)*

*UK REACH: Regulation concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals*

*GB CLP: Regulation on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures*

*bw: body weight*

*ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)*

*IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods*

*IATA: International Air Transport Association*

*GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals*

*EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances*

*ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances*

*CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)*

*DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level (UK REACH)*

*PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration (UK REACH)*

*LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent*

*LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent*

*PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic*

*vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative*

*Flam. Liq. 2: Flammable liquids – Category 2*

*Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4*

*Acute Tox. 3: Acute toxicity – Category 3*

*Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2*

*Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2*

*Carc. 2: Carcinogenicity – Category 2*

*Repr. 2: Reproductive toxicity – Category 2*

*STOT RE 1: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 1*

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