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## 1. Identification

**Product identifier** 

Product Name ARSENIC TRIOXIDE, POWDER, REAGENT, ACS

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) A1340

UN/ID no UN1561

Synonyms None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use No information available

Restrictions on use No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier Address** 

Spectrum Chemical Mfg. Corp. 14422 South San Pedro St. Gardena, CA 90248 (310) 516-8000

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 2
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Germ cell mutagenicity	Category 2
Carcinogenicity	Category 1A
Reproductive toxicity	Category 2

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

## Label elements

Danger

### Hazard statements

Fatal if swallowed

Toxic if inhaled

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Suspected of causing genetic defects

May cause cancer

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child



**Appearance** Powder or Crystalline powder or Lumps

Physical state Solid

Odor No information available

## **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

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

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Do not breathe dusts or mists

### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Specific treatment (see .? on this label)

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

Specific treatment (see .? on this label)

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

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

Rinse mouth

Do NOT induce vomiting

### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### Unknown acute toxicity

### Other information

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Very toxic to aquatic life.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

## Substance

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%
Arsenic Trioxide	1327-53-3	100

## 4. First-aid measures

### Description of first aid measures

General advice Immediate medical attention is required. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in

attendance. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical

attention immediately. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen. Delayed pulmonary edema may occur. Get immediate medical

advice/attention. Do not breathe dust.

Eye contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep

eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Remove contact lenses, if present

and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

**Skin contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

Ingestion Get immediate medical advice/attention. Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water

and drink afterwards plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious

person.

Self-protection of the first aider Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not breathe dust. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Use personal protective

equipment as required. See section 8 for more information.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Burning sensation. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Difficulty in breathing.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Note to physicians** Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated.

Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Do not give chemical antidotes. Asphyxia from glottal edema may occur. Marked decrease in blood

pressure may occur with moist rales, frothy sputum, and high pulse pressure.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

surrounding environment.

Large Fire CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

Specific hazards arising from the The

chemical

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Thermal decomposition

can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact none.

Sensitivity to static discharge none

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout

gear. Use personal protection equipment.

## 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Attention! Corrosive material. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate

ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid generation of dust. Do not

breathe dust.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

**Methods for cleaning up** Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

# 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with

skin, eyes or clothing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Handle product only in closed system or provide appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Do not breathe

dust. Avoid generation of dust.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Store locked up. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Keep out of the reach of children. Protect from moisture. Store away from other materials.

# 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

**Exposure Limits** The following ingredients are the only ingredients of the product above the cut-off level (or

level that contributes to the hazard classification of the mixture) which have an exposure

limit applicable in the region for which this safety data sheet is intended or other recommended limit. At this time, the other relevant constituents have no known exposure

limits from the sources listed here.

**Appropriate engineering controls** 

Engineering controls Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles. Face protection shield.

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Chemical resistant apron.

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are Respiratory protection

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

General hygiene considerations Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and

immediately after handling the product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and aloves, including the inside, before re-use. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Do not breathe dust. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before

None known

None known

None known

None known

None known

reuse.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state

Powder or Crystalline powder or Lumps **Appearance** 

Color White

Odor No information available **Odor threshold** No information available

**Values** Remarks • Method **Property** 

no data available На None known Melting point / freezing point 312 °C / 593.6 °F None known Boiling point / boiling range no data available None known Flash point no data available None known **Evaporation rate** no data available None known Flammability (solid, gas) no data available None known Flammability Limit in Air None known

Upper flammability or explosive

limits

Lower flammability or explosive

limits

Vapor pressure No data available Vapor density no data available

Relative density Water solubility Slightly soluble in water Solubility(ies) Soluble in alkaline solutions. Soluble in Hydrochloric acid

Partition coefficient **Autoignition temperature Decomposition temperature** 

Kinematic viscosity **Dynamic viscosity** 

No data available

No data available

No data available None known no data available None known None known

no data available None known No data available None known

Other information

**Explosive properties** No information available No information available **Oxidizing properties** Softening point No information available Molecular weight No information available **VOC Content (%)** No information available **Liquid Density** No information available No information available **Bulk density** 

## 10. Stability and reactivity

No information available. Reactivity

Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods. Excessive heat. Burning produces

obnoxious and toxic fumes.

Incompatible materials Acids. Bases. Oxidizing agent.

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

# 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information** 

Inhalation Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Corrosive by inhalation.

(based on components). Inhalation of corrosive fumes/gases may cause coughing, choking, headache, dizziness, and weakness for several hours. Pulmonary edema may occur with tightness in the chest, shortness of breath, bluish skin, decreased blood pressure, and increased heart rate. Inhaled corrosive substances can lead to a toxic edema of the lungs.

Pulmonary edema can be fatal. Toxic by inhalation.

Eye contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye

damage. (based on components). Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage

including blindness. May cause irreversible damage to eyes.

Skin contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Corrosive. (based on

components). Causes burns.

Ingestion Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes burns. (based on

components). Ingestion causes burns of the upper digestive and respiratory tracts. May cause severe burning pain in the mouth and stomach with vomiting and diarrhea of dark blood. Blood pressure may decrease. Brownish or yellowish stains may be seen around the mouth. Swelling of the throat may cause shortness of breath and choking. May cause lung

damage if swallowed. Fatal if swallowed.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Redness. Burning. May cause blindness. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Difficulty in **Symptoms** 

breathing.

**Acute toxicity** 

**Numerical measures of toxicity** 

### Unknown acute toxicity

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Arsenic Trioxide	= 20 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
1327-53-3			

## Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes burns.

Classification based on data available for ingredients. Risk of serious damage to eyes. Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Causes burns.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

No information available. Germ cell mutagenicity

Contains a known or suspected mutagen. Classification based on data available for

ingredients. Suspected of causing genetic defects.

Carcinogenicity Contains a known or suspected carcinogen. Classification based on data available for

ingredients. May cause cancer.

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Arsenic Trioxide	-	Group 1- Carcinogenic to	-	-

1327-53-3	humans - Supplement 7	
	[1987] Arsenic inorganic	
	compounds	

Legend

Contains a known or suspected reproductive toxin. Classification based on data available Reproductive toxicity

for ingredients. Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

No information available. STOT - single exposure STOT - repeated exposure **Target organ effects** 

No information available. liver, kidney, Skin, lungs, Lymphatic System.

No information available. **Aspiration hazard** 

Other adverse effects No information available.

Interactive effects No information available.

# 12. Ecological information

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. **Ecotoxicity** 

I	Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to	Crustacea
				microorganisms	
ſ	Arsenic Trioxide	-	LC50: 18.8 - 21.4mg/L	-	EC50: 3.9 - 4.5mg/L
1	1327-53-3		(96h, Oncorhynchus		(24h, Daphnia magna)
1			mykiss) LC50: =135mg/L		LC50: =0.96mg/L (96h,
1			(96h, Pimephales		Daphnia magna)
			promelas) LC50:		
-			>1000mg/L (96h,		
- 1			Oncorhynchus mykiss)		

Persistence and degradability **Bioaccumulation** 

No information available. Inherently biodegradable.

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Arsenic Trioxide	18.1
1327-53-3	

Other adverse effects No information available.

# 13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with

environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse empty containers.

# 14. Transport information

DOT

UN/ID no UN1561 Proper shipping name Arsenic trioxide

**Hazard class** 6.1 **Special Provisions** 

IB8, IP2, IP4, T3, TP33 **Special Provisions** 

Description UN1561, Arsenic trioxide, 6.1, II, Marine pollutant Emergency Response Guide 151

Number

**TDG** 

UN/ID no. UN1561
Proper shipping name Arsenic trioxide

Hazard class 6.1 Packing Group

**Description** UN1561, Arsenic trioxide, 6.1, II

**MEX** 

UN-No UN1561
Proper Shipping Name Arsenic trioxide

Hazard class 6.1 Packing Group

**Description** UN1561, Arsenic trioxide, 6.1, II

ICAO (air)

UN/ID no. UN1561
Hazard class 6.1
Packing Group II

IATA

UN number UN1561
Hazard Class 6.1
Packing group II
Emergency Response Guide 6L

Number

**IMDG** 

UN number UN1561
Hazard Class 6.1
Packing group II
EmS-No F-A, S-A
Marine Pollutant P

<u>RID</u>

UN number UN1561

Proper shipping name ARSENIC TRIOXIDE

Hazard Class 6.1
Packing group II
Classification code T5

**Description** UN1561, ARSENIC TRIOXIDE, 6.1, II, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS

Labels 6.1

<u>ADR</u>

UN number UN1561 Proper shipping name Arsenic trioxide

Hazard Class 6.1
Packing group II
Classification code T5
Tunnel restriction code (D/E)

Description UN1561, Arsenic trioxide, 6.1, II, (D/E), ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS

Labels 6.1

ADN

UN/ID No UN1561
Proper shipping name Arsenic trioxide

Hazard Class 6.1
Packing Group II
Classification code T5
Special Provisions 802

Description UN1561, Arsenic trioxide, 6.1, II, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS

Hazard label(s)6.1Limited quantity (LQ)500 gEquipment RequirementsPP, EP

# 15. Regulatory information

### **International Inventories**

TSCA Complies

DSL/NDSL Complies EINECS/ELINCS Complies

**ENCS IECSC**This product complies with ENCS:
This product complies with China:

KECL Complies PICCS Complies

AICS All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical

Substances (AICS).

Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
 IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
 KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

## **US Federal Regulations**

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

Chemical name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Arsenic Trioxide - 1327-53-3	0.1

### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

### **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302).

Chemical name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs
Arsenic Trioxide	1 lb final RQ	-
1327-53-3	0.454 kg final RQ	

## **US State Regulations**

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:.

Chemical name	California Proposition 65	
Arsenic Trioxide - 1327-53-3	developmental toxicity	
	carcinogen	

## U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Arsenic Trioxide	0161	Present	Environmental hazard
1327-53-3			Special hazardous substance

#### U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

## 16. Other information

**NFPA** 

Health hazards 4 Flammability 0 Instability 0

Physical and chemical properties -

HMIS

Health hazards 3 \*
Flammability 0
Physical hazards 0
Personal protection X

Chronic Hazard Star Legend \*= Chronic Health Hazard

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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