

## SDS no. JGWZ481R • Version 1.0 • Date of issue: 2023-08-29

**GHS Product identifier**

Product name	HYDROBROMIC ACID 48%
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HYDROBROMIC ACID 48% AR	HA029
Hydrogen bromide aqueous solution	

Medicine, analytical chemistry, solvent for ore minerals, manufacture of inorganic and some alkyl bromides, alkylation catalyst and laboratory reagent.

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### General hazard statement

Dangerous goods of Class 8 (Corrosive) are incompatible in a placard load with any of the following:  
Class 1, Class 4.3, Class 5, Class 6, if the Class 6 dangerous goods are cyanides and the Class 8 dangerous goods are acids, Class 7; and  
are incompatible with food and food packaging in any quantity.

### Classification of the substance or mixture

**GHS classification in accordance with: UN GHS revision 7**

- Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Cat. 1
- Corrosive to metals, Cat. 1
- Skin corrosion/irritation, Cat. 1A
- Specific target organ toxicity following single exposure, Cat. 3

## GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

### Pictograms



### Signal word

**Danger**

### Hazard statement(s)

H290

May be corrosive to metals

H314

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H335

May cause respiratory irritation

### Precautionary statement(s)

P260

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

P271

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P280

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

P301+P330+P331

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+P361+P353

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

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.

P312

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P363

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P390

Absorb spillage to prevent material-damage.

P403+P233

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

P405

Store locked up.

P406

Store in a corrosive resistant/... container with a resistant inner liner.

P501

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal facility

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### Mixtures

Molecular weight: 80.92

### Components

Component	CAS no.	Concentration
Water (EC no.: 231-791-2)	7732-18-5	50 - 54 % (weight)
CLASSIFICATIONS: No data available. HAZARDS: No data available.		
Hydrobromic acid (EC no.: 233-113-0; Index no.: 035-002-00-0)	10035-10-6	46 - 50 % (weight)
CLASSIFICATIONS: Specific target organ toxicity following single exposure, Cat. 3; Skin corrosion/irritation, Cat. 1A. HAZARDS: H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage; H335 - May cause respiratory irritation.		

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### Description of necessary first-aid measures

#### General advice

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

First Aid Facilities: Maintain eyewash fountain in work area.

If inhaled	If inhaled, remove from contaminated area to fresh air immediately, avoid becoming a casualty. Make patient comfortable, keep warm and at rest until fully recovered. If breathing is difficult (or develops a bluish skin discolouration), supply oxygen by a qualified person. Apply artificial respiration with a respiratory medical device if not breathing. Do not use mouth to mouth resuscitation. Immediately medical attention is required.
In case of skin contact	Wash affected areas with copious quantities of water immediately. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before re-use. Seek urgent medical assistance.
In case of eye contact	Immediately irrigate with copious quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held open. Seek immediate medical assistance.
If swallowed	Rinse mouth thoroughly with water immediately. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Seek immediate medical advice.

**Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed**

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

**Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary**

For advice in an emergency, contact a Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 131 126) or a doctor at once.

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## **SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use fire extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding environment. Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or appropriate foam.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

Hazards from Combustion Products: Emits toxic fumes such as hydrogen bromide gas.

Material does not burn. Fire or heat will produce irritating, poisonous and/or corrosive gases.

**Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

Wear SCBA and chemical splash suit. Fully encapsulating, gas-tight suits should be worn for maximum protection. Structural firefighter's uniform is NOT effective for these materials.

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## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Evacuate the area of all non-essential personnel. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, nose, mouth.

Wear protective clothing specified for normal operations (see Section 8)

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Absorb or contain liquid with sand, earth or spill control material. Shovel up using non sparking tools and place in a labelled, sealable container for subsequent safe disposal. Put leaking containers in a labelled drum or overdrum.

Neutralize.

Prevent contamination of soil and water

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## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

**Precautions for safe handling**

Do not breath fumes which may accumulate in the vapour head-space of containers. Only use in well-ventilated areas. Use local exhaust extraction over processing area. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Corrosiveness: Highly corrosive to most metals.

Air and light sensitive.

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**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

**Control parameters**

**CAS: 10035-10-6**

Hydrobromic acid

AU/SWA (Australia): 3 Peak limitation ppm; 9.9 Peak limitation mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA inhalation; 3 Peak limitation ppm; 9.9 Peak limitation mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA inhalation;

**Appropriate engineering controls**

Use ventilation adequate to keep exposures (airborne levels of dust, fume, vapor, gas, etc.) below recommended exposure limits.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)**

**Eye/face protection**

The use of a face shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection as appropriate. Must comply with Australian Standards AS 1337 and be selected and used in accordance with AS 1336.

**Skin protection**

Hand protection should comply with AS 2161, Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance.

**Body protection**

Safety boots in industrial situations is advisory, foot protection should comply with AS 2210, Occupational protective footwear - Guide to selection, care and use.

Clean clothing or protective clothing should be worn, preferably with and apron. Clothing for protection against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.

**Respiratory protection**

Where ventilation is not adequate, respiratory protection may be required. Avoid breathing dust, vapours or mists. Respiratory protection should comply with AS 1716 - Respiratory Protective Devices and be selected in accordance with AS 1715 - Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices. Filter capacity and respirator type depends on exposure levels. In event of emergency or planned entry into unknown concentrations a positive pressure, full-facepiece SCBA should be used. If respiratory protection is required, institute a complete respiratory protection program including selection, fit testing, training, maintenance and inspection.

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**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

**Basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state  
Appearance  
Color  
Odor

Liquid  
Colourless or faintly yellow liquid.  
No data available.  
Sharp choking odour. Strong pungent odour.

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Odor threshold	No data available.
Melting point/freezing point	-11 °C
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	122 - 126 °C
Flammability	No data available.
Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit	No data available.
Flash point	No data available.
Explosive properties	No data available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available.
Decomposition temperature	No data available.
Oxidizing properties	No data available.
pH	Strong acid.
Kinematic viscosity	No data available.
Solubility	Solubility in Water: Soluble. Solubility in Organic Solvents: Soluble in methanol and acetone.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	No data available.
Vapor pressure	7.950 mm Hg @ 20 °C
Evaporation rate	No data available.
Density and/or relative density	Specific Gravity: 1.49 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Relative vapor density	2.8 (air=1)
Particle characteristics	No data available.

#### Supplemental information regarding physical hazard classes

No data available.

#### Further safety characteristics (supplemental)

No data available.

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.

### Chemical stability

Stable under ordinary conditions of use and storage. Darkens on exposure to air or light.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts violently with fluorine gas, ammonia, ozone, ferric oxide, alkalis, metals and strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

### Conditions to avoid

Sensitive to light.

### Incompatible materials

Strong bases, fluorine gas, ammonia, ozone, ferric oxide, alkalis, metals (i.e. copper, zinc, aluminum, steel) and strong oxidizing agents.

### Hazardous decomposition products

Hydrogen bromide gas.

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity**

Ingestion: Causes severe irritation and burns to the mucous membranes, mouth, throat, oesophagus and gastrointestinal tract. Swallowing this material, risk of perforation in the oesophagus and stomach with symptoms including a sore throat, headache, abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and death. Estimated fatal dose: 1 ml.

Inhalation: Causes severe irritation, destruction and burns to the upper respiratory tract and mucous membranes. Inhalation of this material results in the inflammation and edema of the larynx and bronchi, spasms, chemical pneumonitis, pulmonary edema and death. Symptoms of inhalation include of sore throat, coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath, headache, nausea, burning sensation, laryngitis and vomiting.

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin contact with this material causes severe tissue irritation to the skin with symptoms including pain, redness, burns, blisters, and frostbite.

**Serious eye damage/irritation**

Causes severe burn and irritation to the eye with symptoms such as redness, pain, and blurred vision.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

No data available.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No data available.

**Carcinogenicity**

No data available.

**Reproductive toxicity**

No data available.

**Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties**

No data available.

**Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure**

May cause respiratory irritation.

**Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure**

No data available.

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available.

**Additional information**

Chronic Effects: Prolonged or repeated exposure to vapours may cause skin and respiratory tract irritation.

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Hydrobromic acid: mouse LC50 inhalation 814ppm/1H (814ppm) National Technical Information Service. Vol. PB214-270,  
rat LC50 inhalation 2858ppm/1H (2858ppm) National Technical Information Service. Vol. PB214-270,  
rat LD50 intraperitoneal 76mg/kg (76mg/kg) Gigiena i Sanitariya. For English translation, see HYSAAV. Vol. 41(1), Pg. 105, 1976.  
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**SECTION 12: Ecological information**

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### Toxicity

Forms corrosive mixtures with water even if diluted.

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### Disposal methods

#### Product disposal

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers.

#### Packaging disposal

Rinse empty containers thoroughly before disposal or recycling.

#### Other disposal recommendations

Do not discharge this material into waterways, drains and sewers.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### ADG (Road and Rail)

UN Number: 1788

Class: 8

Packing Group: II

Proper Shipping Name: HYDROBROMIC ACID

### Hazchem emergency action code (EAC)

2R

### IMDG

UN Number: 1788

Class: 8

Packing Group: II

EMS Number:

Proper Shipping Name: HYDROBROMIC ACID

### IATA

UN Number: 1788

Class: 8

Packing Group: II

Proper Shipping Name: HYDROBROMIC ACID

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

#### Australia SUSMP

Poison Schedule: NS

#### Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL)

Chemical name: Hydrobromic acid

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#### New Jersey Right To Know Components

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Common name: HYDROGEN BROMIDE  
CAS number: 10035-10-6

### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Chemical name: Hydrobromic acid  
CAS number: 10035-10-6

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## SECTION 16: Other information

### Further information/disclaimer

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Safe Work Australia, Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants, December 2019  
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IATA, Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR)  
IMO, International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)