



# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

NFPA	HMIS	Personal Protective Equipment
<b>2</b> 000	Health Hazard 2 Fire Hazard 0	
<b>5</b> ,0,0	Reactivity	See Section 15.

Section 1. Chem	ical Product and Company Identification		Page Number: 1	
Common Name/ Trade Name	Gallium (III) Nitrate, Hydrate	Catalog Number(s).	G2032	
		CAS#	69635-72-6; 13494-90-1(anhydrous)	
Manufacturer	SPECTRUM LABORATORY PRODUCTS INC. 14422 S. SAN PEDRO STREET	RTECS	LW9625000 (for CAS no. 13494-90-1)	
	GARDENA, CA 90248		TSCA 8(b) inventory: No products were found. Gallium (III) Nitrate, hydrate (CAS no. 69365-72-6) is not TSCA listed since it is a hydrate; Gallium (III) Nitrate (CAS no. 13494-90-1) is TSCA listed.	
Commercial Name(s)	Not available.	CI#	Not available.	
Synonym	Nitric acid, gallium salt, hydrate; Gallium trinitrate hydrate; Nitric acid gallium (3+) salt, hydrate	IN CASE OF	EMERGENCY	
Chemical Name	Gallium (III) Nitrate, hydrate	CHEMTREC	(24hr) 800-424-9300	
Chemical Family	Family Not available.		CALL (310) 516-8000	
Chemical Formula	Ga(NO3)3.xH2O			
Supplier	SPECTRUM LABORATORY PRODUCTS INC. 14422 S. SAN PEDRO STREET GARDENA, CA 90248			

Name CAS# TWA (mg/m³) STEL (mg/m³) CEIL (mg/m³) % by	
	y Weight
1) Gallium (III) Nitrate, Hydrate 69635-72-6; 100 13494-90-1(anhydr	

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Section	<b>3.</b> .	Hazards	lden	tification
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**Potential Acute Health Effects** Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation (lung irritant).

Prolonged exposure may result in skin burns and ulcerations. Over-exposure by inhalation may cause respiratory

irritation.

**Potential Chronic Health** 

**Effects** 

**CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS**: Not available. **MUTAGENIC EFFECTS**: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. **DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY**: Not available.

Repeated or prolonged exposure is not known to aggravate medical condition.

Section 4. First A	id Measures
Eye Contact	Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Cold water may be used. Get medical attention.
Skin Contact	In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Cold water may be used.Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention.
Serious Skin Contact	Wash with a disinfectant soap and cover the contaminated skin with an anti-bacterial cream. Seek medical attention.
Inhalation	If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.
Serious Inhalation	Evacuate the victim to a safe area as soon as possible. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Seek medical attention.
Ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention if symptoms appear.
<b>Serious Ingestion</b>	Not available.

Section 5. Fire and E.	xplosion Data
Flammability of the Product	Non-flammable.
<b>Auto-Ignition Temperature</b>	Not applicable.
Flash Points	Not applicable.
Flammable Limits	Not applicable.
<b>Products of Combustion</b>	Not available.
Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances	of combustible materials of organic materials
Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances	Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available.  Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available.
Fire Fighting Media and Instructions	Not applicable.
Special Remarks on Fire Hazards	Decomposition Products: Nitrogen oxides, and gallium salts
Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards	Not available.

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Section 6. Accidental	Release Measures			
Small Spill	Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container.			
Large Spill	Oxidizing material.  Stop leak if without risk. Avoid contact with a combustible material (wood, paper, oil, clothing). Keep substance damp using water spray. Do not touch spilled material. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed. Call for assistance on disposal.			
Section 7. Handling a	and Storage			
Precautions	ingest. Do not breathe dust. Wear suitable prote respiratory equipment. If ingested, seek medical a	ctive cloth dvice imm	n. Keep away from combustible material Do not ing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable nediately and show the container or the label. Avoid s such as reducing agents, combustible materials,	
Storage	Keep container tightly closed. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Separate from acids, alkalies, reducing agents and combustibles. See NFPA 43A, Code for the Storage of Liquid and Solid Oxidizers.			
Section 8. Exposure	Controls/Personal Protection			
<b>Engineering Controls</b>			engineering controls to keep airborne levels below ust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to	
Personal Protection	Safety glasses. Synthetic apron. Gloves (impervio	us).		
Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill	Splash goggles. Full suit. Boots. Gloves. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.			
Exposure Limits	Not available.			
Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties				
Physical state and appearance	Solid. (Crystals solid. Crystalline solid.)	Odor	Not available.	
Molecular Weight	255.74 g/mole	Taste	Not available.	
pH (1% soln/water)	Not available.	Color	White.	
Boiling Point	Not available.			
<b>Melting Point</b>	110°C (230°F) Decomposition Temperature: >110 deg. C.			
Critical Temperature	Not available.			
Specific Gravity	Not available.			
Vapor Pressure	Not applicable.			
Vapor Density	Not available.			
Volatility	Not available.			
Odor Threshold	Not available.			
Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.	Not available.			
Ionicity (in Water)	Not available.			
Dispersion Properties	See solubility in water.			
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**Solubility** 

Soluble in cold water.

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Section 10. Stability	and Reactivity Data	
Stability	The product is stable.	
Instability Temperature	Not available.	
<b>Conditions of Instability</b>	Incompatible materials, ignition sourrces, dust generation.	
Incompatibility with various substances	Reactive with reducing agents, combustible materials, organic materials.	
Corrosivity	Not available.	
Special Remarks on Reactivity	Also incompatible with phosphorus, sulfur.	

Section 11. Toxicolo	ogical Information
<b>Routes of Entry</b>	Absorbed through skin. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.
<b>Toxicity to Animals</b>	Acute oral toxicity (LD50): 4360 mg/kg [Mouse].
<b>Chronic Effects on Humans</b>	Not available.
Other Toxic Effects on Humans	Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation (lung irritant).
Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals	Not available.
Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans	May affect genetic material (mutagenic)
Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans	Acute Potential Health Effects: Skin: Causes severe skin irritation. Eyes: Causes eye irritation. May cause conjunctivitis. Inhalation: Causes respiratory tract irritation. May cause pulmonary edema, asphyxia, chemical pneumonitis, and upper airway obstruction caused by pulmonary edema. Ingestion: May cause nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, possibly with blood. May cause digestive/gastrointestinal tract irritation with possible burns.

Section 12. Ecological Information			
Ecotoxicity	Not available.		
BOD5 and COD	Not available.		
<b>Products of Biodegradation</b>	Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.		
Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation	The product itself and its products of degradation are not toxic.		
Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation	Not available.		

Special Remarks on Corrosivity

Polymerization

Not available.

Will not occur.

#### Section 13. Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

## Section 14. Transport Information

**DOT Classification** CLASS 5.1: Oxidizing material.

Identification : Nitrate, inorganic, n.o.s.(Gallium (III) Nitrate) UNNA: 1477 PG: III

**Special Provisions for Transport** 

Not available.

DOT (Pictograms)



#### Section 15. Other Regulatory Information and Pictograms

Federal and State

No products were found. Gallium (III) Nitrate, hydrate (CAS no. 69365-72-6) is not TSCA listed since it is a hydrate; Gallium (III) Nitrate (CAS no. 13494-90-1) is TSCA listed.

California
Proposition 65
Warnings

California prop. 65: This product contains the following ingredients for which the State of California has found to cause cancer which would require a warning under the statute: No products were found.

California prop. 65: This product contains the following ingredients for which the State of California has found to cause birth defects which would require a warning under the statute: No products were found.

Other Regulations

OSHA: Hazardous by definition of Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

EINECS: This product is on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (CAS no. 13494-90-1 is on the EINECS Inventory (EINECS no. 236-815-5). However, CAS no. 69365-72-6 is not listed on the EINECS Inventory).

The following applies to CAS no. 13494-90-1only:

Listed on Canada Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)

Listed on China National Inventory

Listed on Korea National Inventory (KECI)

**Other Classifications** 

WHMIS (Canada) CLASS C: Oxidizing material.

DSCL (EEC) R8- Contact with combustible material may cause fire.

may cause fire. R36/37/38- Irritating to eyes, S17- Keep away from combustible material. S26- In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek

respiratory system and skin. medical advice.

HMIS (U.S.A.)

Health Hazard	2
Fire Hazard	0
Reactivity	0
Personal Protection	F

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)

Health



Flammability

Reactivity

Specific hazard

WHMIS (Canada) (Pictograms)



## Gallium (III) Nitrate, Hydrate

DSCL (Europe) (Pictograms)





TDG (Canada) (Pictograms)



ADR (Europe) (Pictograms)



#### **Protective Equipment**



Gloves (impervious).



Synthetic apron.



Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate.



Splash goggles.

#### Section 16. Other Information

MSDS Code G0115

References Not available.

Other Special Not available.
Considerations

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#### Notice to Reader

All chemicals may pose unknown hazards and should be used with caution. This Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) applies only to the material as packaged. If this product is combined with other materials, deteriorates, or becomes contaminated, it may pose hazards not mentioned in this MSDS. It shall be the user's responsibility to develop proper methods of handling and personal protection based on the actual conditions of use. While this MSDS is based on technical data judged to be reliable, Spectrum Quality Products, Inc. assumes no responsibility for the completeness or accuracy of the information contained herein.