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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name: Chlorine Free Buffer FCL1**
- **Catalogue number:**
56Z015198, 56L015165, 56U015165, 56L015130, 56L015172, 56U015130, 56L015198, 56L015197, 56L0151, SDT027
- **Application of the substance / the mixture:** Reagent for water analysis
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Tintometer Inc.
6456 Parkland Drive
Sarasota, FL 34243
USA
phone: (941) 756-6410
fax: (941) 727-9654
www.lovibond.us
Made in Germany
- **Emergency telephone number:** + 1 866 928 0789 (English, French, Spanish)

2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS05 Corrosion

Corrosive to Metals 1 H290 May be corrosive to metals.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Hazard Communication Standard (HCS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS05

- **Signal word** Warning
- **Hazard statements**
H290 May be corrosive to metals.
- **Precautionary statements**
P234 Keep only in original container.
P390 Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.
- **Other hazards** No further relevant information available.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** aqueous solution
- **Composition and Information on Ingredients:**
Percent ranges are used due to the confidential product information.

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| CAS: 7647-01-0 EINECS: 231-595-7 Index number: 017-002-01-X RTECS: MW 9620000 | hydrochloric acid ⚠ Corrosive to Metals 1, H290; Skin Corrosion 1B, H314; ⚠ Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure 3, H335 | 2.5–5% |
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· **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

4 First-aid measures

· **Description of first aid measures**

- **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact:**
Rinse opened eye for several minutes (at least 15 min) under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:**
Rinse out mouth and then drink 1-2 glasses of water.
If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** slight irritation may occur
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:** No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
The product is not combustible.
Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.
In case of fire, the following can be released:
Hydrogen chloride (HCl)
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:**
Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
Wear fully protective suit.
- **Additional information**
Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter the sewage system.
Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.
Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
- **Advice for non-emergency personnel:**
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation
- **Advice for emergency responders:** Protective equipment: see section 8
- **Environmental precautions:**
Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.
Dilute with plenty of water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Neutralize with diluted sodium hydroxide solution or by throwing on lime sand, lime or sodium carbonate.
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, universal binders).
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
- **Reference to other sections**
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

- **Precautions for safe handling**
- **Advice on safe handling:** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
- **Hygiene measures:**
The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

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Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**
Store in a cool location.
Keep only in original container.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Store away from metals.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Protect from heat and direct sunlight.
Protect from exposure to the light.
Protect from humidity and water.
- **Recommended storage temperature:** 20°C +/- 5°C (approx. 68°F)
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

* 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Control parameters**

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

CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid

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| PEL (USA) | Ceiling limit value: 7 mg/m ³ , 5 ppm |
| REL (USA) | Ceiling limit value: 7 mg/m ³ , 5 ppm |
| TLV (USA) | Ceiling limit value: 2 ppm A4 |
| EL (Canada) | Ceiling limit value: 2 ppm |
| EV (Canada) | Ceiling limit value: 2 ppm |

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Engineering measures:**
Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.
See item 7.
- **Personal protective equipment:**
Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled.
- **Breathing equipment:** Use respiratory protective device against the effects of fume/dust/aerosol.
- **Recommended filter device for short term use:** Filter E
- **Protection of hands:**
Preventive skin protection by use of skin-protecting agents is recommended.
After use of gloves apply skin-cleaning agents and skin cosmetics.
- **Material of gloves**
Nitrile rubber, NBR
Recommended thickness of the material: ≥ 0.11 mm
- **Penetration time of glove material**
Value for the permeation: Level ≤ 1 (10 min)
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:**
Safety glasses
use against the effects of fumes / dust
Use protective goggles that have been tested and approved in accordance with government standards (like NIOSH).
- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing
- **Limitation and supervision of exposure into the environment:**
Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.

* 9 Physical and chemical properties

- **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **Appearance:**
- **Form / Physical state:** Liquid
- **Color:** Colorless

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| · Odor: | Odorless |
| · Odor threshold: | Not applicable. |
| · pH-value: | < 2 Strongly acidic |
| · Melting point/freezing point: | Not determined. |
| · Initial boiling point and boiling range: | 100°C (212°F) (CAS: 7732-18-5 water) |
| · Flash point: | Not applicable. |
| · Flammability (solid, gas): | The product is not combustible. |
| · Auto igniting: | Not applicable. |
| · Decomposition temperature: | Not determined. |
| · Auto-ignition temperature: | Product is not self-igniting. |
| · Danger of explosion: | Product does not present an explosion hazard. |
| · Flammability or explosive limits: | |
| Lower: | Not applicable. |
| Upper: | Not applicable. |
| · Oxidizing properties: | none |
| · Vapor Pressure: | Not determined. |
| · Density at 20°C (68°F): | 1 g/cm ³ (8.35 lbs/gal) |
| · Relative density: | Not determined. |
| · Vapor density: | Not determined. |
| · Evaporation rate: | Not determined. |
| · Solubility(ies) | |
| · Water: | Fully miscible. |
| · Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): | Not applicable (mixture). |
| · Viscosity: | |
| · Kinematic: | Not determined. |
| · Other information | |
| · Solids content: | 0 % |
| · Solvent content: | |
| · Organic solvents: | 0 % |
| · Water: | > 95 % |
| · Information with regard to physical hazard classes | |
| · Corrosive to metals | May be corrosive to metals. Information on incompatible materials can be found in Sections 7 and 10. |

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** see section "Possibility of hazardous reactions"
- **Chemical stability** Stable at ambient temperature (room temperature).
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions**
Corrosive action on metals.
Reacts with metals forming hydrogen (Danger of explosion in case of large amounts!)
Reacts with alkali (lyes).
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** metals
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** see section 5

*11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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

CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid

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| Inhalative | LC50 | 3124 ppm / 1h (rat) (RTECS,V, pure) |
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **on the eye:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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| · Information on components: | | |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid | | |
| Irritation of skin | OECD 404 | (rabbit: burns) |
| Irritation of eyes | OECD 492 | (rabbit: burns) |

· **Sensitization:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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| · Information on components: | | |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid | | |
| Sensitization | OECD 406 | (negative) (EPA OPP 81-6: Guinea pig maximisation test) |

· **Carcinogenic categories**

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| · IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) | | |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 | hydrochloric acid | 3 |

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| · NTP (National Toxicology Program) | | |
| None of the ingredients is listed. | | |

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| · OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration) | | |
| None of the ingredients is listed. | | |

· **Other information:** see section 8 / 15

· **Synergistic Products:** None

· **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction):** The following statements refer to the mixture:

· **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **STOT (specific target organ toxicity) -single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **STOT (specific target organ toxicity) -repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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| · Additional toxicological information: | | |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid | | |
| <p>(source: GESTIS)</p> <p>Main toxic effects</p> <p>Acute: Irritation and corrosion to the eyes, airways and skin, danger of severe damage to the eyes and lungs, following ingestion, concentration-dependent damage to the gastrointestinal tract</p> <p>Chronic: Airway diseases, damage to the teeth, gastrointestinal disorders</p> <p>Further Information:</p> <p>The acute action of hydrochloric acid is based on the locally damaging effects on contacted tissues which are primarily dependent on the concentration. Following repeated contact with the skin, even diluted hydrochloric acid can cause skin damage (reddening, drying, fissures, dermatitis). The critical effect following repeated inhalative exposure is irritation to the respiratory tract.</p> | | |

12 Ecological information

· **Toxicity**

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| · Aquatic toxicity: | | |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid | | |
| EC50 | 20.5 mg/l/96h (bluegill) (OECD 203) (Merck) | |

· **Other information:**

Toxic for fish:

HCl > 25 mg/l

· **Persistence and degradability .**

· **Other information:**

Mixture of inorganic compounds.

Methods for the determination of biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

· **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

· **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.

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Other adverse effects

Harmful effect due to pH shift.
Forms corrosive mixtures with water even if diluted.
Neutralization possible in waste water treatment plants.
Avoid transfer into the environment.

13 Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Recommendation:



Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
Hand over to hazardous waste disposers.

Uncleaned packagings:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Recommended cleansing agent: Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

*14 Transport information

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · UN-Number · DOT, IMDG, IATA | UN1789 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · UN proper shipping name · DOT · IMDG, IATA | Hydrochloric acid solution HYDROCHLORIC ACID solution |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transport hazard class(es) · DOT | <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>CORROSIVE 8</p> </div> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Class · Label | 8 Corrosive substances 8 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · IMDG, IATA | <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>8</p> </div> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Class · Label | 8 Corrosive substances 8 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Packing group · DOT, IMDG, IATA | III |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Environmental hazards: | Not applicable. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Special precautions for user · Hazard identification number (Kemler code): · EMS Number: · Segregation groups · Stowage Category · Segregation Code | Warning: Corrosive substances 80 F-A,S-B (SGG1a) Strong acids E SG36 Stow "separated from" SGG18-alkalis. SG49 Stow "separated from" SGG6-cyanides |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transport/Additional information: · DOT · Quantity limitations | On passenger aircraft/rail: 5 L On cargo aircraft only: 60 L |

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · IMDG · Limited quantities (LQ) · Excepted quantities (EQ) | 5L Code: E1 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml |
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* 15 Regulatory information

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture · Sara |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Section 355 (Extremely hazardous substances): |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings): |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act): |
| All components have the value ACTIVE. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Hazardous Air Pollutants |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Proposition 65 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Chemicals known to cause cancer: |
| None of the ingredients is listed. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females: |
| None of the ingredients is listed. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males: |
| None of the ingredients is listed. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity: |
| None of the ingredients is listed. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · New Jersey Right-to-Know List: |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · New Jersey Special Hazardous Substance List: |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid |
| CO, R1 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Pennsylvania Right-to-Know List: |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Pennsylvania Special Hazardous Substance List: |
| CAS: 7647-01-0 hydrochloric acid |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) |
| None of the ingredients is listed. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health) |
| None of the ingredients is listed. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Information about limitation of use: Not required. · Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out. |

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**

H290 May be corrosive to metals.
 H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

OECD: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
 STOT: specific target organ toxicity
 SE: single exposure
 RE: repeated exposure
 EC50: half maximal effective concentration
 IC50: half maximal inhibitory concentration
 NOEL or NOEC: No Observed Effect Level or Concentration
 ACGIH[®] - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
 •A1 - Confirmed human carcinogen
 •A2 - Suspected human carcinogen
 •A3 - Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to humans
 •A4 - Not classifiable as a human carcinogen
 •A5 - Not suspected as a human carcinogen
 IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer
 •Group 1 - Carcinogenic to humans
 •Group 2A - Probably carcinogenic to humans
 •Group 2B - Possibly carcinogenic to humans
 •Group 3 - Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans
 •Group 4 - Probably not carcinogenic to humans
 NTP - National Toxicology Program, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
 •Group K - Known to be Human Carcinogens
 •Group R - Reasonably Anticipated to be Human Carcinogens
 IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
 DOT: US Department of Transportation
 IATA: International Air Transport Association
 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)
 LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
 LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
 NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety
 OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health
 TLV: Threshold Limit Value
 PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit
 REL: Recommended Exposure Limit
 Corrosive to Metals 1: Corrosive to metals – Category 1
 Skin Corrosion 1B: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1B
 Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3

Sources

Data arise from safety data sheets, reference works and literature.
 RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)
 GESTIS- Stoffdatenbank (Substance Database, Germany)

• *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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