

Shanghai Aladdin Biochemical Technology Co., Ltd.  
No. 809, Chuhua Branch Road, Fengxian District, Shanghai

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Gold chloride trihydrate  
Product Number : G141105  
Brand : aladdin  
CAS-No. : 16961-25-4

### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances.

### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Shanghai Aladdin Biochemical Tech Co., Ltd  
Address : 36 Xinjinqiao Road, Shanghai  
Telephone : 400-620-6333  
Fax : no data available

### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone : 0532-83889090

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram : no data available  
Signal word : no data available  
Hazard statement(s)  
Precautionary statement(s)

### 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : Tetrachloroauric(III) acid trihydrate; Gold(III) chloride trihydrate; Hydrogen tetrachloroaurate(III) trihydrate  
Formula :  $\text{HAuCl}_4 \cdot 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$

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Molecular weight : 393.83  
CAS No. : 16961-25-4  
EC-NO. : 240-948-4

Component	Classification	Concentration
Gold chloride trihydrate	no data available	≥99.9% trace metals basis

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

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

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital.

#### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

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

### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

no data available

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Water, Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Dry powder

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media

no data available

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Decomposes on heating to chlorine gas, hydrogen chloride and metallic gold

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

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Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

The product itself does not burn.

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### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

#### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. For precautions see section 2.2.

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Moisture sensitive. Light sensitive.

#### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

no data available

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### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1 Control parameters

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate

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government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching gloves outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure

no data available

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance	no data available
b) Odour	no data available
c) Odour Threshold	no data available
d) pH	no data available
e) Melting point/freezing point	no data available
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	no data available
g) Flash point	no data available
h) Evaporation rate	no data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	no data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	no data available
k) Vapour pressure	no data available
l) Vapour density	no data available
m) Relative density	no data available
n) Water solubility	no data available
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	no data available
p) Auto-ignition temperature	no data available
q) Decomposition temperature	no data available
r) Viscosity	no data available
s) Explosive properties N	no data available
t) Oxidizing properties N	no data available

### 9.2 Other safety information

no data available

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

no data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

no data available

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

no data available

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

Carcinogenicity

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Reproductive toxicity

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

no data available

Aspiration hazard

no data available

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Additional Information  
no data available

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

no data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

no data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

no data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

no data available

## SECTION 13:

### 13.1 Disposal considerations

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US)

UN number: 3260

Packing group: II

Class: 8

Proper shipping name: Corrosive solid, Reportable Quantity(RQ): no data  
acidic, inorganic, n.o.s. (Tetrachloroauric available  
acid trihydrate)

Poison Inhalation Hazard: no data  
available

Environmental Hazards: No

IMDG

UN number: 3260

Packing group: II

EMS-No: no data available

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Proper shipping name: Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.(Tetrachloroauric acid trihydrate)

IATA

UN number: 3260

Packing group: II

Class: 8

Proper shipping name: Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.(Tetrachloroauric acid trihydrate)

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

## SECTION 16: Other information

Further information

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