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# 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 : Tetrafluoroboric acid  
Product Number : T110577  
Brand : aladdin  
CAS-No. : 16872-11-0

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances.

### 1.3 Company

Company : ALADDIN SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION  
Address : 14078 Meridian Parkway,  
Riverside, CA. 92518  
Telephone : +1 (833) 552-7181  
Fax : no data available

### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA : 1-800-424-9300  
CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA :

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)  
Skin corrosion (Sub-category 1B), H314

Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H314

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Precautionary statement(s)

P264

Wash hands [and ...] thoroughly after handling.

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P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
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.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

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

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2 Mixtures

Synonyms	:	Fluoboric acid Hydrogen tetrafluoroborate
Formula	:	HBF4
Molecular weight	:	87.81

Component	Classification	Concentration
<b>Tetrafluoroboric acid</b>		
CAS-No. : 16872-11-0	Skin Corr. 1B; Eye Dam. 1; H314, H318 Corr. 1B, H314; 10 - < 25 %: Skin Irrit. 2, H315; 10 - < 25 %: Eye Irrit. 2, H319;	Concentration limits: >= 25 %: Skin >= 50 - < 70 %
EC-No. : 240-898-3		

## 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.

If inhaled

Move the victim into fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration and consult a doctor immediately. Do not use mouth to mouth resuscitation if the victim ingested or inhaled the chemical.

In case of skin contact

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

In case of eye contact

Rinse with pure water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a doctor.

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If swallowed

Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a doctor or Poison Control Center immediately.

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

no data available

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

no data available

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### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### **5.1 Extinguishing media**

Suitable extinguishing media

Use dry chemical, carbon dioxide or alcohol-resistant foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

no data available

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

Hydrogen fluoride, Borane/boron oxides

#### **5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### **5.4 Further information**

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

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

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

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing mist, gas or vapours. Avoid contacting with skin and eye. Use personal protective equipment. Wear chemical impermeable gloves. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

#### **6.2 Environmental precautions**

Prevent further spillage or leakage if it is safe to do so. Do not let the chemical enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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

Collect and arrange disposal. Keep the chemical in suitable and closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Adhered or collected material should be promptly disposed of, in accordance with appropriate laws and regulations.

#### **6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Handling in a well ventilated place. Wear suitable protective clothing. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Use non-sparking tools. Prevent fire caused by electrostatic discharge steam.

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

Store the container tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store apart from foodstuff containers or incompatible materials.

### 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 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 glove's 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. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of Regulation (EU)2016/425 and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing., 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 fullface 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).

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Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance	form: Liquid color: Colourless Transparent
b) Odour	no data available
c) Odour Threshold	no data available
d) pH	no data available
e) Melting point/freezing point	-90°C
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	130°C
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	1.4
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

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

no data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

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Reacts dangerously with glass.

## 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong bases/glass

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

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 data available

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

Additional Information

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea Fluoride ion can reduce serum calcium levels possibly causing fatal hypocalcemia.

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

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**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

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**SECTION 13:****13.1 Disposal considerations**

Product

Recycle to process, if possible. Consult your local regional authorities and an expert of disposal. You may be able to dissolve or mix material with a combustible solvent and little by little burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber system. If a large amount of the substance is burned at a time, an explosion may occur.

Observe all federal, state and local regulations when disposing of the substance.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

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**SECTION 14: Transport information**

DOT (US)

UN number: 1775

Packing group: II

Class: 8

Proper shipping name: FLUOROBORIC  
ACIDReportable Quantity(RQ): no data  
availablePoison Inhalation Hazard: no data  
available

Environmental Hazards: no

IMDG

UN number: 1775

Packing group: II

EMS-No: no data available

Proper shipping name: FLUOROBORIC ACID

IATA

UN number: 1775

Packing group: II

Class: 8

Proper shipping name: FLUOROBORIC ACID

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**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

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## SECTION 16: Other information

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