

Safety data sheet
according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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

· **1.1 Product identifier**

· **Trade name:** Rhodiumbad DK-S (mit 20 - 50 g/l Rh)
Rhodium bath DK-S (with 20 - 50 g/l Rh)

· **Article number:**

81010229 = 1,0 g Rh/ 50ml (20g Rh/l)
86914900 = 1,5 g Rh/ 30ml (50g Rh/l)
86914920 = 2,0 g Rh/ 100ml (20g Rh/l)
86914915 = 2,5 g Rh/ 100ml (25g Rh/l)
86914940 = 5,0 g Rh/ 100ml (50g Rh/l)
86914960 = 50,0 g Rh/l

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

Not approved for private consumers.

· **Application of the substance / the mixture** Galvanic bath

· **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

· **Manufacturer/Supplier:**

Heimerle + Meule GmbH
Dennigstrasse 16
D-75179 Pforzheim

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www.heimerle-meule.com

· **Further information obtainable from:**

Abteilung BASU - Bau/Arbeitssicherheit/Umwelt
Department BASU - Construction / Occupational Safety / Environment
sds@heimerle-meule.com

IATA - 24h Emergency Contact - IATA - 24h Emergency Contact -
(Dangerous goods emergency number)
+49 172 739 6970

· **1.4 Emergency telephone number:**

DEUTSCHLAND - GERMANY:

Vergiftungs-Informations-Zentrale Freiburg, ++49 761 19240 (24 h)
(Poisoning Information Center)

GREAT BRITAIN:

National Poisons Information Service +44 121 507 4123
Members of the public seeking specific information on poisons should contact:
In England and Wales: NHS 111 - dial 111 - In Scotland: NHS 24 - dial 111

ITALY:

Istituto Superiore di Sanità +3906499906140

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture
- Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



health hazard

Muta. 2 H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.



corrosion

Skin Corr. 1A H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.

- 2.2 Label elements
- Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
- The product is classified and labelled according to the GB CLP regulation.
- Hazard pictograms



GHS05



GHS08

- Signal word *Danger*
- Hazard-determining components of labelling:
sulphuric acid
Dirhodiumtrisulphate
- Hazard statements
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.

- Precautionary statements

P260 Do not breathe dusts or mists.

P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

- 2.3 Other hazards
- Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
- PBT: Not applicable.
- vPvB: Not applicable.

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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

- **3.2 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures**
- **Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

- **Dangerous components / Information on ingredients:**

| | | |
|--|---|----------|
| CAS: 7664-93-9 EINECS: 231-639-5 Index number: 016-020-00-8 Reg.nr.: 01-2119453338-20 | sulphuric acid; sulfuric acid ----- ☠ Met. Corr. 1, H290; Skin Corr. 1A, H314 ----- Specific concentration limits: Skin Corr. 1A; H314: C ≥ 15 % Skin Irrit. 2; H315: 5 % ≤ C < 15 % Eye Irrit. 2; H319: 5 % ≤ C < 15 % | ≥15–≤25% |
| CAS: 10489-46-0 EINECS: 234-014-5 | Dirhodiumtrisulphate ----- ☠ Muta. 2, H341 ----- ☠ Met. Corr. 1, H290; Skin Corr. 1A, H314; Eye Dam. 1, H318 | 7–10% |

- **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

- **4.1 Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:**
 - Personal protection for the First Aider.
 - Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- **After inhalation:** In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.
- **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:**
 - Do not induce vomiting; call for medical help immediately.
 - Drink plenty of water and provide fresh air. Call for a doctor immediately.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazards** Danger of gastric perforation.
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
Under certain fire conditions, traces of other toxic gases cannot be excluded, e.g.:
Sulphur dioxide (SO₂)
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:**



Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Use neutralising agent.
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**
When diluting always pour product into water and not vice versa.
Keep receptacles tightly sealed.
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Open and handle receptacle with care.
The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.
Prevent formation of aerosols.
Wear suitable respiratory protective device when decanting larger quantities without extractor facilities.
Do not dry clean dust covered objects and floors. Wash thoroughly with plenty of water.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**
Observe official regulations on storing packagings .
Observe official regulations on storing packagings .
Prevent any seepage into the ground.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Store away from foodstuffs.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Keep container tightly sealed.
Store under lock and key and out of the reach of children.
- **Storage class:** 8 B
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.

· **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

CAS: 7664-93-9 sulphuric acid

| | |
|------------------------|---|
| WEL (Great Britain) | Long-term value: 0.05* mg/m ³ *mist: defined as thoracic fraction |
| IOELV (European Union) | Long-term value: 0.05 mg/m ³ |
| AGW (Germany) | Long-term value: 0.1 E mg/m ³ I(I);DFG, EU, Y |

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- **Regulatory information**

WEL (Great Britain): EH40/2020

IOELV (European Union): (EU) 2019/1831

AGW (Germany): TRGS 900

- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

- **8.2 Exposure controls**

- **Personal protective equipment:**

- **General protective and hygienic measures:**

The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

- **Respiratory protection:**

Not necessary if room is well-ventilated.

Short term filter device:

Combinationfilter ABEK-P3

Beware: Filter masks provide protection for a short period of time only. They should only be used in exceptional cases, that is if a small amount of the substance has spilled out or in order to fight spillages and fire.

- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

- **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- **Not suitable are gloves made of the following materials:** Leather gloves

- **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

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SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

· **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

| | |
|---------------------------|--------------------|
| · Form: | Fluid |
| · Colour: | Dark orange colour |
| · Odour: | Product specific |
| · Odour threshold: | Not determined. |

· **pH-value at 20°C (68°F):** 1

· **Change in condition**

| | |
|---|---------------|
| · Melting point/freezing point: | Undetermined. |
| · Initial boiling point and boiling range: | 100°C (212°F) |

· **Flash point:** Not applicable.

· **Flammability (solid, gas):** Not applicable.

· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

· **Auto-ignition temperature:** Product is not selfigniting.

· **Explosive properties:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· **Explosion limits:**

| | |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| · Lower: | Not determined. |
| · Upper: | Not determined. |

· **Vapour pressure:** Not determined.

· **Density:** Not determined.

· **Relative density** Not determined.

· **Vapour density** Not determined.

· **Evaporation rate** Not determined.

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with water:** Fully miscible.

· **Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:** Not determined.

· **Viscosity:**

| | |
|---------------------|-----------------|
| · Dynamic: | Not determined. |
| · Kinematic: | Not determined. |

· **Solvent content:**

· **Organic solvents:** 0.0 %

· **9.2 Other information** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

· **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.

· **10.2 Chemical stability**

· **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.

· **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** Reacts with light alloys to form hydrogen.

· **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.

· **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.

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· **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

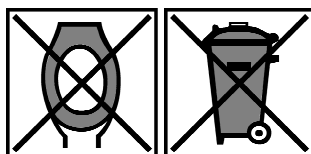
- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**
Causes serious eye damage.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell mutagenicity**
Suspected of causing genetic defects.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment** Not applicable.
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**



Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

Contact manufacturer for recycling information.

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- **Waste disposal key:**
The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:**
Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
Packaging which is uncleaned or soiled with product remains is to be treated like the product itself
Packaging free of product remains is to be supplied refuse for recycling. Only if no adequate collecting system is available, they may be disposed of through the domestic rubbish
- **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

SECTION 14: Transport information

| | |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.1 UN-Number · ADR, IMDG, IATA | UN3264 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.2 UN proper shipping name · ADR · IMDG, IATA | UN3264 CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (SULPHURIC ACID, Dirhodiumtrisulphate) CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (SULPHURIC ACID, Dirhodiumtrisulphate) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) · ADR, IMDG, IATA <div style="text-align: center; margin: 10px 0;">  </div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Class · Label | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Class · Label 8 Corrosive substances. 8 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.4 Packing group · ADR, IMDG, IATA | II |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.5 Environmental hazards: · Marine pollutant: | No |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.6 Special precautions for user · Hazard identification number (Kemler code): · EMS Number: · Segregation groups · Stowage Category · Stowage Code | Warning: Corrosive substances. 80 F-A,S-B Acids B SW2 Clear of living quarters. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transport/Additional information: <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · ADR · Limited quantities (LQ) · Excepted quantities (EQ) | |
| IL Code: E2 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml | |

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| · Transport category | 2 |
| · IMDG | |
| · Limited quantities (LQ) | 1L |
| · Excepted quantities (EQ) | Code: E2 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml |
| · IATA | |
| · Remarks: | 24h emergency contact - (Dangerous goods emergency number) +49 172 739 6970 |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | UN 3264 CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N . O . S . (S U L P H U R I C A C I D , DIRHODIUMTRISULPHATE), 8, II |

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

· **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

COUNCIL DIRECTIVE 98/24/EC of 7 April 1998 on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work (fourteenth individual Directive within the meaning of Article 16(1) of Directive 89/391/EEC)

DIRECTIVE 2012/18/EU OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 4 July 2012 on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances, amending and subsequently repealing Council Directive 96/82/EC

· **GADSL - Global Automotive Declarable Substance List**

| | | |
|----------------|--------------------|-------|
| CAS: 7487-88-9 | magnesium sulphate | D(FI) |
|----------------|--------------------|-------|

· **National regulations:**

· **Waterhazard class:**

· **Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations -**

· **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 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.

· **Reasons for revise**

If necessary, this safety data sheet can be revised according to legal guidelines.

Our current version for your reference is available on our website
www.heimerle-meule.com

· **Relevant phrases**

H290 May be corrosive to metals.
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318 Causes serious eye damage.
H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.

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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

AwSV: Ordinance on facilities for handling water-polluting substances (German regulation).
TRGS: Technical rules for hazardous substances (German regulation)
ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
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)
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
Met. Corr. 1: Corrosive to metals – Category 1
Skin Corr. 1A: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1A
Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1
Muta. 2: Germ cell mutagenicity – Category 2

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