

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 Version 5.6 Revision Date 04.02.2013

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

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Hydrochloric acid 36%

Product Number : 52-7473

Brand : Rapid

Index-No. : 017-002-01-X

REACH No. : A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its uses are exempted from registration, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.

CAS-No. : 7647-01-0

#### 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 : Rapid Electronics,  
Severalls Lane,  
Colchester,  
Essex,  
CO4 5JS, United Kingdom

Telephone : +44 (0) 1206 751166

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#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +44 (0) 1206 751166

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

##### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Skin corrosion (Category 1B), H314

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), H335

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

##### Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

C Corrosive R34

Xi Irritant R37

For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

#### 2.2 Label elements

##### Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Pictogram 

Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)  
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
Precautionary statement(s)	
P261	Avoid breathing vapours.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
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 or doctor/ physician.
Supplemental Hazard Statements	none

**According to European Directive 67/548/EEC as amended.**

Hazard symbol(s) C Corrosive



R-phrase(s)

R34 Causes burns.  
R37 Irritating to respiratory system.

S-phrase(s)

S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.  
S45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

**2.3 Other hazards - none**

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

**3.2 Mixtures**

Formula : HCl  
Molecular Weight : 36.46 g/mol

**Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Component	Classification	Concentration
<b>Hydrochloric acid</b>		
CAS-No. 7647-01-0	Skin Corr. 1B; STOT SE 3; H314, H335	25 - 50 %
EC-No. 231-595-7		
Index-No. 017-002-01-X		

**Hazardous ingredients according to Directive 1999/45/EC**

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For the full text of the H-Statements and R-Phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

**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**

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.

**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

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**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****5.1 Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

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

Hydrogen chloride gas

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**5.3 Advice for firefighters**

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 breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

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**

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. 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 inhalation of vapour or mist.

For precautions see section 2.2.

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

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

**7.3 Specific end use(s)**

A part from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Hydrochloric acid	7647-01-0	TWA	5 ppm 8 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Europe. Commission Directive 2000/39/EC establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values
	Remarks	Indicative		
		STEL	10 ppm 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Europe. Commission Directive 2000/39/EC establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values
		Indicative		
		TWA	1 ppm 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	UK. EH40 WEL - Workplace Exposure Limits
		STEL	5 ppm 8 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	UK. EH40 WEL - Workplace Exposure Limits

### 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

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). 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 EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

##### Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Camatril® (KCL 730 / Aldrich Z677442, Size M)

##### Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 120 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

### 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 respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) 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

Do not let product enter drains.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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| a) Appearance                                   | Form: liquid<br>Colour: light yellow             |
| b) Odour  | pungent  |
| c) Odour Threshold                              | no data available                                |
| d) pH   | no data available                                |
| e) Melting point/freezing point                 | -30 °C   |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | > 100 °C   |
| g) Flash point                                  | not applicable                                   |
| 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                              | 226.636 hPa at 21.1 °C<br>546.596 hPa at 37.7 °C |
| l) Vapour density                               | no data available                                |
| m) Relative density                             | 1.18 g/mL at 25 °C                               |
| n) Water solubility                             | soluble  |
| 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                         | no data available                                |
| t) Oxidizing properties                         | 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

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

## 10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

## 10.5 Incompatible materials

Bases, Amines, Alkali metals, Metals, permanganates, e.g. potassium permanganate, Fluorine, metal acetylides, hexalithium disilicide

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - no data available

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 (Hydrochloric acid)

Inhalation: no data available (Hydrochloric acid)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - rabbit

Result: Causes burns.

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - rabbit (Hydrochloric acid)

Result: Corrosive to eyes

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

no data available (Hydrochloric acid)

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available (Hydrochloric acid)

#### Carcinogenicity

This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification. (Hydrochloric acid)

(Hydrochloric acid)

IARC: 3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans (Hydrochloric acid)

#### Reproductive toxicity

no data available (Hydrochloric acid)

#### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

The substance or mixture is classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure, category 3 with respiratory tract irritation. (Hydrochloric acid)

#### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

no data available

#### Aspiration hazard

no data available (Hydrochloric acid)

#### Additional Information

RTECS: MW4025000

burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin. (Hydrochloric acid)

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**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1 Toxicity**

Toxicity to fish LC50 - *Gambusia affinis* (Mosquito fish) - 282 mg/l - 96 h (Hydrochloric acid)

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

no data available

**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

no data available

**12.4 Mobility in soil**

no data available (Hydrochloric acid)

**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

**12.6 Other adverse effects**

no data available

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**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****13.1 Waste treatment methods****Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

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**SECTION 14: Transport information****14.1 UN number**

ADR/RID: 1789

IMDG: 1789

IATA: 1789

**14.2 UN proper shipping name**

ADR/RID: HYDROCHLORIC ACID

IMDG: HYDROCHLORIC ACID

IATA: Hydrochloric acid

**14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

ADR/RID: 8

IMDG: 8

IATA: 8

**14.4 Packaging group**

ADR/RID: II

IMDG: II

IATA: II

**14.5 Environmental hazards**

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

**14.6 Special precautions for user**

no data available

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**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

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

no data available

**15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment**

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

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**SECTION 16: Other information****Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.**

H314

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H335

May cause respiratory irritation.

Skin Corr.	Skin corrosion
STOT SE	Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

**Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3**

C	Corrosive
R34	Causes burns.
R37	Irritating to respiratory system.

**Further information**

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product.

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