

Material Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification of the substance/preparation and of the company/undertaking

- **Product details**
- **Trade name:** Alu - Cleaner 101
- **Article number:** 15.6101
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** Metal surface treatment
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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2 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization**
- **Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

- **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 7664-38-2 EINECS: 231-633-2	phosphoric acid	 C; R 34	25-50%
CAS: 64-17-5 EINECS: 200-578-6	ethanol	 F; R 11	2.5-10.0%
CAS: 7664-39-3 EINECS: 231-634-8	hydrofluoric acid	 T+,  C; R 26/27/28-35	< 1.0%

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

3 Hazards identification

- **Hazard description:**



C Corrosive

- **Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:**

The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.

R 20/21/22 Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

R 34 Causes burns.

- **Classification system:**

The classification is according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and extended by company and literature data.

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4 First-aid measures

- **General information:**

Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

- **After inhalation:**

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

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.

Call a doctor immediately.

- **After swallowing:**

Call for a doctor immediately.

Drink plenty of water and provide fresh air. Call for a doctor immediately.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**

CO₂, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

- **Protective equipment:**

No special measures required.

Mouth respiratory protective device.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Person-related safety precautions:** Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

- **Measures for environmental protection:**

Dilute with plenty of water.

Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

- **Measures for cleaning/collecting:**

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Use neutralizing agent.

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**

- **Information for safe handling:**

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Prevent formation of aerosols.

- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.

- **Storage:**

- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Provide acid-resistant floor.

- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.

- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep container tightly sealed.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

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

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· Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:	
7664-38-2 phosphoric acid	
OES	Short-term value: 2 mg/m ³ Long-term value: 1 mg/m ³ New, IOELV, Sk
64-17-5 ethanol	
OES	Long-term value: 1920 mg/m ³ , 1000 ppm
7664-39-3 hydrofluoric acid	
OES	Short-term value: 2.5 mg/m ³ , 3 ppm Long-term value: 1.5 mg/m ³ , 1.8 ppm as F; New, IOELV

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

· **Personal protective equipment:**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

· **Respiratory protection:** Not necessary if room is well-ventilated.

· **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.

· **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

Goggles recommended during refilling

· **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

9 Physical and chemical properties

· **General Information**

Form:	Fluid
Colour:	Colourless
Odour:	Recognizable

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| · Change in condition
Melting point/Melting range: Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range: Undetermined. | |
| · Flash point: | Not applicable. |
| · Self-igniting: | Product is not selfigniting. |
| · Danger of explosion: | Product does not present an explosion hazard. |
| · Vapour pressure at 20°C: | 23 hPa |
| · Density at 20°C: | 1.165 g/cm ³ |
| · Solubility in / Miscibility with water: | Fully miscible. |
| · pH-value at 20°C: | 1.5 |
| · Organic solvents: | <5 % |

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Dangerous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Dangerous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

11 Toxicological information

- **Acute toxicity:**

- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**

7664-39-3 hydrofluoric acid

Oral	LD50	1276 mg/kg (rat)
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Caustic effect on skin and mucous membranes.
- **on the eye:** Strong caustic effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:
Harmful
Corrosive
Swallowing will lead to a strong caustic effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach.

12 Ecological information

- **General notes:**

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralized.

Rinse off of bigger amounts into drains or the aquatic environment may lead to decreased pH-values. A low pH-value harms aquatic organisms. In the dilution of the use-level the pH-value is considerably increased, so that after the use of the product the aqueous waste, emptied into drains, is only low water-dangerous.

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13 Disposal considerations

- **Product:**
- **Recommendation**
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

- **European waste catalogue**

06 00 00	WASTES FROM INORGANIC CHEMICAL PROCESSES
06 01 00	wastes from the manufacture, formulation, supply and use (MFSU) of acids
06 01 03	hydrofluoric acid

- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Packaging may be reused or recycled after cleaning.
- **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

- **Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)**



- **ADR/RID class:** 8 Corrosive substances.
- **Danger code (Kemler):** 86
- **UN-Number:** 2922
- **Packaging group:** III
- **Hazard label:** 8+6.1
- **Description of goods:** 2922 CORROSIVE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (HYDROFLUORIC ACID, PHOSPHORIC ACID, LIQUID)

- **Maritime transport IMDG:**



- **IMDG Class:** 8
- **UN Number:** 2922
- **Label:** 8+6.1
- **Packaging group:** III
- **EMS Number:** F-A,S-B
- **Marine pollutant:** No
- **Proper shipping name:** CORROSIVE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (HYDROFLUORIC ACID, PHOSPHORIC ACID, LIQUID)

- **Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:**



- **ICAO/IATA Class:** 8
- **UN/ID Number:** 2922
- **Label:** 8+6.1
- **Packaging group:** III
- **Proper shipping name:** CORROSIVE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (HYDROFLUORIC ACID, PHOSPHORIC ACID, LIQUID)

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15 Regulatory information

· **Labelling according to EU guidelines:**

The product has been classified and marked in accordance with EU Directives / Ordinance on Hazardous Materials.

· **Code letter and hazard designation of product:**

C Corrosive

· **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**

hydrofluoric acid

phosphoric acid

· **Risk phrases:**

20/21/22 Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

34 Causes burns.

· **Safety phrases:**

9 Keep container in a well-ventilated place.

20 When using do not eat or drink.

23 Do not breathe fumes/aerosol.

26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

· **National regulations:**

· **Waterhazard class:** *Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.*

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 R-phrases**

11 Highly flammable.

26/27/28 Very toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

34 Causes burns.

35 Causes severe burns.

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