

LIQUID TIN

421-LIQUID

# Safety Data Sheet

## Section 1: Identification

### Product Identifier and Other Means of Identification

**Product Name:** Liquid Tin**SDS Code:** 421-Liquid**Related Part #** 421-125ML, 421-500ML

### Recommended Use and Restriction on Use

**Use:** Electroless tin plating solution**Uses Advised Against:** Not available

### Details of Manufacturer or Importer

**Manufacturer**

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### Emergency Phone Number

**For hazardous material incidents ONLY**—leaks, spills, fires, exposures or accidentsUSA or CANADA: Call CHEMTREC ☎: **+1-800-424-9300****For emergencies involving dangerous goods**—Collect 24/7CANADA: Call CANUTEC ☎: **+1-613-996-6666** or **\*666** on cellular phones

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**Section 2: Hazards Identification**




**Classification of Hazardous Chemical**

**GHS Categories**

Criteria	Category	Signal Word	Pictograms
Eye Damage	1	Danger	Corrosion
Skin Corrosion	1	Danger	Corrosion
Corrosive to Metals	1	Warning	Corrosion
Reproductive Toxicity	2	Warning	Health
Carcinogenicity	2	Warning	Health
Sensitization	1	Warning	Exclamation
Acute Toxicity	4	Warning	Exclamation

*Note:* The degree of severity is ranked within each hazard class from 1 (Highest Severity) to up to 5 (Lowest Severity), which is opposite to HMIS and NFPA conventions. Severity category rankings do not allow comparisons between classes.

**Label Elements**

<b>Signal Word</b>	<b>DANGER</b>
<b>Pictograms</b>	<b>Hazard Statements</b>
	H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage H290: May be corrosive to metals
	H361: Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child H351: Suspected of causing cancer
	H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction H302: Harmful if swallowed

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<b>Prevention</b>	<b>Precautionary Statements</b>
P102	Keep out of reach of children.
P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P260	Do not breathe spray or mists.
P280	Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection.
P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P234	Keep only in original packaging.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
<b>Response</b>	<b>Precautionary Statements</b>
P310	For all routes of exposure: Immediately call a POISON CENTRE/doctor.
P308 + P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P303 + P361 + 352	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Wash with plenty of water or shower.
P333 + P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical attention.
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P301 + P330 + P331	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
P304 + P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P390	Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.
<b>Storage</b>	<b>Precautionary Statements</b>
P405	Store locked up.
P406	Store in corrosion resistant container with a resistant inner liner.
<b>Disposal</b>	<b>Precautionary Statements</b>
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance to local/regional/international regulations.

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**Hazards Not Otherwise Specified**

Not applicable

**Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients**

CAS #	Chemical Name	%(weight)
16872-11-0	fluoroboric acid	9-11%
13814-97-6	tin fluoroborate	9-11%
62-56-6	thiourea	4-6%

Note: aqueous solution

**Section 4: First-Aid Measures**

<i>Exposure Condition</i>	<i>GHS Code/Symptoms/Precautionary Statements</i>
<b>IF IN EYES</b>	P305 + P351 + P338, P310
<b>Immediate Symptoms</b>	<i>redness, pain, severe irritations/burns</i>
<b>Response</b>	Rinse cautiously with water for at least 60 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTRE/doctor.
<b>IF ON SKIN (or hair)</b>	P303 + P361 + P352, P310, P333 + P313, P363
<b>Immediate Symptoms</b>	<i>redness, rash, pain, severe irritation/burns, blisters</i>
<b>Delayed Symptoms</b>	<i>chemical burn</i>
<b>Response</b>	Take off immediately contaminated clothing. Wash with plenty of water or shower. Immediately call a POISON CENTRE/doctor.  If skin irritation or rash occurs; or if exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.  Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
<b>IF INHALED</b>	P304 + P340, P310, P333 + P313
<b>Immediate Symptoms</b>	<i>cough, irritation of the respiratory track, burning sensation in throat and chest</i>
<b>Delayed Symptoms</b>	<i>chemical burn</i>
<b>Response</b>	Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTRE/doctor.  If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

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<b>IF SWALLOWED</b>	P301 + P330 + P331, P310, P308 + P313
<b>Immediate Symptoms</b>	<i>mouth burns, burning sensation in throat and chest, abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting, shock</i>
<b>Response</b>	Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTRE/doctor. If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

**Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures**

<b>Extinguishing Media</b>	In case of fire: Use extinguish media suitable for surrounding.
<b>Specific Hazards</b>	Will not burn. In a fire, this product can release toxic fumes and gases.
<b>Combustion Products</b>	Produces CO and CO <sub>2</sub> , boron oxides, boron trifluorides, sulfur oxides (SO <sub>x</sub> ), hydrogen fluoride (HF), stannous fluoroborate
<b>Fire-Fighter</b>	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full fire-fighting turn-out gear.

**Section 6: Accidental Release Measures**

<b>Personal Protection</b>	Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.
<b>Precautions for Response</b>	Do not breathe mist/spray. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of extreme heat.
<b>Environmental Precautions</b>	Prevent spill from entering drains and waterways.
<b>Containment Methods</b>	Contain with inert absorbent (such as soil, sand, vermiculite).
<b>Cleaning Methods</b>	Sprinkle inert absorbent compound (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders) onto spill, then sweep into a corrosion resistant (plastic) waste container. Wash spill area with soap and water to remove the last traces of residue.
<b>Disposal Methods</b>	Dispose of spill waste according to Section 13.

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**Section 7: Handling and Storage**

**Prevention**      Keep out of reach of children.

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Do not get in eye, on skin, or on clothing.

Do not breathe mist/spray.

Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product.

Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

**Handling**      Wear protective gloves/clothing/eye protection. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash them before reuse.

Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

**Storage**      Store in corrosion resistant container with a resistant inner liner. Keep tightly closed. Do not store together with strong bases, strong oxidizing agents, or foodstuff.

Store locked up.

**Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

**Substances with Occupational Exposure Limit Values**

Chemical Name	Country	Long Term Exposure Limits (PEL)	Short Term Exposure Limits (STEL)
tin and its inorganic compounds: (tin fluoroborate)	ACGIH	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Not established
	U.S.A. OSHA PEL	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Not established
	Canada AB	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Not established
	Canada BC	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Not established
	Canada ON	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Not established
	Canada QC	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Not established

*Note:* The ACGIH<sup>1</sup>, OSHA (Table Z-1), and Canadian provinces exposure limits were consulted. Limits from by RTECS<sup>2</sup> database and data from suppliers' SDS were also consulted. Short term exposure limits (STEL) are for 15 min and long term permissible exposure limits (PEL) for 8 h.

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**LIQUID TIN****421-LIQUID****Engineering Controls**

**Ventilation** Keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits.

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye protection** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles.

**Recommendation:** Ensure that glasses have side shields for lateral protection.

**Skin Protection** For likely contacts, use of protective gloves in butyl rubber, chloroprene, latex, or other chemically resistant gloves with a minimum thickness of 0.6 mm.

For incidental contacts, use disposable nitrile with a minimum thickness  $\geq 0.1$  mm, or other chemically resistant gloves.

**Respiratory Protection** If exposed to mist or fumes above the exposure limit, wear a suitable respirator meeting local/regional/national guidelines.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Consult your local safety supply store to ensure that your respirator has a NIOSH (U.S.) approved filter cartridges appropriate for the ingredients listed in Section 3. The respirator should be fitted to the employee by a professional.

**General Hygiene Considerations**

Wash hands thoroughly with water and soap after handling.

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**Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid	<b>Lower Flammability Limit</b>	Not available
<b>Appearance</b>	Clear	<b>Upper Flammability Limit</b>	Not available
<b>Odor</b>	Pungent	<b>Vapor Pressure @20 °C</b>	23 hPa [17 mmHg]
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	Not available	<b>Vapor Density</b>	Not available
<b>pH</b>	<1	<b>Specific Gravity @25 °C</b>	1.12
<b>Freezing/Melting Point</b>	Not available	<b>Solubility in Water</b>	Soluble
<b>Boiling Point</b> <sup>a)</sup>	>100 °C [>212 °F]	<b>Partition Coefficient</b>	Not available
<b>Flash Point</b> <sup>b)</sup>	>93 °C [>200 °F]	<b>Auto-ignition Temperature</b>	Not available
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	Not available	<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	Not available
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not available	<b>Viscosity @40 °C</b>	Not available

a) Based on water component

b) Value based on minor thiorea organic component

**Section 10: Stability and Reactivity**

<b>Reactivity</b>	Not available.
<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Chemically stable at normal temperatures and pressures
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Formation of mist or dust, and temperatures above 140 °C [284 °F].
<b>Incompatibilities</b>	Avoid strong bases, strong oxidizing agents, and water incompatible substances like alkali or alkali earth metals.
<b>Polymerization</b>	Will not occur
<b>Decomposition</b>	Will not decompose under normal conditions. For thermal decomposition, see combustion products in Section 5.



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**Section 11: Toxicological Information**

**Routes of Exposure**

Eye contact, Skin contact, Ingestion, Inhalation

**Symptoms Summary**

- Eyes**                    May cause redness, pain, and severe irritations/burns.
- Skin**                     May causes severe skin irritation, allergic skin reaction, pain, chemical burns, and blisters.
- Inhalation**            May cause cough and upper respiratory tract irritation (nose, throat and lung) and burning sensations.  
  
                                   May cause delayed difficulty breathing due to pulmonary adema (excess fluid in lungs).  
  
                                   Overexposure to dust or metal fumes may lead to a pneumoconiosis (or Stannosis).
- Ingestion**             May cause burns to the mouth, esophagus, stomache. May cause nausea, vomiting, and shock.
- Chronic**                Prolonged and repeated exposure may lead to skin sensitization.  
  
                                   Ingestion or inhalation may have reproductive, developmental, and carcinogenic effects.

**Acute Toxicity (Lethal Exposure Concentrations)**

<b>Chemical Name</b>	<b>LD50 oral</b>	<b>LD50 dermal</b>	<b>LC50 inhalation</b>
fluoroboric acid	100 mg/kg Rat	Not available	Not available
tin fluoroborate	130 mg/kg Rat <sup>a)</sup>	>2 000 mg/kg Rabbit <sup>a)</sup>	Not available
thiourea	>2 000 mg/kg Rat <sup>a)</sup>	>2 000 mg/kg Rabbit <sup>a)</sup>	Not available

*Note:* Toxicity data from the RTECS<sup>2</sup> and ECHA databases were consulted. The data from supplier (M)SDS were also consulted.

a) Toxicity data reported by ECHA registrants

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**LIQUID TIN****421-LIQUID****Other Toxicological Effects**

<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Causes severe skin burns or irritation.
<b>Serious eye damage/irritation</b>	Causes serious eye damage or irritation.
<b>Sensitization</b> (allergic reactions)	Tin fluoroborate [CAS# 13814-97-6] is a known skin sensitizer.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b> (risk of cancer)	Thiourea is classified as a possible carcinogen based on animal studies and North American regulatory guidelines. <b>Thiourea[CAS# 62-56-6]</b> IARC Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans ACGIH A3: Confirmed Animal Carcinogen with Unknown Relevance to Humans CA Prop 65: Listed as Carninogen NTP: Reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen
<b>Mutagenicity</b> (risk of heritable genetic effects)	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Reproductive Toxicity</b> (risk to sex functions)	Thiourea is believed to decrease fertility in males and females based on animal studies.
<b>Teratogenicity</b> (risk of fetus malformation)	Thiourea may presents a developmental hazard based on animal studies.
<b>STOT-single exposure</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>STOT-repeated exposure</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. This product doesn't contain any Cat 1 ingredients.

**LIQUID TIN****421-LIQUID****Section 12: Ecological Information**

Ecological classifications are based on the IMDG/GHS criteria in conjunction with ecotoxicological data from our suppliers, the European Chemical Agency database (<http://echa.europa.eu>), and other reliable sources.

Water, fluoroboric acid, and tin fluoroborate have low ecotoxicity effect or data is not available.

**Acute Ecotoxicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Chronic Ecotoxicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Biodegradability**

Non biodegradable.

**Other Effects**

Not available

**Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

Dispose of contents in accordance with all local, regional, national, and international regulations.

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**Section 14: Transport Information**

**Ground**

**Refer to TDG regulations** (Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods regulations);  
**USA DOT 49 CFR** (Parts 100 to 185) **Regulations.**

Sizes 1 L and under

**Limited Quantity**



Sizes greater than 1 L

**UN number:** UN1775  
**Shipping Name:**  
FLUOROBORIC ACID  
**Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Marine Pollutant:** No



**Air**

**Refer to ICAO-IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations.**

Sizes 0.5 L and under

**Limited Quantity**

Max. Net Qty/Pkg  
0.5 L



Sizes greater than 0.5 to 1 L

**UN number:** UN1775  
**Shipping Name:**  
FLUOROBORIC ACID  
**Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Marine Pollutant:** No



Packing Instr. Y840

Packing Instr. 851 (Max Net Qty: 1 L).

**NOTE:** Do NOT ship cargo since the product will freeze and be damaged below 0 °C.

**Sea**

**Refer to IMDG regulations.**

Sizes 1 L and under

**Limited Quantity**



Sizes greater than 1 L

**UN number:** UN1775  
**Shipping Name:**  
FLUOROBORIC ACID  
**Class:** 8  
**Packing Group:** II  
**Marine Pollutant:** No



**Note:** Shipper must be appropriately trained and certified before involvement with the transport of dangerous goods.

**LIQUID TIN****421-LIQUID****Section 15: Regulatory Information****Canada****Domestic Substance List (DSL) / Non-Domestic Substance Lists (NDSL)**

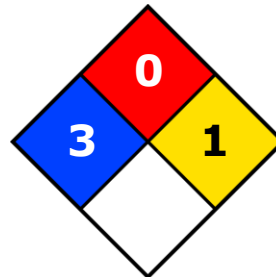
All hazardous ingredients are listed on the DSL/NDSL.

**Industry and Science Canada**

MG Labels products intended for the workplace to conform to WHMIS labeling regulations. Product identification, net quantity declaration, minimum printing type size heights, and packaging of this product are in compliance.

**USA****Other Classifications****HMIS® RATING**

<b>HEALTH:</b>	<b>* 3</b>
<b>FLAMMABILITY:</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>PHYSICAL HAZARD:</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>PERSONAL PROTECTION:</b>	

**NFPA® 704 CODES**

*Approximate HMIS and NFPA Risk Ratings Legend:*

0 (Low or none); 1 (Slight); 2 (Moderate); 3 (Serious); 4 (Severe)

**CAA** (Clean Air Act, USA)

This product does not contain any class 1 ozone depleting substances.

This product does not contain any class 2 ozone depleting substances.

This product does not contain substances that are listed as hazardous air pollutants.

**EPCRA** (Emergency Planning and Right to Know Act, USA, 40 CFR 372.45)

This product contains thiourea (CAS# 7439-92-1; reportable quantity = 10 lb), which is subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 Title III of the SARA of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372.

**TSCA** (Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976, USA)

All substances are TSCA listed.

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**LIQUID TIN****421-LIQUID**

**California Proposition 65** (Chemicals known to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity, Sept 2, 2011 revision, USA).

This product contain thiourea, which is listed as a carcinogen.

**Europe**

**RoHS** (Restriction of Hazardous Substances Directive)

This product does not contain any lead, cadmium, mercury, hexavalent chromium, PBB's, or PBDE's, and complies with European RoHS regulations.

**WEEE** (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment Directive)

This product is subject to the WEEE regulation.

**Section 16: Other Information**

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**Reference**

- 1) ACGIH 2013 TLVs and BEIs: Based on the documentation of the threshold limit values for chemical substances and physical agents & biological exposure indices, American Conference of Governmental of Industrial Hygienist Cincinnati, OH (2013).
- 2) All toxicological data were checked against the RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances®)

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**LIQUID TIN****421-LIQUID****Abbreviations**

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)
EC50	Half maximal effective concentration
EL50	Half maximal effective loading
NOELR	No observable effect loading ratio
GHS	Globally Harmonized System of Classification of Labeling of Chemicals
LC50	Lethal Concentration 50%
LCLo	Lowest published lethal concentration
LD50	Lethal Dose 50%
PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
STEL	Short-Term Exposure Limit
TCLo	Lowest published toxic concentration
TWA	Time Weighted Average
VOC	Volatile Organic Content

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