

## Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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To comply with European CLP Regulation 1272/2008, US 29CFR 1910.1200 OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard, and Australian NOHSC: 1008 [2004] and ADG Code 7.4

### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**PRODUCT NAME:** Gallium  
**SYNONYMS:**  
**PART NUMBERS:** GA100-10G, GA100-50G, GA100-100G, GA100-500G, GA100-1000G

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**PRODUCT USE:** Electronic circuits, semiconductors, LEDs, creating low melting point alloys.

### 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Classified in accordance with European CLP Regulation 1272/2008

Corrosive to metals: Category 1  
 Acute oral toxicity: Category 4

**CHEMICAL NAME:** Gallium  
**CHEMICAL FAMILY:**  
**CHEMICAL FORMULA:** Ga

**ROUTES OF ENTRY:** Inhalation, Ingestion, Skin/Eye Contact

**TARGET ORGANS:** NA

**GHS/CLP:**



Signal Word: Warning

**GHS/CLP LABEL ELEMENTS:**

Hazard statement(s)

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H332	Harmful if inhaled.
H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statement(s)

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.
P233	Keep container tightly closed.
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapor/spray.
P262	Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product.
P271	Use in a well-ventilated area.

P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P284	In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.
P301/P330/P331/P310	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/Doctor.
P303/P361/P352/P333/P313	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Wash with soap & water. Get medical advice/attention if skin irritation or rash occurs or if you feel unwell.
P304/P340/312	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
P305/P351/338/P310	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call POISON CENTER/Doctor.
P308/P313	IF EXPOSED OR CONCERNED: Get medical advice/attention.
P342/P311	IF EXPERIENCING RESPIRATORY SYMPTOMS: Call POISON CENTER/Doctor.
P362	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P391	Collect spillage.
P402/P404	Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**OTHER HAZARDS:**

None known.

**SECTION 2 NOTES:**

Chip Quik Inc. does not recommend, manufacture, market, or endorse any of its products for human consumption.

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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Hazardous Ingredients <sup>(1)</sup>	C.A.S. Number	Weight Percent	OSHA PEL mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH TLV TWA mg/m <sup>3</sup>	LD 50 Ingested g/Kg	LD 50 Inhaled g/m <sup>3</sup>
Gallium	7440-55-3	100%				

**SECTION 3 NOTES:**

(1) Per 29 CFR 1910 the mixture has not been tested as a whole. All hazardous components, which comprise 1% of the mixture (0.1% carcinogenic), are listed. Percentages of individual components are not listed as this information is considered a trade secret.

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

**Emergency first aid procedures:**

**EYES:** Flush with plenty of water, contact a physician. If contact lenses can be removed easily, flush eyes without contact lenses.

**SKIN:** Wash affected area with plenty of warm, soapy water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**INGESTION:** Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Do not induce vomiting. Drink large amounts of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person

**INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. Support respiration if required. If not breathing, seek immediate medical attention.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:**

Dry chemical, foam  
Alcohol-resistant foam  
Carbon Dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
Water Spray

**SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Use NIOSH-approved self-contained Breathing Apparatus and full protective clothing if involved in a fire.

**UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** None known.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**PRECAUTIONS AND EQUIPMENT:** Material will flow if heated above melting point.

**ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES:** If material spills or leaks use a spatula to collect and place it in a plastic or glass jar. Remove traces of residue using cloth rags or paper towels. Follow on-site personal protective equipment recommendations.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:** Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage.

**SECTION 6 NOTES:**

See Sections 2, 4, and 7 for additional information.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**HANDLING/STORAGE:** Keep containers tightly closed when not in use. Use care to avoid spills. Avoid inhalation of fumes or dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Store in a closed corrosive resistant container, with corrosive resistant liner, in cool dry place. Wear appropriate personal

protective equipment when working with or handling. Always wash hands thoroughly after handling this product. Dispose of following Federal, State/Provincial, and Local regulations.

**OTHER PRECAUTIONS:** Empty containers may retain product residues in vapor, liquid, and/or solid form. All labeled hazard precautions should be observed.

**WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES:** Cosmetics/Food/Drink/Tobacco should not be consumed or used in work areas. Always wash hands after handling material and before applying or using cosmetics/food/drink/tobacco.

**SECTION 7 NOTES:**

For industrial use only.  
Keep out of reach of children.  
Not for internal consumption.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

**Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006:**

Substance Name	End Use	Exposure Route	Potential Health Effects	Value
NA				

**Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006:**

Substance Name	Environmental Compartment	Value
NA		

Also see section 3.

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Use only with production equipment designed for use with Gallium.

**VENTILATION:** Provide sufficient mechanical (general and/or local exhaust) ventilation to maintain exposure below TLVs.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** A (US: NIOSH; EU: EN 140:1998, EN 14387:2004 A) approved air-purifying respirator with fume/organic chemical cartridge should be worn when airborne concentrations may be exceeded. General and local exhaust ventilation is the preferred means of protection.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Use with appropriate eye protection: Goggles or face shield (EU: EN 166-S 3 9).

**SKIN PROTECTION:** Protective gloves should be worn when the possibility of skin contact exists (EU: EN 374-1:2003).

**PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT:** Work clothes should be worn and laundered in accordance with current standards (US: OSHA).

**WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES:** Cosmetics/Food/Drink/Tobacco should not be consumed or used in areas where solder products may be used. Always wash hands after handling soldering products and before applying or using cosmetics/food/drink/tobacco.

**OTHER:** Maintain eye wash stations in work areas. Avoid the use of contact lenses in high fume areas. Clean protective equipment regularly. Clean up spills immediately.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>APPEARANCE:</b>	Silver Solid
<b>ODOR:</b>	Odorless
<b>ODOR THRESHOLD:</b>	NE
<b>pH as SUPPLIED:</b>	NA
<b>MELTING POINT:</b>	29.76°C
<b>FREEZING POINT:</b>	NA
<b>INITIAL BOILING POINT:</b>	NA
<b>BOILING RANGE:</b>	2400°C
<b>FLASH POINT:</b>	NA
<b>EVAPORATION RATE:</b>	NA
<b>FLAMMABILITY (solid):</b>	NE
<b>UPPER/LOWER FLAMMABILITY:</b>	NE
<b>UPPER/LOWER EXPLOSIVE LIMITS:</b>	NE
<b>VAPOR PRESSURE (mmHg):</b>	NA
<b>VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1):</b>	NA
<b>RELATIVE DENSITY:</b>	2.5
<b>SOLUBILITY IN WATER:</b>	NA
<b>PARTITION COEFFICIENT (n-octanol/water):</b>	NE
<b>AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:</b>	NE
<b>DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE:</b>	NE
<b>VISCOSITY:</b>	NA

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>STABILITY:</b>	Stable under normal conditions, moisture sensitive
<b>CONDITIONS TO AVOID (STABILITY):</b>	Incompatible products (Aluminum). Excess heat. Avoid dust formation. Exposure to moist air or water.
<b>INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIAL TO AVOID):</b>	Oxidizing materials, acids, hydrogen peroxide, bases
<b>HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION/BY-PRODUCTS:</b>	None under normal use conditions
<b>POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS:</b>	None known, based on information available

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure: Skin Contact  
Ingestion  
Eye Contact

ACUTE TOXICITY: NE  
SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION: NE  
SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/IRRITATION: NA  
RESPIRATORY OR SKIN SENSITIZATION: NE  
GERM CELL MUTAGENICITY: NA  
CARCINOGENICITY: NA

OSHA: NA	ACGIH: NA	NTP: NA	IARC: NA
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REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY: NA  
STOT-SINGLE EXPOSURE: NA  
STOT-REPEATED EXPOSURE: NA  
ASPIRATION HAZARD: NA

### SECTION 11 NOTES:

This product has not been tested as a whole to determine its hazards. Synergistic or additive effects of the above chemicals are unknown, as are the effects of exposure to these chemicals in addition to others present in the work place. See Section 2 for additional health hazards.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

TOXICITY: NE  
PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADIBILITY: NE  
BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL: NA

Product/Ingredient Name	LogP <sub>ow</sub>	BCF	Potential
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NA

MOBILITY IN SOIL: NE  
RESULT OF PBT and vPvB ASSESSMENT: NA  
OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS: NE

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:** Scrap and waste should be recycled or stored in a dry, sealed container for later disposal. Disposal must be in accordance with Federal, State/Provincial, and Local Regulations.

**OTHER PRECAUTIONS:** Avoid skin & eye contact, inhalation & ingestion of fumes and material. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Keep away from children.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport in accordance with applicable regulations and requirements.

UN Number: UN2803  
UN Proper Shipping Name: Gallium  
Packaging Group: III  
Environmental Hazards: Not a Marine Pollutant

### TRANSPORT HAZARD CLASSES:

US DOT Hazardous Material Classification:	UN2803	Gallium	Hazard Class 8	Packing Group III	Limited Quantity < 5kg
Water Transportation:	UN2803	Gallium	Hazard Class 8	Packing Group III	
IATA Hazardous Material Classification:	UN2803	Gallium	Hazard Class 8	Packing Group III	
ADR Road Regulations	UN2803	Gallium	Hazard Class 8	Packing Group III	Limited Quantity < 5kg
IMDG Sea Regulations	UN2803	Gallium	Hazard Class 8	Packing Group III	
ADG Land Transportation	UN2803	Gallium	Hazard Class 8	Packing Group III	

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

All ingredients used to manufacture this product are listed on the EPA TSCA Inventory. Finished product is not listed on the EPA TSCA Inventory.

U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS: Not regulated  
STATE REGULATIONS: Not regulated  
INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS: Not regulated  
AUSTRALIAN REGULATIONS: Not regulated

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### LEGEND:

ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists  
ADG Australian Dangerous Goods Code  
ADR European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road  
AICS Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances  
BCF Bioconcentration factor

<b>C.A.S.</b>	Chemical Abstract Service
<b>CLP</b>	Classification, Labeling and Packaging
<b>DOT</b>	Department of Transportation
<b>EC</b>	Effective Concentration
<b>EPA</b>	Environmental Protection Agency
<b>GHS</b>	Global Harmonized System
<b>HMIS</b>	Hazardous Material Identification System
<b>IARC</b>	International Agency for Research on Cancer
<b>IATA</b>	International Air Transport Association
<b>IMDG</b>	International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
<b>LC</b>	Lethal Concentration
<b>LD</b>	Lethal Dose
<b>NA</b>	Not available
<b>NE</b>	Not established
<b>NIOSH</b>	National Institute for Occupational Safety & Health
<b>NOEC</b>	No observed effective concentration
<b>NOHSC</b>	National Occupational Health and Safety Commission (Australia)
<b>NTP</b>	National Toxicology Program
<b>OSHA</b>	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
<b>PEL</b>	Permissible Exposure Limit
<b>P<sub>ow</sub></b>	Octanol water partition coefficient
<b>SDS</b>	Safety Data Sheet
<b>STEL</b>	Short-Term Exposure Limit
<b>STOT</b>	Specific target organ toxicity
<b>TLV</b>	Threshold Limit Value
<b>TSCA</b>	Toxic Substance Control Act
<b>TWA:</b>	Time Weighted Average
<b>US DOT:</b>	United States Department of Transportation

**PREPARATION INFORMATION:**

This update supersedes all previously released documents.

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