

**Safety data sheet**  
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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name: IPS Ceramic Etching Gel**
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Etching gel for dental ceramic
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
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9494 Schaan  
PRINCIPALITY OF LIECHTENSTEIN
- **Tel:** +423 235 35 35  
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- **Further information obtainable from:**  
Regulatory Affairs  
sds@ivoclarvivadent.com
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:** +423 / 235 33 13 (Ivoclar Vivadent AG, 9494 Schaan, Liechtenstein)

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
Acute Tox. 3 H301 Toxic if swallowed.  
Acute Tox. 2 H310 Fatal in contact with skin.  
Acute Tox. 3 H331 Toxic if inhaled.  
Skin Corr. 1B H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.
- **Hazard pictograms**
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GHS05 GHS06
- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**  
hydrofluoric acid
- **Hazard statements**  
H301+H331 Toxic if swallowed or if inhaled.  
H310 Fatal in contact with skin.  
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **Precautionary statements**  
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.  
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.

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P310 *Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.*

P321 *Specific treatment (see on this label).*

**Additional information:**

EUH071 *Corrosive to the respiratory tract.*

**2.3 Other hazards**

*Special safety notes for the use of IPS Ceramic Etching Gel: Hydrofluoric acid is highly toxic. It is strongly corrosive and does not cause any warning pain on the surface of skin and mucous membranes, but causes subsequent, painful in-depth effect.*

**Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

**PBT:** *Not applicable.*

**vPvB:** *Not applicable.*

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

**3.2 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures**

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

**Dangerous components:**

CAS: 7664-39-3	hydrofluoric acid	4.5%
EINECS: 231-634-8	Acute Tox. 2, H300; Acute Tox. 1, H310; Acute Tox. 2, H330; Skin	
Reg.nr.: 01-2119458860-33-xxxx	Corr. 1A, H314	

**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:** *Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.*

**After inhalation:**

*Supply fresh air or oxygen; call for doctor.*

*In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.*

**After skin contact:**

*Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.*

*Rub in Ca-gluconate solution or Ca-gluconate gel immediately.*

*Seek medical treatment.*

**After eye contact:**

*Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.*

*Seek immediate medical advice.*

**After swallowing:**

*Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.*

*Do not induce vomiting; call for medical help immediately.*

**4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** *No further relevant information available.*

**4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

*Antidote: Ca-gluconate solution / Ca-gluconate gel*

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

**5.1 Extinguishing media**

**Suitable extinguishing agents:**

*The product is not flammable.*

*Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.*

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

*Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.*

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- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Mouth respiratory protective device.
- **Additional information** Cool endangered receptacles with water spray.

### 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:**  
Use neutralising agent.  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).  
Alternative: Add IPS Ceramic neutralizing powder and wait for 5 minutes.  
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**  
Only adequately trained personnel should handle this product.  
For use in dentistry only.  
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.  
Open and handle receptacle with care.
- **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:**  
Store only in the original receptacle.  
The hydrofluoric acid in IPS Ceramic Etching Gel attacks quartz, silicate and borate glasses, as well as sanitary ceramics and various metals and alloys (e.g. high-grade steel). Nickel, copper, polyethylene, PVC, and Teflon are resistant to hydrofluoric acid.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Store away from flammable substances.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**  
Keep container tightly sealed.  
Protect from exposure to the light.  
Protect from heat and direct sunlight.
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

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

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

**CAS: 7664-39-3 hydrofluoric acid**

WEL	Short-term value: 2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 3 ppm
	Long-term value: 1.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 1.8 ppm

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

· **8.2 Exposure controls**

· **Personal protective equipment:**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

Usual hygienic measures for dental practice and dental laboratories.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Store protective clothing separately.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols.

· **Respiratory protection:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

· **Recommended filter device for short term use:**

Combination filter B-P (EN 14387)

Combination filter E-P (EN 14387)

· **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves (EN 374)

After use of gloves apply skin-cleaning agents and skin cosmetics.

· **Material of gloves**

Nitrile rubber, NBR

Butyl rubber, BR

Fluorocarbon rubber (Viton)

Chloroprene rubber, CR

PVC gloves

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

· **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 (EN 166)

· **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

Form: Viscous

Colour: Red

· **Odour:** Pungent

· **Odour threshold:** Not determined.

· **pH-value at 20 °C:** 2

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· <b>Change in condition</b> Melting point/freezing point:	Not applicable.
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	Undetermined.
· <b>Flash point:</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b>	Product is not selfigniting.
· <b>Explosive properties:</b>	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· <b>Explosion limits:</b> Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· <b>Vapour pressure:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Density at 20 °C:</b>	1.13 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
· <b>Relative density</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Vapour density</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Solubility in / Miscibility with water:</b>	Fully miscible.
· <b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Viscosity:</b> Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
· <b>9.2 Other information</b>	No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability** Stable under normal handling and storage conditions.
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**  
Reacts with:  
  Ammonia  
  Sulphuric acid  
  Reacts with alkali (lyes).  
  Reacts with organic substances.  
  Reacts with metals forming hydrogen.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** Keep away from heat and direct sunlight.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** Attacks materials containing glass and silicate.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** None under normal conditions of storage and use.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity**  
  Toxic if swallowed or if inhaled.  
  Fatal in contact with skin.
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**  
  Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**  
  Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **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:**  
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 unneutralised.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **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**  
Neutralize the etching gel! (see instructions for use)  
To neutralize the diluted solution, add neutralizing powder and wait for 5 minutes. After 5 minutes, dispose of the neutralized solution under running water.  
Take to an approved landfill or a waste incineration plant, under conditions approved by the local authority.

- **European waste catalogue**

18 01 06*	chemicals consisting of or containing dangerous substances
20 01 14*	acids

- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

- **14.1 UN-Number**
- **ADR/RID/ADN, IMDG, IATA** UN1790
- **14.2 UN proper shipping name**
- **ADR/RID/ADN** 1790 HYDROFLUORIC ACID
- **IMDG, IATA** HYDROFLUORIC ACID

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· **14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**· **ADR/RID/ADN**

· **Class** 8 (CT1) Corrosive substances.  
· **Label** 8+6.1

· **IMDG**

· **Class** 8 Corrosive substances.  
· **Label** 8/6.1

· **IATA**

· **Class** 8 Corrosive substances.  
· **Label** 8 (6.1)

· **14.4 Packing group**· **ADR/RID/ADN, IMDG, IATA** II· **14.5 Environmental hazards:**· **Marine pollutant:** No· **14.6 Special precautions for user**

Warning: Corrosive substances.

· **Danger code (Kemler):**

86

· **EMS Number:**

F-A,S-B

· **Segregation groups**

Acids

· **14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code**

Not applicable.

· **Transport/Additional information:**· **ADR/RID/ADN**

· **Limited quantities (LQ)**  
· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

1L  
Code: E2  
Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml  
Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

· **Transport category**

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· **Tunnel restriction code**

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· **IMDG**

· **Limited quantities (LQ)**  
· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

1L  
Code: E2  
Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml  
Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

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· **UN "Model Regulation":** UN1790, HYDROFLUORIC ACID, 8 (6.1), II

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements 50 t**
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements 200 t**
- **REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII Conditions of restriction: 3**
- **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.*

- **Relevant phrases**  
H300 Fatal if swallowed.  
H310 Fatal in contact with skin.  
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
H330 Fatal if inhaled.
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
*The classification of the mixture is generally based on the calculation method using substance data according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.*
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**  
ADR: Accord européen sur le transport 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  
Acute Tox. 2: Acute toxicity – Category 2  
Acute Tox. 3: Acute toxicity – Category 3  
Acute Tox. 1: Acute toxicity – Category 1  
Skin Corr. 1A: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1A  
Skin Corr. 1B: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1B
- **\* Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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