

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Chemical product and company identification

Product name ACETIC ACID CHEMICALLY PURE

Chemical formula C2-H4-O2

Product use Industrial applications

Synonyms Acetic acid.

2. Composition/information on ingredients

Ingredient name CAS# % by weight Exposure limits

Acetic acid 64-19-7 100 ACGIH TLV (United States, 9/2004).

STEL: 37 mg/m³ 15 minute(s). STEL: 15 ppm 15 minute(s). TWA: 25 mg/m³ 8 hour(s). TWA: 10 ppm 8 hour(s).

OSHA PEL (United States, 6/1993).

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3. Hazards identification

Physical state Liquid

Color Clear. Colorless.

Emergency overview DANGER! CORROSIVE.

COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID AND VAPOR.

VAPOR MAY CAUSE FIRE. CAUSES EYE DAMAGE. CAUSES SKIN BURNS.

CAUSES RESPIRATORY TRACT BURNS.

Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Keep away from heat,

sparks and flame. Keep container closed. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly

after handling.

Routes of entry Absorbed through skin. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Potential Health Effects

Eyes Corrosive. Causes eye damage.
Skin Corrosive. Causes skin burns

Inhalation Corrosive. Causes respiratory tract burns.

Ingestion Corrosive. Causes severe irritation or burns of the mouth, throat, and esophagus.

See toxicological Information (section 11)



4. First aid measures

Eye Contact In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical

attention immediately.

Skin Contact In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while

removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes

before reuse. Get medical attention immediately.

Inhalation If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult,

give oxygen. Get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by

mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Flammability of the product COMBUSTIBLE.

Auto-ignition temperature 463 °C

Flash point 39 °C (Closed cup) Pensky-Martens.

Explosion limits Lower: 4 %

Upper: 16 %

Products of combustion These products are carbon oxides (CO, CO2).

Unusual fire/explosion

hazards

Combustible liquid and vapor. Vapor may cause flash fire. Vapors may accumulate in low or confined areas, travel considerable distance to source of ignition and flash back. Runoff to sewer

may create fire or explosion hazard.

This material is not explosive as defined by established regulatory criteria.

Fire fighting media and

instructions

In case of fire, use water fog, foam, dry chemicals, or carbon dioxide. DO NOT FIGHT FIRE WHEN IT REACHES MATERIAL. Withdraw from fire and let it burn. Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. First move people out of line-of-sight of the scene and away from windows. Cool containing vessels with water jet in order to

prevent pressure build-up, autoignition or explosion.

Protective clothing (fire) Fire-fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full

turnout gear.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Immediately contact emergency personnel. Eliminate all ignition sources. Keep unnecessary

personnel away. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Use suitable protective equipment (See Section: "Exposure controls/personal protection"). Follow all fire fighting

procedures (See Section: "Fire-fighting measures").

Environmental

precautions and clean-up

. methods If emergency personnel are unavailable, contain spilled material. For small spills add absorbent (soil may be used in the absence of other suitable materials) and use a non-sparking or explosion proof means to transfer material to a sealed, appropriate container for disposal. For large spills dike spilled material or otherwise contain material to ensure runoff does not reach a waterway. Place spilled material in an appropriate container for disposal. Minimize contact of spilled material with soils to prevent runoff to surface waterways. See Section 13 for Waste Disposal Information.

Personal protection in case of a large spill Splash goggles. Full suit. Boots. Gloves. A self-contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

7. Handling and storage

Handling Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Use only with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing

vapor or mist. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. To avoid fire or explosion, dissipate static electricity during transfer by grounding and bonding containers and equipment before transferring material. Use explosion-proof electrical (ventilating, lighting and

material handling) equipment. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Storage Store in a segregated and approved area. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Keep

container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Avoid all possible sources of ignition (spark

or flame).



8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure

imits

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Control Measures Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of

vapors below their respective occupational exposure limits. Ensure that eyewash stations and

safety showers are close to the work-station location.

Hygiene measures Wash hands, forearms, and face thoroughly after handling compounds and before eating,

smoking, using lavatory, and at the end of day.

Personal protection

Eyes Do not get in eyes. Wear face shield. Chemical splash goggles.

Skin and Body Do not get on skin or clothing. Wear clothing and footwear that cannot be penetrated by chemicals

or oil. Wear face shield.

Respiratory Use only with adequate ventilation. Do not breathe vapor or mist. If ventilation is inadequate,

use certified respirator that will protect against organic vapor.

Hands Wear gloves that cannot be penetrated by chemicals or oil. (Butyl rubber gloves.)

The correct choice of protective gloves depends upon the chemicals being handled, the conditions of work and use, and the condition of the gloves (even the best chemically resistant glove will break down after repeated chemical exposures). Most gloves provide only a short time of protection before they must be discarded and replaced. Because specific work environments and material handling practices vary, safety procedures should be developed for each intended application. Gloves should therefore be chosen in consultation with the supplier/manufacturer and with a full assessment of the working conditions.

Consult your supervisor or S.O.P. for special handling directions

9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state Liquid.

Odor Vinegar (Strong.)
Color Clear. Colorless.

Boiling point / Range 117.9 °C

Melting point / Range 16.6 °C

Chemical formula C2-H4-O2

Density 1049 kg/m³ (1.049 g/cm³) at 20°C

Vapor pressure 0.202 kPa (1.52 mm Hg)

Vapor Density (Air = 1) 2.1

Solubility Soluble in water.

Dispersion properties See solubility in water.

Viscosity Kinematic: 1.17 mm²/s (1.17 cSt) at 20°C



10. Stability and reactivity

Stability and Reactivity The product is stable.

This product should be stored away from oxidizing materials and strong bases. Conditions to avoid

Incompatibility with various substances

Reactive with metals, oxidizing agents, reducing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition

carbon oxides (CO, CO2)

Products

Hazardous polymerization Will not occur.

11. Toxicological information

Acute toxicity

Ingredient name Test Result Route **Species** Acetic Acid LD50 3310 mg/kg Oral Rat Rabbit LDLo 600 mg/kg Oral

Chronic toxicity

Carcinogenic effects

No component of this product at levels greater than 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen by ACGIH or the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC). No component of this product present at levels greater than 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen by the U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP) or the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA).

Mutagenic effects

No component of this product at levels greater than 0.1% is classified by established regulatory

criteria as a mutagen.

Reproductive effects

No component of this product at levels greater than 0.1% is classified by established regulatory

criteria as a reproductive toxin.

Teratogenic effects

No component of this product at levels greater than 0.1% is classified by established regulatory

criteria as teratogenic or embryotoxic.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity 106 mg/l [LC50], 24 hour(s) [Fish (Minnows)].

75 mg/l [LC50], 96 hour(s) [Fish (Bluegill.)]. 47 mg/l [IC50], 96 hour(s) [Daphnia (daphnia)].

Persistence/degradability

Readily biodegradable

Mobility

This product may move with surface or groundwater flows because its water solubility is: 100%

Bioaccumulative potential

This product is not expected to bioaccumulate through food chains in the environment.

Other ecological information

expected to be slightly toxic to aquatic species because of acidity

13. Disposal considerations

Waste information Avoid contact of spilled material and runoff with soil and surface waterways. Consult an

environmental professional to determine if local, regional or national regulations would classify spilled or contaminated materials as hazardous waste. Use only approved transporters, recyclers, treatment, storage or disposal facilities. Dispose of in accordance with all applicable local and

national regulations.

Consult your local or regional authorities.



14. Transport information

International transport regulations

Regulatory Information	UN number	Proper shipping name	Class	Packing group	Label	Additional information
DOT Classification	UN2789	Acetic acid, glacial or Acetic acid solution, more than 80 per cent acid, by mass acid solution		II	Not determined.	Reportable quantity 5000 lbs. (2268 kg) Limited quantity Yes. Packaging instruction Passenger Aircraft Quantity limitation: 1 L Cargo Aircraft Quantity limitation: 30 L
TDG Classification	UN2789	Acetic acid, glacial or Acetic acid solution, more than 80 per cent acid, by mass acid solution		П	Not determined.	
IMDG Classification	UN2789	Acetic acid, glacial or Acetic acid solution, more than 80 per cent acid, by mass acid solution		II		Emergency schedules (EmS) 8-04
IATA Classification	UN2789	Acetic acid, glacial or Acetic acid solution, more than 80 per cent acid, by mass acid solution	8 (3)	iii		Quantity limitation - Passenger Aircraft - Limited quantity 0.5 L Quantity limitation - Passenger Aircraft 1 L
						Quantity limitation - Cargo Aircraft 30 L