# **Safety Data Sheet**

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### 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier** 

Product Name Acid Cleaner

Other Means of Identification

Product Code NIC1005-1

Recommended use of the Chemical and Restrictions on Use

**Recommended Use** Descaler & lime remover. For industrial use.

**Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet** 

**Nichols** 

1391 Judson Rd.

Norton Shores, MI 49456

**Emergency Telephone Number** 

Company Phone Number Phone: 1-800-442-0213

Emergency Telephone (24 hr) INFOTRAC 1-352-323-3500 (International)

1-800-535-5053 (North America)

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Appearance Green Physical State Liquid Odor None

#### Classification

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Corrosive to Metals	Category 1

# Signal Word

Danger

### **Hazard Statements**

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

May be corrosive to metals.

# **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Keep only in original container.

### <u>Precautionary Statements - Response</u>

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IN CASE OF SPILL: Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

#### <u>Precautionary Statements - Storage</u>

Store locked up.

Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.

# <u>Precautionary Statements - Disposal</u>

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.



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### **Other Hazards**

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### **Unknown Acute Toxicity**

None known.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS				
Chemical Name CAS No Weight-%				
Water	7732-18-5	60-100		
Phosphoric Acid	7664-38-2	10-30		

<sup>\*\*</sup>If Chemical Name/CAS No is "proprietary" and/or Weight-% is listed as a range, the specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.\*\*

# 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

### **First Aid Measures**

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Remove and discard contact lenses. Seek immediate medical attention/advice.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Take off contaminated

clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Get medical attention immediately.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Seek immediate medical attention/advice.

**Ingestion** Rinse mouth. Drink plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth

to an unconscious person. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

### Most Important Symptoms and Effects

**Symptoms** Corrosive to eyes. Contact will cause irritation and redness to exposed areas. Prolonged

contact may even cause severe skin irritation or mild burn. Chronic exposure may cause

liver, kidney and/or blood disorders.

# Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

# Suitable Extinguishing Media

Water spray (fog). Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry chemical. Foam.

### **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

Not determined.

# Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

None known.

### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

**Personal Precautions**Use personal protective equipment as required.

**Environmental Precautions** Avoid release to the environment.

#### Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

**Methods for Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for Clean-Up Collect spillage. Collect in a clean, dry waste container for disposal. Dilute remaining

residue with water and neutralize with dilute acetic acid (vinegar).

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Advice on Safe Handling Wash thoroughly after handling. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Do

not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, including Any Incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep locked up and

out of reach of children. Keep from freezing. Keep only in original container.

**Incompatible Materials** Acids. Bases. Oxidizing agents. Uncontrolled contact with water.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Exposure Guidelines**

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	STEL: 3 mg/m³ TWA: 1 mg/m³	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) STEL: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 1000 mg/m³ TWA: 1 mg/m³ STEL: 3 mg/m³

#### **Appropriate Engineering Controls**

Engineering Controls Ventilation systems. Eyewash stations. Showers.

# Individual Protection Measures, such as Personal Protective Equipment

**Eye/Face Protection** Splash goggles or safety glasses.

**Skin and Body Protection**Rubber, Nitrile, PVC, or other chemically resistant skin protection to prevent contact.

**Respiratory Protection** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State Liquid Appearance Clear

Appearance Clear Odor None

ColorOdor ThresholdNot determined

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

pH <1
Melting Point/Freezing Point 0 °C / 32 °F
Boiling Point/Boiling Range 100 °C / 212 °F
Flash Point Not applicable
Evaporation Rate Not determined
Flammability (Solid, Gas) n/a-liquid
Upper Flammability Limits Not determined

Lower Flammability Limit Not determined Vapor Pressure Not determined

Vapor Density Not determined

Specific Gravity 1.09

Water Solubility Completely soluble @ 25 °C (77 °F)

Solubility in other solvents Not determined **Partition Coefficient** Not determined **Auto-ignition Temperature** Not determined **Decomposition Temperature** Not determined **Kinematic Viscosity** Not determined **Dynamic Viscosity** Not determined **Explosive Properties** Not determined **Oxidizing Properties** Not determined

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

# Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions.

#### **Chemical Stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### **Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

#### **Conditions to Avoid**

Keep out of reach of children. Keep from freezing.

### **Incompatible Materials**

Acids. Bases. Oxidizing agents. Uncontrolled contact with water.

# **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

When exposed to fire, produces normal products of combustion.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# Information on Likely Routes of Exposure

#### **Product Information**

**Eye Contact** Causes severe eye damage.

**Skin Contact** Causes severe skin burns.

**Inhalation** Avoid breathing vapors or mists.

**Ingestion** Do not taste or swallow.

# Component Information

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	= 1530 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 2730 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	> 850 mg/m³ ( Rat ) 1 h

### Information on Physical, Chemical and Toxicological Effects

**Symptoms** Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

# Delayed and Immediate Effects as well as Chronic Effects from Short and Long-Term Exposure

Carcinogenicity This product does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA,

IARC or NTP.

### **Numerical Measures of Toxicity**

Not determined

### **Unknown Acute Toxicity**

None known.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Ecotoxicity

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	-	3 - 3.5: 96 h Gambusia affinis mg/L LC50	-	4.6: 12 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

# Persistence/Degradability

Not determined

#### Bioaccumulation

Not determined

### **Mobility**

Not determined

### **Other Adverse Effects**

Not determined

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste Treatment Methods** 

Disposal of Wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

#### California Hazardous Waste Status

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	Corrosive

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**Note** Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including

exemptions and special circumstances.

<u>DOT</u>

UN/ID No Gallon containers or larger: UN3264, Corrosive Liquid, Acidic, Inorganic, NOS (Containing

Phosphoric Acid), 8, PG II

Quart bottles or smaller: Consumer Commodity ORM-D or Limited Quantity

<u>IATA</u>

<u>IMDG</u>

Marine Pollutant This material may meet the definition of a marine pollutant

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

# **International Inventories**

Canada – Domestic Substances List (DSL) TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) All ingredients are listed or exempt. All ingredients are listed or exempt.

Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

### **US Federal Regulations**

#### **CERCLA**

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	5000 lb		RQ 5000 lb final RQ RQ 2270 kg final RQ

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health HazardYesChronic Health HazardYesReactive HazardYes

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

CWA (Clean Water Act)

Component	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	5000 lb			X

#### **US State Regulations**

# U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	State List
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	MA, NJ, PA

AZ- Arizona Ambient Air Quality Guidelines

CT- Connecticut Hazardous Air Pollutants

CA- California Director's List of Hazardous Substances

CAP65- California Prop65 FL- Florida Substances List

ID- Idaho Non-Carcinogen Toxic Air Pollutants

IL- Illinois Toxic Air Contaminate-Carcinogenic

MA- Massachusetts Right to Know List

MN- Minnesota Hazardous Substances List

NJ- New Jersey Right to Know List PA- Pennsylvania Right to Know List

PA- Pennsylvania Right to Know List

RI- Rhode Island Hazardous Substances List

### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA_	Health Hazards	Flammability	Instability	Special Hazards
	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined
<u>HMIS</u>	Health Hazards	Flammability	Physical Hazards	Personal Protection
	3	0	2	Not determined

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**End of Safety Data Sheet** 

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