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#### **Acetic Anhydride**

# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the supplier

Product name : Acetic Anhydride

Manufacturer/Supplier Trade name:

Manufacturer/Supplier Article number: S25119A

Recommended uses of the product and uses restrictions on use:

**Manufacturer Details:** 

AquaPhoenix Scientific 9 Barnhart Drive, Hanover, PA 17331

# **Supplier Details:**

Fisher Science Education 15 Jet View Drive, Rochester, NY 14624

## **Emergency telephone number:**

## **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

# Classification of the substance or mixture:



## **Flammable**

Flammable liquids, category 3



#### Irritant

Acute toxicity (oral, dermal, inhalation), category 4 Acute toxicity (oral, dermal, inhalation), category 3



#### Corrosive

Skin corrosion, category 1B Serious eye damage, category 1

Flam Liq. 3 AcTox Oral 4 AcTox Inhaln 4 Skin corr. 1B Eye. Damage 1

Signal word :Danger

# **Hazard statements:**

Flammable liquid and vapour Harmful if swallowed Causes severe skin burns and eye damage Causes serious eye damage Toxic if inhaled

## **Precautionary statements:**

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand Keep out of reach of children Read label before use **Effective date**: 12.22.2014 Page 2 of 8

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Keep container tightly closed

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Wash skin thoroughly after handling

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking

Ground/bond container and receiving equipment

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/light/.../equipment

Use only non-sparking tools

Take precautionary measures against static discharge

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

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

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

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 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

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

In case of fire: Use agents recommended in section 5 for extinction

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

Store in a well ventilated place. Keep cool

Store locked up

Store in a well ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed Dispose of contents and container as instructed in Section 13

#### Other Non-GHS Classification:

## **WHMIS**







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NFPA SCALE (0-4)

HMIS RATINGS (0-4)

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Ingredients:		
CAS 108-24-7	Acetic Anhydride	100 %
		Percentages are by weight

#### **SECTION 4 : First aid measures**

#### **Description of first aid measures**

**After inhalation:** Move exposed individual to fresh air. Loosen clothing as necessary and position individual in a comfortable position. Seek medical advice if discomfort or irritation persists. Give artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

**After skin contact:** Rinse exposed skin with water for 20 minutes.Immediately enter emergency shower rinsing while removing contaminated clothing and shoes.Transport victim to the hospital.

**After eye contact:** Protect unexposed eye. Flush exposed eye gently using water for 15-20 minutes.Remove contact lenses while rinsing.Immediately seek medical attention.

**After swallowing:** Rinse mouth thoroughly. Do not induce vomiting. Dilute with water or milk.Immediately seek medical attention.

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Irritation, Nausea, Headache, Shortness of breath.;

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:

If seeking medical attention, provide SDS document to physician. Physician should treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5 : Firefighting measures**

## **Extinguishing media**

**Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use water, dry chemical, chemical foam, carbon dioxide, or alcohol-resistant foam. Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

## For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:

## Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:

Thermal decomposition may lead to release of irritating gases and vapor.

#### Advice for firefighters:

**Protective equipment:** Wear protective eyeware, gloves, and clothing. Refer to Section 8.

Additional information (precautions):

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

Ensure adequate ventilation. Ensure that air-handling systems are operational. Use explosion - proof equipment.

## **Environmental precautions:**

Prevent from reaching drains, sewer or waterway. Should not be released into environment.

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Wear protective eyeware, gloves, and clothing. Refer to Section 8.Always obey local regulations. If necessary use trained response staff or contractor. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Containerize for disposal. Refer to Section 13.Keep in suitable closed containers for disposal.

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## Reference to other sections:

# SECTION 7: Handling and storage

## Precautions for safe handling:

Wear protective eyeware, gloves, and clothing. Refer to Section 8.Always obey local regulations. If necessary use trained response staff or contractor. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Containerize for disposal. Refer to Section 13.Keep in suitable closed containers for disposal. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Follow good hygiene procedures when handling chemical materials. Refer to Section 8. Follow proper disposal methods. Refer to Section 13. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or use personal products when handling chemical substances.

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**





Control Parameters: 108-24-7, Acetic Anhydride , NIOSH 5 ppm Ceiling; 20 mg/m3 Ceiling

108-24-7, Acetic Anhydride, NIOSH 200 ppm IDLH

108-24-7, Acetic Anhydride, ACGIH 3 ppm STEL; 1 ppm TWA

**Appropriate Engineering controls:** Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in

the immediate vicinity of use/handling.Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapor and mists below the applicable workplace exposure limits (Occupational

Exposure Limits-OELs) indicated above.

**Respiratory protection:** Not required under normal conditions of use. Where risk assessment

shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. When necessary use NIOSH approved

breathing equipment.

**Protection of skin:** Select glove material impermeable and resistant to the substance. Select

glove material based on rates of diffusion and degradation. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Use proper glove removal technique without touching outer surface. Avoid skin contact with used gloves. Wear

protective clothing.

**Eye protection:** Safety glasses with side shields or goggles. Wear equipment for eye

protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards

such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

**General hygienic measures:** Perform routine housekeeping. Wash hands before breaks and

immediately after handling the product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and

clothing. Before rewearing wash contaminated clothing.

#### SECTION 9 : Physical and chemical properties

Appearance (physical state,color):	I ( lear coloriess light	•	2.7 %(V) 10.3 %(V)
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Odor:	Vinegar-like	Vapor pressure:	5 hPa at 20 °C
Odor threshold:	Not Determined	Vapor density:	3.52 - (Air = 1.0)
pH-value:	Not Determined	Relative density:	1.08 g/cm3
Melting/Freezing point:	-73 °C	Solubilities:	Soluble in water
Boiling point/Boiling range:	137 °C	Partition coefficient (noctanol/water):	log Pow : ca 0.27
Flash point (closed cup):	52 °C	Auto/Self-ignition temperature:	316 °C
Evaporation rate:	0.46	Decomposition temperature:	Not Determined
Flammability (solid,gaseous):	Flammable	Viscosity:	a. Kinematic:Not Determined b. Dynamic: Not Determined
<b>Density</b> : Not Determined			

# SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity:**Reacts violently with water.

**Chemical stability:** May decompose if exposed to moist air or water. Substance is readily hydrolyzed. Reacts with water to form corresponding acid.

## **Possible hazardous reactions:**

Conditions to avoid: Ignition sources, contact with water, excess heat, exposure to moist air or water.

**Incompatible materials:**Strong oxidizing agents, strong reducing agents, acids, bases, alcohols, metal powders, and moisture.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Carbon monoxide, irritating and toxic fumes and gases, carbon dioxide.

# SECTION 11 : Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity:				
Oral:	108-24-7	LD50 Oral - Rat - 630 mg/kg		
Inhalation:	108-24-7	LC50 Inhalation - Rat - 4 h - 4,200 mg/m3		
Dermal:	108-24-7	LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - 4,320 mg/kg		
Chronic Toxicity: No	Chronic Toxicity: No additional information.			
Corrosion Irritation:				
Dermal:	108-24-7	Skin - in vitro assay Result : Causes burns.		
Ocular:	108-24-7	Eyes - rabbit Result : Severe eye irritation		
Sensitization:		Irritation: Causes severe burns by all routes of exposure.		
Single Target Organ (STOT):		No additional information.		
Numerical Measures:		No additional information.		
Carcinogenicity:		No additional information.		

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Mutagenicity:	No additional information.	
Reproductive Toxicity:	Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals.	

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

## **Ecotoxicity**

**108-24-7**: LC50 - Leuciscus idus melanotus - 265 mg/l - 48 h

108-24-7: EC50 - Daphnia (water flea) - 55 mg/l - 96 h

108-24-7: EC10 - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - 3,400 mg/l - 192 h

Persistence and degradability: 108-24-7: Zahn - Wellens Test - Exposure time 5 d Result : - Readily

biodegradable

**Bioaccumulative potential:** 

Mobility in soil:

Other adverse effects:

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### Waste disposal recommendations:

Do not allow product to reach sewage system or open water. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to properly characterize all waste materials according to applicable regulatory entities (US 40CFR262.11). Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Product or containers must not be disposed together with household garbage.

#### SECTION 14: Transport information

## **UN-Number**

1715

## **UN proper shipping name**

Glacial Acetic anhydride

## Transport hazard class(es)



# Class:

3 Flammable liquids

Packing group: II

**Environmental hazard:** 

Transport in bulk:

**Special precautions for user:** 

#### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

# **United States (USA)**

# SARA Section 311/312 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

Acute, Fire

#### SARA Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

None of the ingredients is listed

# RCRA (hazardous waste code):

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None of the ingredients is listed

## TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):

All ingredients are listed.

#### CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act):

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#### Proposition 65 (California):

#### Chemicals known to cause cancer:

None of the ingredients is listed

# Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

None of the ingredients is listed

## Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

None of the ingredients is listed

#### Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

None of the ingredients is listed

#### Canada

## Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL):

All ingredients are listed.

## Canadian NPRI Ingredient Disclosure list (limit 0.1%):

None of the ingredients is listed

#### Canadian NPRI Ingredient Disclosure list (limit 1%):

108-24-7 Acetic Anhydride

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

This product has been classified in accordance with hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.Note:. The responsibility to provide a safe workplace remains with the user.The user should consider the health hazards and safety information contained herein as a guide and should take those precautions required in an individual operation to instruct employees and develop work practice procedures for a safe work environment.The information contained herein is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, accurate.However, since the conditions of handling and use are beyond our control, we make no guarantee of results, and assume no liability for damages incurred by the use of this material.It is the responsibility of the user to comply with all applicable laws and regulations applicable to this material.

#### **GHS Full Text Phrases:**

#### Abbreviations and acronyms:

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration (REACH)

CFR: Code of Federal Regulations (USA)

SARA: Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (USA)

RCRA: Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (USA)

TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act (USA)

NPRI: National Pollutant Release Inventory (Canada)

DOT: US Department of Transportation IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

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ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA) HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada)

DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level (REACH)

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