

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# SECTION 1) CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND SUPPLIER'S IDENTIFICATION

**CAS Number:** 7664-93-9

Product Name: Sulphuric Acid 25%

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Product/Recommended Uses: For laboratory or industrial use only.

# **SECTION 2) HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### Classification

Corrosive to metals - Category 1 Serious Eye Damage - Category 1

Skin Corrosion - Category 1A

## **Pictograms**



# **Signal Word**

Danger

#### **Hazard Statements - Health**

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

## **Hazard Statements - Physical**

May be corrosive to metals

# **Precautionary Statements - General**

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

Keep out of reach of children.

Read label before use.

# **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Keep only in original packaging.

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

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

Wash/Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

# **Precautionary Statements - Response**

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Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

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.

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

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

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Specific treatment (see first-aid on the SDS).

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store in a corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.

Store locked up.

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national/international regulation. Waste management should be in full compliance with national, regional and local laws.

#### **Physical Hazards Not Otherwise Classified**

No data available.

#### **Health Hazards Not Otherwise Classified**

No data available.

# **SECTION 3) COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

CAS	Chemical Name	% By Weight
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Specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage (concentration) of the composition has been withheld to protect confidentiality or to reflect batch to batch variation.

## **SECTION 4) FIRST-AID MEASURES**

# Inhalation

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell or are concerned. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Remove source of exposure or move person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If breathing is difficult, trained personnel should administer emergency oxygen if advised to do so by the POISON CENTER/doctor.

# **Eye Contact**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Rinse eyes cautiously with lukewarm, gently flowing water for several minutes, while holding the eyelids open. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for a duration of 30 minutes or until medical aid is available. Take care not to rinse contaminated water into the unaffected eye or onto the face.

#### **Skin Contact**

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing, shoes and leather goods (e.g. watchbands, belts). Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Rinse skin with lukewarm, gently flowing water/shower for a duration of 30 minutes or until medical aid is available.

#### Ingestion

If vomiting occurs naturally, lie on your side, in the recovery position. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

# Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed

No data available.

## Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

No data available.

#### **SECTION 5) FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Suitable for surrounding fire. Use media suitable for surrounding fire, such as water spray, dry chemical, foam.

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#### **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

Do not use straight stream of water.

#### Specific Hazards in Case of Fire

Evolution of explosive hydrogen gas on contact with most metals. Toxic gases (sulphuric acid fumes, sulphur dioxide and carbon monoxide) may be released due to thermal decomposition

Containers may explode in fire. Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive fumes.

#### **Fire-fighting Procedures**

Isolate immediate hazard area and keep unauthorized personnel out. Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area if it can be done safely. Stop spill/release if it can be done safely. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out. Caution should be exercised when using water or foam as frothing may occur, especially if sprayed into containers of hot, burning liquid. Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations. Large Fire: Dike fire-control water for later disposal; do not scatter the material

#### **Special Protective Actions**

Evacuate hazard area. Use water on combustible burning in the vicinity of this material but use care as water applied directly to acid causes spattering of the acid. Wear full protective equipment including a self-contained breathing apparatus. Note:.. Run off from fire control may be a pollution hazard. Caution... corrosive material. Neutralize with lime, soda ash, etc., to prevent corrosion of metals and formation of hydrogen. Structural firefighters' protective clothing provides limited protection in fire situations ONLY; it is not effective in spill situations where direct contact with the substance is possible.

# **SECTION 6) ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

## **Emergency Procedure**

Isolate hazard area and keep unauthorized personnel away. Stay uphill and/or upstream. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled materials unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ventilate closed spaces before entering. Evacuate and isolate hazard area and keep unauthorized personnel away.

#### **Recommended Equipment**

Wear chemical protective clothing and positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Wear liquid tight chemical protective clothing in combination with positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

#### **Personal Precautions**

DO NOT get on skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing vapor or mist.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Stop spill/release if it can be done safely. Prevent spilled material from entering sewers, storm drains, other unauthorized drainage systems and natural waterways by using sand, earth, or other appropriate barriers.

#### Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning up

Ventilate area after clean-up is complete. Absorb Liquids in vermiculite, dry sand, earth, or similar inert material and deposit in sealed containers for disposal.

# **SECTION 7) HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### **General**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing mist or vapour. Wear protective equipment during handling. Use adequate ventilation. When diluting, always add the acid to water, never add water to the acid. Follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

Do not breathe vapors or mists. Use good personal hygiene practices. All containers must be properly labelled. Eyewash stations and showers should be available in areas where this material is used and stored

#### **Ventilation Requirements**

Use only with adequate ventilation to control air contaminants to their exposure limits. Report ventilation failures immediately. The use of local ventilation is recommended to control emissions near the source.

## Storage Room Requirements

Protect container from physical damage. Keep the container tightly closed when not in use. Store away from incompatible materials. Store in a cool and well-ventilated area. Keep away from flames and sparks. Store away from strong oxidizers. Store in dry, cool areas, out of direct sunlight and away from other sources of heat. Empty container retain residue and may be dangerous.

# **SECTION 8) EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

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#### **Eye protection**

Wear indirect-vent, impact and splash resistant goggles when working with liquids

#### **Skin Protection**

Use of gloves approved to relevant standards made from the following materials may provide suitable chemical protection: PVC, neoprene or nitrile rubber gloves. Suitability and durability of a glove is dependent on usage, e.g. frequency and duration of contact, chemical resistance of glove material, glove thickness, dexterity. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace. Always seek advice from glove suppliers. Contaminated gloves should be replaced. Use an apron and over-boots of chemically impervious materials such as neoprene or nitrile rubber.

#### **Respiratory Protection**

If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations to a level which is adequate to protect worker, a respiratory protection program that meets or is equivalent to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.134 should be followed. Check with respiratory protective equipment suppliers.

## **Appropriate Engineering Controls**

Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective threshold limit value.

Chemical Name	CANsmg	CANsppm	CANtmg	CANtppm	OSHA STEL (mg/m3)	OSHA STEL (ppm)	OSHA TWA (mg/m3)	OSHA TWA (ppm)
SULFURIC ACID	3		1				1	

Chemical Name	OSHA Carcinogen	OSHA Tables (Z1, Z2, Z3)	OSHA Skin designation	ACGIH STEL (mg/m3)	ACGIH STEL (ppm)	ACGIH TWA (mg/m3)	ACGIH TWA (ppm)	ACGIH TLV Basis
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Chemical Name	ACGIH Carcinogen	ACGIH Notations	
SULFURIC ACID	A2	A2 (M)	

<sup>(</sup>C) - Ceiling limit, (M) - Mist, (T) - Thoracic fraction, A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen, func - Function, pulm - Pulmonary

# **SECTION 9) PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

9.53 lb/gal

# **Physical and Chemical Properties**

Density

Specific Gravity	1.14
Appearance	clear liquid
Odor Description	N/A
Odor Threshold	N/A
рН	No Data Available
Melting/Freezing Point	-13.6 °C
Low Boiling Point	103.9 °C
High Boiling Point	N/A
Flash Point	non combustible
Vapor Pressure	~1.33 hPa
Vapor Density	3.4
Evaporation Rate	No Data Available
Upper Explosion Level	N/A
Lower Explosion Level	N/A
Water Solubility	miscible
Coefficient Water/Oil	No Data Available
Viscosity	No Data Available

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# **SECTION 10) STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

#### Reactivity

Reacts violently with water and organic materials with evolution of heat.

#### **Stability**

Stable under normal storage and handling conditions.

#### **Conditions to Avoid**

No additional information

# **Hazardous Reactions/Polymerization**

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

#### **Incompatible Materials**

Bases, halides, organic materials, carbides, fulminates, nitrates, picrates, cyanides, chlorates, alkali halides, zinc salts, permanganates, hydrogen peroxide, azides, perchlorates, nitromethane, phosphorous, reacts violently with cyclopentadiene, Cyclopentanone, oxime, nitroaryl amines, hexalithium disilicide, phosphorous (iii) oxide, powdered metals

#### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions - sulphur oxides.

# **SECTION 11) TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **Likely Route of Exposure**

Inhalation, ingestion, skin absorption

# **Acute Toxicity**

No data available.

## **Aspiration Hazard**

No data available.

#### Carcinogenicity

No data available.

# **Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

No data available.

#### **Reproductive Toxicity**

No data available.

## Respiratory/Skin Sensitization

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Repeated or prolonged contact with skin may cause dermatitis.

#### **Serious Eye Damage/Irritation**

Causes serious eye damage

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Contact can severely irritate and burn the eyes.

#### **Skin Corrosion/Irritation**

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

# **Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure**

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Repeated exposure can cause permanent lung damage.

## **Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure**

No data available.

# **Likely Routes of Exposure**

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The substance can be absorbed into the body by inhalation of its aerosol.

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LC50 (rat): 510 mg/m3 (2 hour-exposure) (255 mg/m3 - equivalent 4-hour exposure) (1) LC50 (mouse): 320 mg/m3 (2-hour exposure) (160 mg/m3 - equivalent 4-hour exposure) (1)

LD50 (oral, rat): 2140 mg/kg (2)

# **SECTION 12) ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## **Toxicity**

No data available.

**Mobility in Soil** 

No data available.

**Bio-accumulative Potential** 

Is predicted to be low

**Persistence and Degradability** 

No data available.

**Other Adverse Effects** 

No data available.

# **SECTION 13) DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## **Waste Disposal**

Empty Containers retain product residue which may exhibit hazards of material, therefore do not pressurize, cut, glaze, weld or use for any other purposes. It is the responsibility of the user of the product to determine at the time of disposal whether the product meets local criteria for hazardous waste. Waste management should be in full compliance with national, provincial and local laws.

# **SECTION 14) TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

	Transport Canada Information	U.S. DOT Information
UN number:	UN2796	UN2796
Proper shipping name:	SULFURIC ACID with not more than 51% acid	SULFURIC ACID with not more than 51% acid
Hazard class:	8	8
Packaging group:	II	II
Hazardous substance (RQ):		No Data Available
Marine Pollutant:	No Data Available	No Data Available
Note / Special Provision:	Note / Special Provision	No Data Available
Toxic-Inhalation Hazard:		No Data Available
Transport in bulk (according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78):	No Data Available	

# **SECTION 15) REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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0007664-93-9	SULFURIC ACID	25% - 25%	DSL,TSCA,CA_Prop65 - California Proposition 65,EU_EC_Inventory

# **SECTION 16) OTHER INFORMATION**

## **Glossary**

ACGIH- American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists; ANSI- American National Standards Institute; Canadian TDG-Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods; CANsmg or CANsppm - Canadian Short Term Exposure Level in mg/L or in ppm; CANtmg or CANtppm - Canadian Time Weighted Average in mg/L or in ppm; CAS- Chemical Abstract Service; Chemtrec- Chemical Transportation Emergency Center(US); CHIP- Chemical Hazard Information and Packaging; DSL- Domestic Substances List; EC- Equivalent Concentration; EH40 (UK)- HSE Guidance Note EH40 Occupational Exposure Limits; EPCRA- Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act; ESL Effects screening levels; HMIS- Hazardous Material Information Service; LC- Lethal Concentration; LD- Lethal Dose; NFPA- National Fire Protection Association; OEL- Occupational Exposure Limits; OSHA- Occupational Safety and Health Administration, US Department of Labor; PEL- Permissible Exposure Limit; SARA (Title III)- Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; SARA 313- Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act, Section 313; SCBA- Self Contained Breathing Apparatus; STEL-Short Term Exposure Limit; TCEQ Texas Commission on Environmental Quality; TLV- Threshold Limit Value; TSCA- Toxic Substances Control Act Public Law 94-469; TWA Time Weighted Value; US DOT- US Department of Transportation; WHMIS- Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System.

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