

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

ACID GEL



## Section 1. Identification

**Product identifier** : ACID GEL  
**Product code** : 07-10090  
**Other means of identification** : Not available.  
**Product type** : Liquid.

### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Industrial applications: Industrial cleaners.

Only use this product as directed. Read label before using.

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**Emergency telephone number (with hours of operation)** : 1-800-361-7691 (8am to 5pm Monday to Thursday) (8am to 4pm Friday)

## Section 2. Hazard identification

**Classification of the substance or mixture** : ACUTE TOXICITY (inhalation) - Category 3  
SKIN CORROSION - Category 1  
SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE - Category 1  
Health Hazards Not Otherwise Classified - Category 1

### GHS label elements

**Hazard pictograms** :



**Signal word** : Danger

**Hazard statements** : H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
H331 - Toxic if inhaled.  
Causes severe digestive tract burns.

### Precautionary statements

**Prevention** : P280 - Wear protective gloves: < 1 hour (breakthrough time): Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves . Wear protective clothing: Recommended: safety apron. Wear eye or face protection: Recommended: Safety Glasses.  
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
P261 - Avoid breathing vapor.  
P264 - Wash thoroughly after handling.

## Section 2. Hazard identification

- Response** : P304 + P340, P310 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.  
P301 + P310, P330, P331 - IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor. Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.  
P303 + P361 + P353, P310 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.  
P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  
P305 + P351 + P338, P310 - 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.
- Storage** : P405 - Store locked up or keep under supervision.
- Disposal** : P501 - Dispose of contents and container in accordance with all local, regional, national and international regulations.
- Supplemental label elements** : Do not taste or swallow. Wash thoroughly after handling.
- Percentage of the mixture consisting of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity: 2.1%

## Section 3. Composition/information on ingredients

- Substance/mixture** : Mixture
- Other means of identification** : Not available.

Ingredient name	% (w/w)	CAS number
sulphuric acid	10 - 30	7664-93-9
Nitric acid	7 - 13	7697-37-2
methanesulphonic acid	1 - 5	75-75-2

Ranges if listed above for hazardous ingredient(s) are prescribed ranges. The actual concentration(s) or actual concentration range(s) are being withheld as a trade secret.

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified and hence require reporting in this section.

Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

## Section 4. First-aid measures

### Description of necessary first aid measures

- Eye contact** : In case of contact with eyes, flush with fresh water. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Continue rinsing. If irritation persists, get medical attention. Chemical burns must be treated promptly by a physician. Get medical attention if blistering occurs or redness persists.
- Inhalation** : Move victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If it is suspected that fumes are still present, the rescuer should wear an appropriate mask or self-contained breathing apparatus. Get medical attention. If necessary, call a poison center or physician. Maintain an open airway.
- Skin contact** : Rinse with water. Wash contaminated skin with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Chemical burns must be treated promptly by a physician. Get medical attention if blistering occurs or redness persists.
- Ingestion** : Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get medical attention. Chemical burns must be treated promptly by a physician.

### Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

#### Potential acute health effects

## Section 4. First-aid measures

- Eye contact** : May cause eye burn
- Inhalation** : Toxic if inhaled. Inhalation of vapors or mist may cause respiratory tract irritation.
- Skin contact** : May cause skin burns
- Ingestion** : Severely corrosive to the digestive tract. Causes severe burns. May cause burns to mouth, throat and stomach.

### Over-exposure signs/symptoms

- Eye contact** : Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
pain  
watering  
redness
- Inhalation** : Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
respiratory tract irritation  
coughing
- Skin contact** : Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
pain or irritation  
redness  
blistering may occur
- Ingestion** : Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
stomach pains

### Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

- Notes to physician** : Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled.
- Specific treatments** : No specific treatment.
- Protection of first-aiders** : No action should be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. If it is suspected that fumes are still present, the rescuer should wear an appropriate mask or self-contained breathing apparatus. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Wash contaminated clothing thoroughly with water before removing them, or wear gloves.

See toxicological information (Section 11)

## Section 5. Fire-fighting measures

### Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media** : Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media** : None known.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical** : In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst.

- Hazardous thermal decomposition products** : Decomposition products may include the following materials:  
carbon dioxide  
carbon monoxide  
nitrogen oxides  
sulfur oxides

**Special protective actions for fire-fighters** : Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action should be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

**Special protective equipment for fire-fighters** : Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

## Section 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

- For non-emergency personnel** : No action should be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.
- For emergency responders** : If specialized clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".
- Eye/face protection** : Continued or severe exposures might required to wear a face shield or chemical splash goggles. It is minimally suggested to wear safety glasses while using or handling this product.
- Hand protection** : It is suggested to wear chemical-resistant gloves while using or handling this product.
- Body protection** : It is suggested to wear safety apron while using or handling this product.
- Other skin protection** : Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.
- Respiratory protection** : No specific protective equipment required under normal use conditions.
- Environmental precautions** : Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

- Small spill** : Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble. Alternatively, or if water-insoluble, absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.
- Large spill** : Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Approach release from upwind. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Wash spillages into an effluent treatment plant or proceed as follows. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see Section 13). The spilled material may be neutralized with sodium carbonate, sodium bicarbonate or sodium hydroxide. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazard as the spilled product. Note: see Section 1 for emergency contact information and Section 13 for waste disposal.

## Section 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

- Protective measures** : Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Do not ingest. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Keep in the original container or an approved alternative made from a compatible material, kept tightly closed when not in use. Keep away from alkalis. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not reuse container.
- Advice on general occupational hygiene** : Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

## Section 7. Handling and storage

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities** : Store in accordance with local regulations. Store locked up. Separate from alkalis. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination. Keep out of reach of children. Store away from incompatible materials;  
Reactive or incompatible with alkali.

## Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

Ingredient name	Exposure limits
sulphuric acid	<p><b>CA Ontario Provincial (Canada, 6/2019).</b> TWA: 0.2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hours. Form: Thoracic particulate matter.</p> <p><b>CA Alberta Provincial (Canada, 6/2018).</b> 15 min OEL: 3 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 15 minutes. 8 hrs OEL: 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hours.</p> <p><b>CA Saskatchewan Provincial (Canada, 7/2013).</b> STEL: 0.6 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 15 minutes. TWA: 0.2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hours.</p> <p><b>CA Quebec Provincial (Canada, 6/2022).</b> TWA EV: 0.2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hours. Form: thoracic dust</p> <p><b>CA British Columbia Provincial (Canada, 6/2022). Notes: Refers to sulfuric acid contained in strong inorganic acid mists. Note: This OEL has been suspended. See OHS Guideline 5.84-11.</b> TWA: 0.2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hours. Form: thoracic</p>
Nitric acid	<p><b>CA Alberta Provincial (Canada, 6/2018).</b> 15 min OEL: 4 ppm 15 minutes. 15 min OEL: 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 15 minutes. 8 hrs OEL: 2 ppm 8 hours. 8 hrs OEL: 5.2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hours.</p> <p><b>CA British Columbia Provincial (Canada, 6/2022).</b> TWA: 2 ppm 8 hours. STEL: 4 ppm 15 minutes.</p> <p><b>CA Ontario Provincial (Canada, 6/2019).</b> TWA: 2 ppm 8 hours. STEL: 4 ppm 15 minutes.</p> <p><b>CA Quebec Provincial (Canada, 6/2022).</b> TWA EV: 2 ppm 8 hours. TWA EV: 5.2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hours. STEV: 4 ppm 15 minutes. STEV: 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 15 minutes.</p> <p><b>CA Saskatchewan Provincial (Canada, 7/2013).</b> STEL: 4 ppm 15 minutes. TWA: 2 ppm 8 hours.</p>

**Appropriate engineering controls** : Use only with adequate ventilation. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits.

## Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

**Environmental exposure controls** : Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.

### Individual protection measures

**Hygiene measures** : Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing.

**Eye/face protection** : Continued or severe exposures might required to wear a face shield or chemical splash goggles. It is minimally suggested to wear safety glasses while using or handling this product.

### Skin protection

**Hand protection** : It is suggested to wear chemical-resistant gloves while using or handling this product.

**Body protection** : It is suggested to wear safety apron while using or handling this product.

**Other skin protection** : Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

**Respiratory protection** : No specific protective equipment required under normal use conditions.

## Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

The conditions of measurement of all properties are at standard temperature and pressure unless otherwise indicated.

### Appearance

**Physical state** : Liquid. [Limpid gel]

**Color** : Colorless.

**Odor** : Acid

**Odor threshold** : Not available.

**pH** : 2

**Melting point/freezing point** : Not available.

**Boiling point, initial boiling point, and boiling range** : Not available.

**Flash point** : [Product does not sustain combustion.]

Ingredient name	Closed cup			Open cup		
	°C	°F	Method	°C	°F	Method
citric acid	100	212				
methanesulphonic acid	189	372.2				

**Evaporation rate** : Not available.

**Flammability** : Not available.

**Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit** : Not available.

Ingredient name	Vapor Pressure at 20 °C			Vapor pressure at 50 °C		
	mm Hg	kPa	Method	mm Hg	kPa	Method
nitric acid	48.0039	6.4				
water	17.5	2.3				
methanesulphonic acid	0.00036	0.000048	OECD 104			
citric acid	0.000000017	0.000000023				
sulphuric acid	0	0				

**Relative vapor density** : Not available.

## Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

- Relative density : 1.2  
 Solubility : Not available.  
 Solubility in water : Not available.  
 Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : Not applicable.

Auto-ignition temperature	Ingredient name	°C	°F	Method
	methanesulphonic acid	535	995	DIN 51794
	citric acid	1010	1850	

- Decomposition temperature : Not available.  
 Viscosity : Not available.  
 Flow time (ISO 2431) : Not available.  
 Particle characteristics  
 Median particle size : Not applicable.

## Section 10. Stability and reactivity

- Reactivity : No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients.  
 Chemical stability : The product is stable.  
 Possibility of hazardous reactions : May cause an exothermic reaction in presence of alkali.  
 Conditions to avoid : No specific data.  
 Incompatible materials : Reactive or incompatible with alkali.  
 Hazardous decomposition products : Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## Section 11. Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Dose	Exposure
sulphuric acid	LD50 Oral	Rat	2140 mg/kg	-
Nitric acid	LC50 Inhalation Vapor	Rat	130 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	4 hours
methanesulphonic acid	LD50 Oral	Rat	649 mg/kg	-

#### Irritation/Corrosion

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Score	Exposure	Observation
sulphuric acid	Eyes - Severe irritant	Rabbit	-	250 ug	-
	Eyes - Severe irritant	Rabbit	-	0.5 minutes	-
methanesulphonic acid	Eyes - Severe irritant	Rabbit	-	5 mg 0.1 MI	-

#### Sensitization

Not available.

#### Mutagenicity

Not available.

#### Carcinogenicity

Not available.

## Section 11. Toxicological information

### Reproductive toxicity

Not available.

### Teratogenicity

Not available.

### Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Not available.

### Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Not available.

### Aspiration hazard

Not available.

**Information on the likely routes of exposure** : Routes of entry anticipated: Dermal, Eyes.  
Routes of entry not anticipated: Oral, Inhalation.

### Potential acute health effects

**Eye contact** : May cause eye burn  
**Inhalation** : Toxic if inhaled. Inhalation of vapors or mist may cause respiratory tract irritation.  
**Skin contact** : May cause skin burns  
**Ingestion** : Severely corrosive to the digestive tract. Causes severe burns. May cause burns to mouth, throat and stomach.

### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

**Eye contact** : Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
pain  
watering  
redness  
**Inhalation** : Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
respiratory tract irritation  
coughing  
**Skin contact** : Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
pain or irritation  
redness  
blistering may occur  
**Ingestion** : Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
stomach pains

### Delayed and immediate effects and also chronic effects from short and long term exposure

#### Short term exposure

**Potential immediate effects** : Not available.

**Potential delayed effects** : Not available.

#### Long term exposure

**Potential immediate effects** : Not available.

**Potential delayed effects** : Not available.

### Potential chronic health effects

Not available.

**General** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Carcinogenicity** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Mutagenicity** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
**Reproductive toxicity** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.



## Section 11. Toxicological information

### Numerical measures of toxicity

#### Acute toxicity estimates

Product/ingredient name	Oral (mg/kg)	Dermal (mg/kg)	Inhalation (gases) (ppm)	Inhalation (vapors) (mg/l)	Inhalation (dusts and mists) (mg/l)
ACID GEL	28346.4	48044.7	N/A	2.8	N/A
sulphuric acid	2140	N/A	N/A	0.5	N/A
Nitric acid	N/A	N/A	N/A	3	N/A
methanesulphonic acid	649	1100	N/A	N/A	N/A

## Section 12. Ecological information

### Toxicity

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Exposure
sulphuric acid	Acute LC50 42500 µg/l Marine water	Crustaceans - <i>Pandalus montagui</i> - Adult	48 hours
Nitric acid	Acute LC50 36 µl/L Marine water	Fish - <i>Agonus cataphractus</i>	96 hours
	Acute LC50 180000 µg/l Marine water	Crustaceans - <i>Carcinus maenas</i> - Adult	48 hours
	Acute LC50 72 ppm Fresh water	Fish - <i>Gambusia affinis</i> - Adult	96 hours

### Persistence and degradability

Not available.

### Bioaccumulative potential

Product/ingredient name	LogP <sub>ow</sub>	BCF	Potential
Nitric acid	-0.21	-	Low
methanesulphonic acid	-2.38	-	Low

### Mobility in soil


Soil/water partition coefficient (K<sub>oc</sub>) : Not available.

Other adverse effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## Section 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal methods** : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste should not be disposed of untreated to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been cleaned or rinsed out. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

## Section 14. Transport information

	UN number	UN proper shipping name	Transport hazard class (es)	Packing group	Environmental hazards
<b>TDG Classification</b>	UN1760	Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (sulphuric acid, nitric acid)	8 	II	No.

### Additional information

**TDG Classification** : Product classified as per the following sections of the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations: 2.40-2.42 (Class 8).

**Special precautions for user** : **Transport within user's premises:** always transport in closed containers that are upright and secure. Ensure that persons transporting the product know what to do in the event of an accident or spillage.

**Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments** : Not available.

## Section 15. Regulatory information

### Canadian lists

**Canadian NPRI** : The following components are listed: sulphuric acid; nitric acid

**CEPA Toxic substances** : None of the components are listed.

### International regulations

#### Chemical Weapon Convention List Schedules I, II & III Chemicals

Not listed.

#### Montreal Protocol

Not listed.

#### Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants

Not listed.

#### Rotterdam Convention on Prior Informed Consent (PIC)

Not listed.

#### UNECE Aarhus Protocol on POPs and Heavy Metals

Not listed.

### Inventory list

**Canada** : All components are listed or exempted.

**United States** : Not determined.

## Section 16. Other information

### History

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## Section 16. Other information

**Key to abbreviations** :

- ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimate
- BCF = Bioconcentration Factor
- GHS = Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
- HPR = Hazardous Products Regulations
- IATA = International Air Transport Association
- IBC = Intermediate Bulk Container
- IMDG = International Maritime Dangerous Goods
- LogPow = logarithm of the octanol/water partition coefficient
- MARPOL = International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978. ("Marpol" = marine pollution)
- N/A = Not available
- SGG = Segregation Group
- UN = United Nations

### Procedure used to derive the classification

Classification	Justification
ACUTE TOXICITY (inhalation) - Category 3	Calculation method
SKIN CORROSION - Category 1	On basis of test data
SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE - Category 1	On basis of test data
Health Hazards Not Otherwise Classified - Category 1	Calculation method

**References** : Not available.

✔ Indicates information that has changed from previously issued version.

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