

SULPHURIC ACID 2M SOLUTION

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# Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name: SULPHURIC ACID 2M SOLUTION

Product code: A71948

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

Use of substance / mixture: Laboratory Chemicals, Manufacture of Substances.

# 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency tel: +44 (0) 845 1200 506

### Section 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification under CLP: Met. Corr. 1: H290; Skin Corr. 1A: H314

Most important adverse effects: May be corrosive to metals. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

#### 2.2. Label elements

Label elements:

Hazard statements: H290: May be corrosive to metals.

H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Signal words: Danger

Hazard pictograms: GHS05: Corrosion



**Precautionary statements:** P260: Do not breathe dust/fumes/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P301+330+331: IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

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P303+361+353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Rinse skin with water/shower.

P304+340: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P305+351+338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

**PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

### Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.2. Mixtures

## **Hazardous ingredients:**

### SULPHURIC ACID

EINECS	CAS	PBT / WEL	CLP Classification	Percent
231-639-5	7664-93-9	-	Skin Corr. 1A: H314	10-30%

#### Section 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**Skin contact:** Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin.

Drench the affected skin with running water for 10 minutes or longer if substance is still

on skin. Transfer to hospital if there are burns or symptoms of poisoning.

**Eye contact:** Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Transfer to hospital for specialist

examination.

Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Give 1 cup of water to drink every 10

minutes. If unconscious, check for breathing and apply artificial respiration if necessary.

If unconscious and breathing is OK, place in the recovery position. Transfer to hospital

as soon as possible.

Inhalation: Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. If

unconscious and breathing is OK, place in the recovery position. If conscious, ensure the casualty sits or lies down. If breathing becomes bubbly, have the casualty sit and

provide oxygen if available. Transfer to hospital as soon as possible.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Skin contact: Blistering may occur. Progressive ulceration will occur if treatment is not immediate.

Eye contact: Corneal burns may occur. May cause permanent damage.

Ingestion: Corrosive burns may appear around the lips. Blood may be vomited. There may be

bleeding from the mouth or nose.

Inhalation: There may be shortness of breath with a burning sensation in the throat. Exposure may

cause coughing or wheezing.

Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

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#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Immediate / special treatment: Eye bathing equipment should be available on the premises.

#### Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Extinguishing media:** Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used. Use water spray

to cool containers. CO2, extingushing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet

or alcohol-resistant foam.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Exposure hazards: Corrosive. In combustion emits toxic fumes. In combustion emits toxic fumes of sulphur

oxides.

## 5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

Advice for fire-fighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact

with skin and eyes.

#### Section 6: Accidental release measures

## 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions: Notify the police and fire brigade immediately. If outside keep bystanders upwind and

away from danger point. Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access

to unauthorised personnel. Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective

clothing - see section 8 of SDS. Turn leaking containers leak-side up to prevent the

escape of liquid.

## 6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

## 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Clean-up procedures: Clean-up should be dealt with only by qualified personnel familiar with the specific

substance. Absorb into dry earth or sand. Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage

container for disposal by an appropriate method.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections: Refer to section 8 of SDS. Refer to section 13 of SDS.

## Section 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handling requirements: Avoid direct contact with the substance. Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area.

Do not handle in a confined space. Avoid the formation or spread of mists in the air.

Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. For precautions see section 2.2

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#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Store in a cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s): Apart from uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

# Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

#### **Hazardous ingredients:**

# **SULPHURIC ACID...100%**

## Workplace exposure limits:

### Respirable dust

State	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL
UK	0.05 mg/m3	-	-	-

#### **DNEL/PNEC Values**

**DNEL / PNEC** No data available.

## 8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering measures: Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Handle in accordance with good

industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of

workday.

Respiratory protection: Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full face

respirator with multi purpose combination (US) or type AXBEK (EN14387 respirator

cartridges as a back up to engineering controls.

Hand protection: Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal

technique

(without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose

of

contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws a Full contact

Material: Fluorinated rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.7 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Vitoject® (KCL 890 / Aldrich Z677698, Size M) Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Eye protection: Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). Use equipment for eye

protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as

NIOSH (US) or EN166(EU). Ensure eye bath is to hand.

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Skin protection: Impermeable protective clothing. The type of protective equipment must be selected

according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific

workplace. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

# Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

State: Liquid

Colour: Colourless

**Evaporation rate:** No data available.

Oxidising: No data available.

Solubility in water: No data available.

Viscosity: No data available.

Boiling point/range°C: No data available. Melting point/range°C: No data available.

Flammability limits %: lower: No data available. upper: No data available.

Flash point°C: No data available. Part.coeff. n-octanol/water: No data available.

Autoflammability°C: No data available. Vapour pressure: No data available.

Relative density: No data available. pH: No data available.

VOC g/I: No data available.

# 9.2. Other information

Other information: No data available.

## Section 10: Stability and reactivity

## 10.1. Reactivity

**Reactivity:** Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

## 10.2. Chemical stability

Chemical stability: Stable under normal conditions.

## 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.

Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid: Heat.

# 10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid: Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.

# 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Haz. decomp. products: In combustion emits toxic fumes.

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## **Section 11: Toxicological information**

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

### Hazardous ingredients:

#### **SULPHURIC ACID...100%**

ORL	RAT	LD50	2140	ma/ka
OILL	13/51	LD30	2140	mg/kg

#### Relevant hazards for substance:

Hazard	Route	Basis
Skin corrosion/irritation	DRM	Hazardous: calculated
Serious eye damage/irritation	OPT	Hazardous: calculated

#### Symptoms / routes of exposure

Skin contact: Blistering may occur. Progressive ulceration will occur if treatment is not immediate.

**Eye contact:** Corneal burns may occur. May cause permanent damage.

Ingestion: Corrosive burns may appear around the lips. Blood may be vomited. There may be

bleeding from the mouth or nose.

**Inhalation:** There may be shortness of breath with a burning sensation in the throat. Exposure may

cause coughing or wheezing.

Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

#### **Section 12: Ecological information**

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity values: No data available.

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability: Biodegradable.

## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: No bioaccumulation potential.

# 12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility: Readily absorbed into soil.

# 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT identification: This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects: Negligible ecotoxicity.

# **Section 13: Disposal considerations**

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#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal operations: Transfer to a suitable container and arrange for collection by specialised disposal

company.

NB: The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national

regulations regarding disposal.

# **Section 14: Transport information**

#### 14.1. UN number

UN number: UN2796

## 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Shipping name: BATTERY FLUID, ACID

## 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Transport class: 8

## 14.4. Packing group

Packing group: II

## 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous: No Marine pollutant: No

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Special precautions: No special precautions.

Tunnel code: E
Transport category: 2

## **Section 15: Regulatory information**

# 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Specific regulations: Not applicable.

# 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

#### **Section 16: Other information**

### Other information

Other information: This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No

453/2010.

\* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

Phrases used in s.2 and s.3: H290: May be corrosive to metals.

H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Legal disclaimer: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive

and shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any

damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.