1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product Name: SOUR

Other means of identification:
Product Code: 405
UN/ID No.: UN1778
Synonyms: None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use:
Recommended Use: Iron Removing Sour.
Uses advised against: No information available

Emergency telephone number
Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status
This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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Label elements

Emergency Overview

Danger

Hazard statements
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
May be corrosive to metals

Appearance: aqueous solution
Physical state: liquid
Odor: Pungent

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
Precautionary Statements - Response
Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
Specific treatment (see Section 4 on this label)
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
Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

Precautionary Statements - Storage
Store locked up
Store in a corrosive resistant container.

Precautionary Statements - Disposal
Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)
Other Information
• May be harmful if swallowed

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*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

General advice
Immediate medical attention is required.

Eye contact
Flush immediately with water for 15 minutes. Lift upper and lower eyelids for complete rinsing. Get immediate medical attention.

Skin Contact
Immediately flush with water for at least 15-20 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes, paying particular attention to skin under the nails. Always get medical attention no matter how minor skin burns appear. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse, but destroy contaminated shoes.

Inhalation
Remove victim from immediate source of exposure to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen if available. If victim is not breathing, administer CPR. If individual experiences nausea, headache, or dizziness, get immediate medical attention.

Ingestion
Rinse mouth with water. Give water to dilute. Do not induce vomiting. Get immediate medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to a semi-comatose, comatose, convulsing or unconscious person. Rinse mouth.

Self-protection of the first aider
Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed
Symptoms

Corrosive. Contact may cause severe eye irritation, eye burns, and permanent eye damage. Contact may cause severe skin irritation, skin burns, and permanent skin damage. Harmful if inhaled. May cause severe irritation and burns of the nose, throat, and respiratory tract. Harmful or fatal if swallowed. May cause severe irritation and burns of the mouth, throat and digestive tract. Symptoms of overexposure may include ulceration of the nose and throat, coughing, salivation, headache, fatigue, dizziness, nausea, shock, and pulmonary edema (accumulation of fluid around the lungs). May lead to coma or death. Onset of symptoms may be delayed. Prolonged or repeated overexposure to fluoride compounds may cause fluorosis. Fluorosis is characterized by skeletal changes, consisting of osteosclerosis (hardening or abnormal density of bone) and osteomalacia (softening of bones) and by mottled discoloration of the enamel of teeth (if exposure occurs during enamel formation). Symptoms may include bone and joint pain and limited range of motion. Conditions aggravated by exposure may include skin and respiratory (asthma-like) disorders.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians

Beware of late onset of pulmonary edema for up to 48 hours. Treat severe burns similar to hydrofluoric acid exposure.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

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

Large Fire

Water spray or fog.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

None known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas. Keep container cool with water, using fog nozzles, as decomposition will occur above 222°F and produce toxic and corrosive fumes of fluoride.

Hazardous combustion products

When heated to decomposition (222°F), it emits highly toxic and corrosive fumes of hydrofluoric acid, silicon tetrafluoride and hydrogen gas.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

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. Use water spray to cool fire exposed containers.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions

Evacuate nonessential personnel. Ventilate area. Wear appropriate personal protection equipment.

Environmental precautions

See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods for containment

Completely contain spilled material with dikes or sand bags, etc.

Methods for cleaning up

Recover as much material as possible into containers for disposal or reuse. Remaining material may be diluted with water and neutralized. Flush spill area with water. Neutralization products, both solid and liquid, must be recovered for disposal. Provide ventilation and be wary of hydrogen generated upon contact with some metals.
7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling  
Do not get in eyes, on skin, or clothing. Do not breathe vapors or mists. Do not ingest. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear protective clothing/equipment. Use with adequate ventilation. If pungent, irritating odor can be detected, workers are being overexposed.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions  
Keep containers tightly closed and properly labeled. Containers that have been emptied will retain product residue and should be handled as if they were full. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place away from incompatible materials. Wash hands before eating, drinking, using tobacco, applying make-up or using the toilet. Do not store, use, and/or consume foods, beverages, tobacco in areas where this product is stored. Avoid contact with heat, sparks and open flames.

Incompatible materials  
Avoid contact with metals, stoneware, strong acids and alkalies, explosives, toxicants, readily oxidizable materials, alkali metals, combustible solids, and organic peroxides.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

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Appropriate engineering controls

Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection  
Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin and body protection  
Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.

Respiratory protection  
If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene Considerations  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity
No data available

Chemical stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions
None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid
Heat, flames and sparks.

Incompatible materials
Avoid contact with metals, stoneware, strong acids and alkalies, explosives, toxicants, readily oxidizable materials, alkali metals, combustible solids, and organic peroxides.

Hazardous Decomposition Products
When heated to decomposition (222°F), it emits highly toxic and corrosive fumes of hydrofluoric acid, silicon tetrafluoride and hydrogen gas.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information
No data available

Inhalation
May cause irritation of respiratory tract. Causes burns.

Eye contact
Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Skin Contact
Contact causes severe skin irritation and possible burns.

Ingestion
May be fatal if swallowed.
Chemical Name | Oral LD50 | Dermal LD50 | Inhalation LC50
---|---|---|---
Fluorosilicic acid 16961-83-4 | = 125 mg/kg (Rat) | - | = 1.11 mg/L (Rat) 1 h

Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms**
No information available.

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure**

Sensitization
No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity
No information available.

Carcinogenicity
No information available.

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**Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information**

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document.

ATEmix (oral) 2500 mg/kg

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity**

0% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

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**Persistence and degradability**
No information available.

**Bioaccumulation**
No information available.

**Other adverse effects**
No information available

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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**
Do not reuse container.

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14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

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Legend:
- TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
- DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
- EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances
- ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
- IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
- KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
- PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
- AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

US Federal Regulations

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

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

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CWA (Clean Water Act)
This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

CERCLA
This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

US State Regulations
California Proposition 65
This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

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U.S. EPA Label Information
EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not Applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA
Health hazards 3  Flammability 0  Instability 1  Physical and Chemical Properties -

HMIS
Health hazards 3  Flammability 0  Physical hazards 1  Personal protection X

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End of Safety Data Sheet