

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media 'RQRWDOORZZDWHUWRFRQWDFWSURGXFWLIWKHUHLVDOHDN

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No information available.

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. Remove all sources of ignition.\$YRLGFRQWDFWZLWKHHVNLQRUFORWKLQJ

Environmental precautions

See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods for containment

Stop leak if you can do it without risk. 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.

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.

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.

Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agent. Acids. Bases. Metals. Alcohols. Alkali. Organic material. Strong bases. Strong acids. Reducing agent. Cyanide compounds. Sulfides. Carbides.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH

Nitric acid 7697-37-2	STEL: 4 ppm TWA: 2 ppm	TWA: 2 ppm TWA: 5 mg/m ³ (vacated) TWA: 2 ppm (vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m ³ (vacated) STEL: 4 ppm (vacated) STEL: 10 mg/m ³	IDLH: 25 ppm TWA: 2 ppm TWA: 5 mg/m ³ STEL: 4 ppm STEL: 10 mg/m ³
Sulfuric acid 7664-93-9	TWA: 0.2 mg/m ³ thoracic fraction	TWA: 1 mg/m ³ (vacated) TWA: 1 mg/m ³	IDLH: 15 mg/m ³ TWA: 1 mg/m ³

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). Face protection shield.
- Skin and body protection** Suitable protective clothing. Rubber gloves.
- 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 Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	liquid	Odor	Acrid odor
Appearance	aqueous solution	Odor threshold	No information available
Color	clear colorless		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	1.6	1% Solution
Melting point/freezing point	No information available	
Boiling point / boiling range	No information available	
Flash point	No information available	
Evaporation rate	No information available	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available	
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit:	No information available	
Lower flammability limit:	No information available	
Vapor pressure	No information available	
Vapor density	No information available	
Specific Gravity	1.176	
Water solubility	Soluble in water	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	
Partition coefficient	No information available	
Autoignition temperature	No information available	
Decomposition temperature	No information available	
Kinematic viscosity	No information available	
Dynamic viscosity	No information available	
Explosive properties	No information available	
Oxidizing properties	No information available	

Other Information

Softening point No information available
Molecular weight No information available

VOC Content (%) No information available
Density No information available
Bulk density No information available

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

High temperatures might lead to formation of nitrogen dioxide. Contact with water may cause violent reaction with evolution of heat. To dilute: Add product slowly to lukewarm water; not water to product.

Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agent. Acids. Bases. Metals. Alcohols. Alkali. Organic material. Strong bases. Strong acids. Reducing agent. Cyanide compounds. Sulfides. Carbides.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Hydrogen gas may be released upon contact with certain metals. Releases sulfur dioxide at extremely high temperatures.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information No data available

Inhalation May cause severe irritation/burns of respiratory tract.

Eye contact Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Skin Contact Contact causes severe skin irritation and possible burns.

Ingestion Harmful if swallowed.

Chemical Name	ATEmix (oral)	ATEmix (dermal)	Inhalation LC50
Nitric acid 7697-37-2	-	-	= 67 ppm (Rat) 4 h
Sulfuric acid 7664-93-9	= 2140 mg/kg (Rat)	-	= 510 mg/m ³ (Rat) 2 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.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Nitric acid 7697-37-2	-	Group 2A	-	X
Sulfuric acid 7664-93-9	A2	Group 1	Known	X

Reproductive toxicity No information available.

STOT - single exposure No information available.

STOT - repeated exposure No information available.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

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

ATEmix (oral) 28533 mg/kg
 ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist) 3.4 mg/l
 ATEmix (inhalation-vapor) 335 mg/l

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

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

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Nitric acid 7697-37-2	-	72: 96 h Gambusia affinis mg/L LC50	-
Sulfuric acid 7664-93-9	-	500: 96 h Brachydanio rerio mg/L LC50 static	29: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

Persistence and degradability

No information available.

Bioaccumulation

No information available.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
Nitric acid 7697-37-2	-2.3

Other adverse effects No information available

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.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Nitric acid 7697-37-2	Toxic Corrosive Ignitable
Sulfuric acid 7664-93-9	Toxic Corrosive

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Regulated
UN/ID No. UN3264
Proper shipping name Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.
Hazardous ingredients (nitric acid/sulfuric acid)
Hazard Class 8
Packing Group II

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDSL	Complies
EINECS/ELINCS	Complies
ENCS	Does not comply
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

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 contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical Name	SARA 313 - Percent by Weight
Nitric acid - 7697-37-2	20.0%
Sulfuric acid - 7664-93-9	7.5%

SARA 311/312 Hazards

Corrosive to Metal
Acute Toxicity
Serious eye damage or eye irritation
Skin corrosion or irritation

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)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Nitric acid 7697-37-2	1000 lb	-	-	X
Sulfuric acid 7664-93-9	1000 lb	-	-	X

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

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Nitric acid 7697-37-2	1000 lb	1000 lb	RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

Sulfuric acid 7664-93-9	1000 lb	1000 lb	RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ
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US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

Chemical Name	California Proposition 65
Sulfuric acid - 7664-93-9	Carcinogen

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Nitric acid 7697-37-2	X	X	X
Sulfuric acid 7664-93-9	X	X	X

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

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