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

Product name: FE1

Product code: RP4805

Use / description of product: Corrosive. Liquid.

2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient 1: ACETIC ACID 10-30%

CAS: 64-19-7

EINECS: 200-580-7 [-] R10; [C] R35;

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Main hazards: Causes burns.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES (SYMPTOMS)

Skin contact: Irritation or pain may occur at the site of contact. Progressive ulceration will occur if

treatment is not immediate.

Eye contact: There may be irritation and pain. Corneal burns may occur.

Ingestion: There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. Corrosive burns may

appear around the lips. Nausea and stomach pain may occur.

Inhalation: There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES (ACTION)

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

on skin.

Eye contact: Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes.

Ingestion: If conscious, give 1 pint of water to drink immediately. Transfer to hospital as soon as

possible.

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

hospital as soon as possible.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media: Water. Carbon dioxide. Dry chemical powder. Foam Vapourising Liquids.

Exposure hazards: In combustion emits toxic fumes.

Protection of fire-fighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details.

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Environmental precautions: Do not allow large quantities to enter local drainage systems

Clean-up procedures: Cover the spillage with sodium bicarbonate or similar powdered alkali. Add a small

amount of water and mix. Transfer to a suitable container. Neutralise with dilute

hydrochloric acid testing with litmus paper periodically. Wash down the drain with large

amounts of water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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

substance

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

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering measures: Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area.

Respiratory protection: Self-contained breathing apparatus must be available in case of emergency.

Hand protection: Protective gloves.

Eye protection: Safety goggles. Face-shield.

Skin protection: Protective clothing with elasticated cuffs and closed neck.

TWA (8 hr exposure limit): 25 (acetic acid)
STEL (15 min exposure limit): 37 (acetic acid)

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

State: Liquid

Colourless

Odour: Vinegar.

Viscosity: Non-viscous

Oxidising: Non-oxidising (by EC criteria)

Evaporation rate: Slow

Solubility in water: Miscible in all proportions

pH: 1

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to avoid: Heat. Moist air.

Materials to avoid: Oxidising agents.

Haz. decomp. products: When heated to decomposition, emits irritating fumes

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ingredient 1: ACETIC ACID...100%

ORL RAT LD50 3310mg/kg

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Mobility: Non-volatile.

Persistence and degradability: Biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential: No bioaccumulation potential.

Other adverse effects: Negligible ecotoxicity.

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13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal: Neutralise with excess sodium bicarbonate solution. Flush liquors to drain, local

regulations permitting, or send to a waste water treatment plant.

Disposal of packaging Dispose of as normal industrial waste.

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

regarding disposal.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADR / RID

UN no: 2790

ADR Class: 8

Hazard ID no: 80

Labelling: 8

Shipping name: ACETIC ACID, SOLUTION

IMDG / IMO

UN no: 2790

Class: 8

Packing group: II

EmS: 8-15

Marine pollutant: YES

Labelling: 8

IATA / ICAO

UN no: 2790

Class: 8

Packing group: III

Packing instructions: 820

Quantity 60 L

Labelling: 8

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Hazard symbols: Corrosive.

Risk phrases: R34: Causes burns.

Safety phrases: S2: Keep out of the reach of children.

S23: Do not breathe srpay.

S26: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek

medical advice.

S45: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show

the label where possible).

Note: The regulatory information given above only indicates the principal regulations

specifically applicable to the product described in the safety data sheet. The user's

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attention is drawn to the possible existence of additional provisions which complete these regulations. Refer to all applicable national, international and local regulations or provisions.

16. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Risk phrases used in s.2: R10: Flammable.

R35: Causes severe burns.

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.