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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

**1.1. Product identifier**

Product name : Acetic acid  
SDS-number : 000000020238  
Type of product : Substance  
Remarks : SDS according to Art. 31 of Regulation (EC) 1907/2006.  
Chemical name : Acetic acid  
Index-No. : 607-002-00-6  
REACH Registration Number : no data available

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

Use of the Substance/Mixture : Laboratory chemicals  
Industrial use  
Uses advised against : none

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

Company : Honeywell Specialty Chemicals Seelze GmbH  
Wunstorfer Straße 40  
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**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

Emergency telephone number : +1-703-527-3887 (ChemTrec-Transport)  
+1-303-389-1414 (Medical)  
Country based Poison : see chapter 15.1

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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**

**REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008**

Flammable liquids Category 3  
H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.  
Skin corrosion Category 1A  
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

**2.2. Label elements**

**REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008**

Hazard pictograms



Signal word

: Danger

Hazard statements

: H226 Flammable liquid and vapour.  
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statements

: P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.  
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P284 In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.  
P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.  
P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.  
P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  
P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

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### 2.3. Other hazards

Vapours may form explosive mixtures with air. The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher. This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substance

Chemical name	CAS-No. Index-No. REACH Registration Number EC-No.	Classification 1272/2008	Concentration	Remarks
Acetic acid	64-19-7 607-002-00-6 200-580-7	Flam. Liq. 3; H226 Skin Corr. 1A; H314	100 %	Eye Irrit. 2; H319:10 - < 25 % Skin Corr. 1B; H314:25 - < 90 % Skin Corr. 1A; H314:>= 90 % Skin Irrit. 2; H315:10 - < 25 %

### 3.2. Mixture

Not applicable

Occupational Exposure Limit(s), if available, are listed in Section 8.  
For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

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**SECTION 4: First aid measures**

**4.1 Description of first aid measures**

*General advice:*

First aider needs to protect himself. Move out of dangerous area. Immediately take off contaminated clothing and rinse body with plenty of water.

*Inhalation:*

Remove to fresh air. If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Use oxygen as required, provided a qualified operator is present. Call a physician immediately.

*Skin contact:*

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Call a physician immediately.

*Eye contact:*

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician immediately.

*Ingestion:*

Do NOT induce vomiting. If victim is fully conscious, give a cupful of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician immediately.

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

No data available

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

Treat symptomatically.

See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

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### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

*Suitable extinguishing media:*

Water spray  
Foam  
Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
Dry powder

*Extinguishing media which shall not be used for safety reasons:*

High volume water jet

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

Flammable.

Vapours may form explosive mixtures with air.

Vapours are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Vapors may travel to areas away from work site before igniting/flashing back to vapor source.

In case of fire hazardous decomposition products may be produced such as:

Carbon monoxide  
Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray.

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### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Wear personal protective equipment. Immediately evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Remove all sources of ignition. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not breathe vapours or spray mist. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

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Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Discharge into the environment must be avoided. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains.

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

Soak up with inert absorbent material.  
Pick for disposal in tightly closed containers  
Neutralise with the following product(s):  
Neutralize with lime milk or soda and flush with plenty of water.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For personal protection see section 8.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

*Advice on safe handling:*

Exhaust ventilation at the object is necessary. Use only acid resistant equipment.

*Advice on protection against fire and explosion:*

Keep away from fire, sparks and heated surfaces. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Ensure all equipment is electrically grounded before beginning transfer operations. Use explosion-proof equipment. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. No sparking tools should be used.

*Hygiene measures:*

Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Keep working clothes separately. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

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

*Further information on storage conditions:*

Store in original container. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Do not leave vessels/containers open. Avoid product residues in/on containers. Containers should be protected against falling down.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

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no additional data available

**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

**8.1. Control parameters**

**Occupational exposure limits:**

Components	Basis / Value type	Value / Form of exposure	Exceeding Factor	Remarks
Acetic acid	EH40 WEL STEL	50 mg/m3 20 ppm	15 minutes	
Acetic acid	EH40 WEL TWA	25 mg/m3 10 ppm		
Acetic acid	EU ELV TWA	25 mg/m3 10 ppm		Indicative
Acetic acid	EU ELV STEL	50 mg/m3 20 ppm		Indicative

STEL - Short term exposure limit  
TWA - Time weighted average

**DNEL/ PNEC-Values**

Component	End-use/impact	Exposure duration	Value	Exposure routes	Remarks
Acetic acid	Workers / Long-term local effects		25 mg/m3	Inhalation	
Acetic acid	Workers / Acute local effects		25 mg/m3	Inhalation	
Acetic acid	Consumers / Long-term local effects		25 mg/m3	Inhalation	
Acetic acid	Consumers / Acute local effects		25 mg/m3	Inhalation	

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Component	Environmental compartment / Value	Remarks
Acetic acid	Fresh water: 3,06 mg/l	Assessment factor: 100
Acetic acid	Marine water: 0,3 mg/l	Assessment factor: 1000
Acetic acid	Sewage treatment plant: 85 mg/l	Assessment factor: 10
Acetic acid	Fresh water sediment: 11,36 mg/kg dw	
Acetic acid	Marine sediment: 1,1 mg/kg dw	
Acetic acid	Soil: 0,47 mg/kg dw	

**8.2. Exposure controls**

**Occupational exposure controls**

The Personal Protective Equipment must be in accordance with EN standards:respirator EN 136, 140, 149; safety glasses EN 166; protective suit: EN 340, 463, 468, 943-1, 943-2; gloves EN 374, 511; safety shoes EN-ISO 20345.

Take off all contaminated clothing immediately.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Recommended preventive skin protection

Do not breathe vapours or spray mist.

**Engineering measures**

Use with local exhaust ventilation.

Prevent vapour buildup by providing adequate ventilation during and after use.

**Personal protective equipment**

*Respiratory protection:*

In the case of vapour formation use a respirator with an approved filter.

*Hand protection:*

Glove material: butyl-rubber

Break through time: > 480 min

Glove thickness: 0,7 mm

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Gloves must be inspected prior to use.

Replace when worn.

Remarks: Supplementary note: The specifications are based on information and tests from similar substances by analogy.

Due to varying conditions ( e.g.temperature or other strains) it must be considered that the usage of a chemical protective glove in practice may be much shorter than the permeation time determined in accordance with EN 374.

Since actual conditions of practical use often deviate from standardised conditions according EN 374 the glove manufacturer recommends to use the chemical protective glove in practice not longer than 50% of the recommended permeation time.

Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types .

Suitable gloves tested according EN 374 are supplied e.g. from KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Vertrieb@kcl.de

### *Eye protection:*

Safety goggles

### *Skin and body protection:*

acid-proof protective clothing

## **Environmental exposure controls**

Handle in accordance with local environmental regulations and good industrial practices.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### **9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state	:	liquid
Colour	:	colourless
Odour	:	stinging
molecular weight	:	60,05 g/mol
Melting point/range	:	16 °C
Boiling point/boiling range	:	118 °C at 1.013 hPa
Flammability	:	Not applicable

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Upper explosion limit	:	17 %(V)
Lower explosion limit	:	4 %(V)
Flash point	:	40 °C Method: DIN 51755
Auto-ignition temperature	:	485 °C
Decomposition temperature	:	At normal pressure may be distilled without decomposition. Fire or intense heat may cause violent rupture of packages.
pH	:	acidic
Viscosity, kinematic	:	not determined
Water solubility	:	completely miscible
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	log Pow -0,17
Vapour pressure	:	16 hPa at 20 °C
Vapour pressure	:	74 hPa at 50 °C
Density	:	ca. 1,05 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C
Relative vapour density	:	No data available

**9.2 Other Information**

Evaporation rate	:	No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	:	ca. 1,22 mPa.s at 20 °C

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**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

**10.1. Reactivity**

Stable under normal conditions.

**10.2. Chemical stability**

At normal pressure may be distilled without decomposition.  
Fire or intense heat may cause violent rupture of packages.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.  
Gives off hydrogen by reaction with metals.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid**

Heat, flames and sparks.  
Keep away from direct sunlight.

**10.5. Incompatible materials**

Corrosive in contact with metals  
Gives off hydrogen by reaction with metals.  
Bases  
Oxidizing agents  
Reducing agents

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.  
To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat.  
In case of fire hazardous decomposition products may be produced such as:  
Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
Carbon monoxide  
Combustion produces caustic fumes.

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**SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

**11.1. Information on toxicological effects**

*Acute oral toxicity:*

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No data available

*Acute dermal toxicity:*

No data available

*Acute inhalation toxicity:*

No data available

*Skin irritation:*

Classification based on Annex VI of regulation 1272/2008/EC.

*Eye irritation:*

Classification based on Annex VI of regulation 1272/2008/EC.

*Respiratory or skin sensitisation:*

No data available

*Carcinogenicity:*

Species: not specified

Note: Not classified due to data which are conclusive although insufficient for classification.

*Germ cell mutagenicity:*

Cell type: Chinese Hamster Ovary Cells

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Test Method: Ames test

Cell type: Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Test Method: Chromosome aberration test

Species: Rat

Method: Mutagenicity (micronucleus test)

Result: negative

*Reproductive toxicity:*

Test Type: Pre-/postnatal development

Species: Mouse

Route of Application: Oral

Result: No significant adverse effects were reported

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*Aspiration hazard:*  
No data available

**11.2. Information on other hazards**

Endocrine disrupting properties  
No data available

*Other information:*  
No data available

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**SECTION 12: Ecological information**

**12.1. Toxicity**

*Toxicity to fish:*  
LC50  
Species: *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (rainbow trout)  
Value: > 1.000 mg/l  
Exposure time: 96 h  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 203  
Test substance: REACH dossier "read-across"

*Toxicity to aquatic plants:*  
EC50  
static test  
Species: *Skeletonema costatum* (marine diatom)  
Value: > 1.000 mg/l  
Exposure time: 72 h  
Test substance: REACH dossier "read-across"

*Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:*  
LC50  
static test  
Species: *Daphnia* (water flea)  
Value: > 1.000 mg/l  
Exposure time: 48 h  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 202  
Test substance: REACH dossier "read-across"

**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

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### *Biodegradability:*

Biodegradation: 96 %

Exposure time: 20 d

Readily biodegradable.

### **12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

Bioaccumulation is unlikely.

### **12.4. Mobility in soil**

No data available

### **12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating and toxic (PBT).

This substance is not considered to be very persistent and very bioaccumulating (vPvB).

### **12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties**

No data available

### **12.7. Other adverse effects**

No data available

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## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### **13.1. Waste treatment methods**

#### *Product:*

Dispose according to legal requirements.

#### *Packaging:*

Legal requirements are to be considered in regard of reuse or disposal of used packaging materials

#### *Further information:*

Provisions relating to waste:

EC Directive 2006/12/EC; 2008/98/EEC

Regulation No. 1013/2006

For personal protection see section 8.

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## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

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**14.1 UN number**

ADR/RID:2789

IMDG:2789

IATA:2789

**14.2 UN proper shipping name**

ADR/RID:ACETIC ACID, GLACIAL

IMDG:ACETIC ACID, GLACIAL

IATA:Acetic acid, glacial

**14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

ADR/RID: 8 (3)

IMDG: 8 (3)

IATA: 8 (3)

**14.4 Packaging group**

ADR/RID: II

IMDG: II

IATA: II

**14.5 Environmental hazards**

ADR/RID:no

Marine pollutant: no

**14.6 Special precautions for user**

IMDG Code segregation group (SGG1) – ACIDS,

**14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments**

No data available

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

Basis	Value	Remarks
Directive 2012/18/EC SEVESO III Listed in Regulation : P5c: FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS Number in Regulation: 1.2.5.3	<b>Quantity:</b> 5.000.000 kg <b>Quantity:</b> 50.000.000 kg	
Substances of very high concern (SVHC)		This product does not contain substances of very high concern according to Regulation (EC) No Article 57 above the respective regulatory 1907/2006 (REACH), concentration limit of $\geq 0.1$ % (w/w).

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**VOC:**

Directive 2010/75/EU of 24 November 2010 on industrial emissions (integrated pollution prevention and control), 100 %

**VOC:**

Directive 2004/42/EC, 100 %

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**Other inventory information**

US. Toxic Substances Control Act  
On TSCA Inventory

Australia. Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC), as amended  
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Canada. Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA). Domestic Substances List (DSL)  
All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

Japan. Kashin-Hou Law List  
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Korea. Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI)  
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Philippines. Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)  
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

China. Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (IECSC)  
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

New Zealand. Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC), as published by ERMA New Zealand  
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)  
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

**15.2 Chemical safety assessment**

A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

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**SECTION 16: Other information**

**Text of H-statements referred to under heading 3**

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**Further information**

All directives and regulations refer to amended versions.  
Vertical lines in the left hand margin indicate a relevant amendment from the previous version.

Abbreviations:

EC European Community  
CAS Chemical Abstracts Service  
DNEL Derived no effect level  
PNEC Predicted no effect level  
vPvB Very persistent and very bioaccumulative substance  
PBT Persistent, bioaccumulative und toxic substance

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