

Safety Data Sheet

Phenol, 90% Liquified, USP

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Phenol, 90% Liquified, USP

Synonyms/Generic Names: Carbolic Acid, Liquified

Product Number: 4000

Product Use: Industrial, Manufacturing or Laboratory use

Manufacturer: Columbus Chemical Industries, Inc. N4335 Temkin Rd. Columbus, WI. 53925

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In Case of Emergency Call: CHEMTREC - 800-424-9300 or 703-527-3887 (24 Hours/Day, 7 Days/Week)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC): Vesicant, Rapidly absorbed through skin

Target Organ(s): Central nervous system, Kidney, Liver, Pancreas, Spleen

Signal Word: Danger

Pictograms:



GHS Classification:

Flammable liquids	Category 4
Acute toxicity, Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity, Inhalation	Category 3
Acute toxicity, Dermal	Category 3
Skin corrosion	Category 1B
Serious eye damage	Category 1
Germ cell mutagenicity	Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	Category 2
Acute aquatic toxicity	Category 3
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 2

GHS Label Elements, including precautionary statements:

Hazard Statements:

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H227	Combustible liquid.	
H302	Harmful if swallowed.	
H311+H331	Toxic in contact with skin or if inhaled.	
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.	
H341	Suspected of causing genetic defects.	
H411	Toxic to aguatic life with long lasting effects.	

Precautionary Statements:

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P201	Obtain special instructions before use.		
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.		
P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.		
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.		
P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.		
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.		
P271	Use in a well-ventilated area.		
P273	Avoid release to the environment.		
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.		
P301+P330+P331	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting.		
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse		
	skin with water/shower.		
	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for		
P304+P340	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.		
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician.		
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.		
P370+P378	In case of fire: Use appropriate media to extinguish.		
P391	Collect spillage.		
P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.		
P405	Store locked up.		
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.		

Potential Health Effects

Eyes	Causes eye burns.
Inhalation	Toxic if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes
	and upper respiratory tract.
Skin	Toxic if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.
Ingestion	Toxic if swallowed.

NFPA Ratings

Health	3
Flammability	2
Reactivity	0
Specific hazard	Not Available

HMIS Ratings

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Health	3	
Fire	2	
Reactivity	0	

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	Weight %	CAS #	EINECS# / ELINCS#	Formula	Molecular Weight
Phenol	90	108-95-2	203-632-7	C ₆ H ₆ O	94.11 g/mol
Water	Balance	7732-18-5	231-791-2	H ₂ O	18.00 g/mol

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Eyes	Rinse with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical attention immediately.
Inhalation	Move casualty to fresh air and keep at rest. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not
	breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.
Skin	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated
	clothing and wash using soap. Get medical attention immediately.
Ingestion	Do Not Induce Vomiting! Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If
	conscious, wash out mouth with water. Get medical attention immediately.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media	Flammable in the presence of a source of ignition when the temperature is above the flash point. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flame/hot surface. No smoking. Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Use appropriate media for adjacent fire. Cool containers with water.	
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Wear self-contained, approved breathing apparatus and full protective clothing, including eye protection and boots.	
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Emits toxic fumes (carbon oxides) under fire conditions. (See also Stability and Reactivity section).	

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment.
Environmental precautions	Prevent spillage from entering drains. Any release to the environment may be subject to federal/national or local reporting requirements.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	Neutralize spill with sodium bicarbonate or lime. Absorb spill with noncombustible absorbent material, then place in a suitable container for disposal. Clean surfaces thoroughly with water to remove residual contamination. Dispose of all waste and cleanup materials in accordance with regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment. Use with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after using. Keep container closed when not in use. Avoid formation of aerosols.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area. Keep away from incompatible materials (see section 10 for incompatibilities). Handle and store under inert gas. Light sensitive.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational exposure controls:

Component	Exposure Limits	Basis	Entity
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Phenol	5 ppm	TLV	ACGIH
	19 mg/m ³		
	5 ppm	PEL	OSHA
	19 mg/m ³		
	5 ppm	REL	NIOSH
	19 mg/m ³		
	15.6 ppm	CEIL	NIOSH
	60 mg/m ³		

TWA: Time Weighted Average over 8 hours of work.TLV: Threshold Limit Value over 8 hours of work.

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit during x minutes.

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

WEEL: Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

CEIL: Ceiling

Personal Protection

Eyes	Wear chemical safety glasses or goggles. Wear face shield if splashing is likely to	
	occur.	
Inhalation	Provide local exhaust, preferably mechanical. If exposure levels are excessive, use an approved respirator.	
Skin	Wear nitrile or rubber gloves, apron or lab coat. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.	
Other	Not Available	

Other Recommendations

Provide eyewash stations, quick-drench showers and washing facilities accessible to areas of use and handling.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance (physical state, color, etc.)	Colorless to light pink liquid.
Odor	Sharp, sweet, tangy, medicinal.
Odor threshold	Not Available
pH	Not Available
Melting point/freezing point	13-17 °C (55-62 °F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	182 °C (360 °F)
Flash point	79-81 °C (174-178 °F)
Evaporation rate	Not Available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Flammable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limit	UPPER: 8.6% LOWER: 1.7%
Vapor pressure	0.48 hPa (0.36 mmHg) at 20°C (68°F)
	6.203 hPa (4.653 mmHg) at 55°C (131°F)
Vapor density	0.62 (Air = 1)
Density	1.07 at 25°C (77°F)
Solubility (ies)	Easily soluble in methanol, diethyl ether. Soluble in
	cold water, acetone.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not Available
Auto-ignition temperature	Not Available
Decomposition temperature	Not Available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability

Stable

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	Will not occur.
Conditions to Avoid	Not Available
Incompatible Materials	Strong bases, strong oxidizing agents, strong acids.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Carbon oxides.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity

Skin	LD50 Dermal – rabbit – 684 mg/kg (Phenol)	
Eyes	Not Available	
Respiratory	Not Available	
Ingestion	LD50 Oral – rat – 292 mg/kg (Phenol)	

Carcinogenicity

IARC	3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans (Phenol).	
ACGIH	A4: Not classifiable as a human carcinogen (Phenol).	
NTP	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.	
OSHA	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.	

Signs & Symptoms of Exposure

Skin	Irritation, redness, itchiness.	
Eyes	Irritation, redness, watering eyes, itchiness.	
Respiratory	Irritation, coughing, wheezing.	
Ingestion	Irritation, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea.	

Chronic Toxicity	Contains material which may cause damage to the following organs:	
	kidneys, liver, central nervous system(CNS).	
Teratogenicity	May cause adverse reproductive effects and birth defects and passes	
	through the placental barrier.	
Mutagenicity	Mutagenic for mammalian somatic cells. Mutagenic for bacteria and/or	
	yeast.	
Embryotoxicity	Embryotoxic and/or foetotoxic in animal.	
Target Organ(s)	Central nervous system, Kidney, Liver, Pancreas, Spleen.	
Reproductive Toxicity Not Available		
Respiratory/Skin Sensitization	Not Available	

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

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Aquatic Vertebrate	Not Available
Aquatic Invertebrate	Not Available
Terrestrial	Not Available

Persistence and Degradability	Not Available
Bioaccumulative Potential	Not Available
Mobility in Soil	Not Available
PBT and vPvB Assessment	Not Available
Other Adverse Effects	Not Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Product or Residues	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste product or residue.	
Product Containers	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste product container.	

The information offered in section 13 is for the product as shipped. Use and/or alterations to the product may significantly change the characteristics of the material and alter the waste classification and proper disposal methods.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

US DOT	UN2821, Phenol solution, 6.1, pg II
TDG	UN2821, PHENOL SOLUTION, 6.1, PG II
IMDG	UN2821, PHENOL SOLUTION, 6.1, PG II
Marine Pollutant	No
IATA/ICAO	UN2821, Phenol solution, 6.1, pg II

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA Inventory Status	All ingredients are listed on the TSCA Active inventory.
DSL / NDSL	All ingredients are listed on the DSL inventory.
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
Rhode Island: Hazardous Substance List	Listed: Phenol
Massachusetts: Toxic or Hazardous Substance List, Right to Know	Listed: Phenol
Pennsylvania: Hazardous Substance List	Listed: Phenol
New Jersey: Right to Know Hazardous Substance	Listed: Phenol
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SARA 302	Listed: Phenol
SARA 304	Listed: Phenol
SARA 311	Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard
SARA 312	Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard
SARA 313	Listed: Phenol
WHMIS Canada	Class D1A: Poisonous and infectious material – Immediate and serious effects – Very toxic. Class E: Corrosive material

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision	Date
Original	08/02/2012
Revision 1	10/07/2013
Revision 2	05/03/2016
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