

Sulfuric Acid / Nitric Acid 98.8 : 1.2

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Sulfuric Acid / Nitric Acid 98.8 : 1.2

Synonyms/Generic Names: None

Product Number: 5603

Product Use: Industrial, Manufacturing or Laboratory use

Manufacturer: Columbus Chemical Industries, Inc.
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC): Water Reactive, harmful to aquatic life

Specific Target Organs Toxicity (STOT): Respiratory Tract

Signal Words: Danger

Pictograms:



GHS Classification:

Corrosive to Metals	Category 1
Skin corrosion	Category 1A
Serious eye damage	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure, Respiratory tract irritation	Category 3

GHS Label Elements, including precautionary statements:

Hazard Statements:

H290	May be corrosive to metals.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary Statements:

P234	Keep only in original container.
P260	Do not breathe vapors, mist, or spray.
P264	Wash skin, hands thoroughly after handling.
P271	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
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): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse SKIN with water/shower.
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position 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 so. Continue rinsing.
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
P321	Specific treatment (see Section 4 on SDS).
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P390	Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.
P404+P405	Store in closed container. Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

Potential Health Effects

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

NFPA Ratings

Health	3
Flammability	0
Reactivity	2
Specific hazard	W

HMIS Ratings

Health	3
Fire	0
Reactivity	2

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	Weight %	CAS #	EINECS# / ELINCS#	Formula	Molecular Weight
Sulfuric Acid	92	7664-93-9	231-939-5	H ₂ SO ₄	98.08 g/mol
Nitric Acid	0.65	7697-37-2	231-714-2	HNO ₃	63.01 g/mol
Water	Balance	7732-18-5	231-791-2	H ₂ O	18.00 g/mol

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Eyes	Immediately rinse with plenty of water for at least 30 minutes. Get 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 30 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.
General Advice	Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media	Product is not flammable. Use appropriate media for adjacent fire (foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical). Cool unopened 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 (sulfur oxides, hydrogen sulfide gas, nitrogen oxides) under fire conditions. Corrosive or suffocating vapors are released. Reacts violently with water. (See also Stability and Reactivity section).

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe vapor, mist or spray. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. 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

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. 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/mist/vapor.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store locked up in its original container, in cool, dry well-ventilated area. Keep away from incompatible materials (see section 10 for incompatibilities).

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational exposure controls:

Component	Exposure Limits	Basis	Entity
Sulfuric Acid	0.2 mg/m ³	TWA	ACGIH® TLV
	1 mg/m ³	TWA	OSHA PELs
	1 mg/m ³	TWA	NIOSH RELs

Component	Exposure Limits	Basis	Entity
Nitric Acid	2 ppm (5.2 mg/m ³)	TWA	ACGIH® TLV
	4 ppm (10 mg/m ³)	STEL/CEIL(C)	ACGIH® TLV
	2 ppm (5 mg/m ³)	TWA	OSHA PELs
	2 ppm (5 mg/m ³)	TWA	NIOSH RELs
	4 ppm (10 mg/m ³)	STEL/CEIL(C)	NIOSH RELs

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 usually 15 minutes.

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

WEEL: Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

CEIL: Ceiling

Personal Protection

Eyes	Wear chemical safety glasses or goggles, and face shield.
Inhalation	Provide local exhaust, preferably mechanical. If exposure levels are excessive, use an approved respirator.
Skin	Wear nitrile or rubber gloves, and full body acid-resistant suit. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.
Other	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices.

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.)	Clear, colorless liquid
Odor	Not Available
Odor threshold	Not Available
pH	<1
Melting point/freezing point	Not Available
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not Available
Flash point	Not Flammable
Evaporation rate	Not Available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not Flammable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limit	Not Explosive
Vapor pressure	Not Available
Vapor density	Not Available
Density	Not Available
Solubility (ies)	Miscible
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	May be corrosive to metals. This product may act as an oxidizer. May react exothermically with water releasing heat. Adding an acid to a base or base to an acid may cause a violent reaction.
Conditions to Avoid	Extremely high or low temperatures and incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials	Combustible materials. Reducing agents. Strong oxidizers. Strong bases. Metals. Water.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Thermal decomposition generates corrosive vapors: sulfur oxides, hydrogen sulfide gas, nitrogen oxides.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity

Sulfuric Acid

Skin	Not Available
Eyes	Not Available
Inhalation	LC50 – Rat – 510 mg/m ³ – 2h
Ingestion	LD50 – Rat – 2,140 mg/kg

Nitric Acid

Skin	Not Available
Eyes	Not Available
Inhalation	LC50 – Rat – 130 mg/m ³ – 4h
Ingestion	LDLO Oral – Human – 430 mg/kg

Carcinogenicity

IARC	1: Carcinogenic to humans (Sulfuric acid contained strong inorganic acid mists).
ACGIH	A2: Suspected human carcinogen (Sulfuric acid contained strong inorganic acid mists).
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	Burning, itching, redness, inflammation upon exposed tissue.
Eyes	Burning. Causes permanent damage to the cornea, iris, or conjunctiva.
Respiratory	Burning, choking, coughing, shortness of breath.
Ingestion	Burning, irritation, severe pain of the linings of the mouth, throat, and gastrointestinal tract.

Chronic Toxicity	Strong inorganic acid mists containing sulfuric acid carcinogenic to humans. Prolonged inhalation of fumes or mists may cause erosion/yellowing of teeth, gums and nose bleeds, nasal and oral mucosal ulceration, and conjunctivitis.
Teratogenicity	Not Available
Mutagenicity	Not Classified
Embryotoxicity	Not Available
Target Organ(s)	Teeth, Lungs
Reproductive Toxicity	Not Available
Respiratory/Skin Sensitization	Not Classified

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Sulfuric Acid

Aquatic Vertebrate	LC50 – Brachydanio rerio (zebrafish) – 500 mg/l – 96h LC50 – Gambusia affinis (mosquitofish) – 42 mg/l – 96h
Aquatic Invertebrate	Not Available
Terrestrial	Not Available

Nitric Acid

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	Avoid release to the environment

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste 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 residues.
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 containers.

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	UN3264, Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s., (Sulfuric acid, Nitric acid), 8, pg II
TDG	UN3264, CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S., (SULFURIC ACID, NITRIC ACID), 8, PG II
IMDG	UN3264, CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S., (SULFURIC ACID, NITRIC ACID), 8, PG II
Marine Pollutant	No
IATA/ICAO	UN3264, Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s., (Sulfuric acid, Nitric acid), 8, 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: Sulfuric Acid, Nitric Acid
Massachusetts: Toxic or Hazardous Substance List, Right to Know	Listed: Nitric Acid
Pennsylvania: Hazardous Substance List	Listed: Sulfuric Acid, Nitric Acid
New Jersey: Right to Know Hazardous Substance List	Listed: Sulfuric Acid, Nitric Acid
SARA 302	Listed: Sulfuric Acid, Nitric Acid
SARA 304	Listed: Sulfuric Acid, Nitric Acid
SARA 311	Reactive Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

SARA 312	Reactive Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard
SARA 313	Listed: Sulfuric Acid (aerosol forms only), Nitric Acid
WHMIS Canada	Class C: Oxidizing material Class D1A: Poisonous and infectious material – Immediate and serious effects – Very toxic. Class E: Corrosive material.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision	Date
Original	05/12/2021

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