



# GHS SAFETY DATA SHEET

## SECTION 5 – FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Fire Hazard:** None known.  
**Combustion Products:** None known.  
**Extinguishing Media:** As needed to surround fire.  
**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:** None known.  
**Protective Equipment:** Self-contained breathing apparatus {(SCBA), MSHA/NIOSH}. Full protective gear.  
**Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** Evacuate enclosed areas, stay upwind. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact.

## SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions:** Only knowledgeable and properly protected people should work with a large spill.  
**Protective Equipment:** Wear glasses and rubber gloves.  
**Emergency Procedures:** Remove all sources of ignition and ventilate area. For leaks, stop leak if it can be done safely. Evacuate area and keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering the spill area.  
**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers, ditches and waterways.  
**Methods for Cleaning Up: Small Spills** (Less than 2 gallons) – Neutralize area with sodium bicarbonate (baking soda), soda ash, lime, or general alkaline detergent. Flush to drain with excess water flow. **Large Spills** – Recover to drum for later use, treatment or disposal. Recover using acid resistant pump, scoops, absorbent material, or other process as appropriate. Neutralize contaminated area with sodium bicarbonate (baking soda), soda ash, lime, or general alkaline detergent. Flush to drain. Notify local, state, or national authorities if required.

## SECTION 7 – HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Handling

Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Use appropriate protective clothing to avoid contact with product. Wash thoroughly after handling.

### Storage

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible materials. Keep container closed when not in use. Keep from freezing. **Incompatible Materials:** Strong oxidizing or reducing agents, alkaline materials, most metals, especially aluminum, zinc (will generate flammable hydrogen gas), leather, paper and other organic materials.

## SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

| <u>Hazardous Chemicals</u> | <u>Exposure Limits</u> |                   | <u>OSHA-PEL</u>     |
|----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
|                            | <u>ACGIH-TLV</u>       | <u>ACGIH-STEL</u> |                     |
| PHOSPHORIC ACID            | 1 MG/M <sup>3</sup>    | N/A               | 1 MG/M <sup>3</sup> |

**Engineering Controls:** A source of running water to flush or wash the eyes and skin in case of contact.  
**Ventilation:** General or local to avoid exposure to irritating mists.  
**Personal Protective Equipment – Respiratory:** NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator where conditions may cause exposure limits to be exceeded from mists of solutions.  
**Personal Protective Equipment – Skin:** Acid resistant, impervious gloves. Full body covering with rubber apron and shoes as needed to prevent contact.  
**Personal Protective Equipment – Eyes:** Glasses, goggles, and/or face shield to prevent eye exposure.

## SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

|                        |                    |                          |          |                             |                       |
|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Appearance:</b>     | Clear              | <b>Flash Point:</b>      | 212°F    | <b>Vapor Pressure:</b>      | Not Established       |
| <b>Odor:</b>           | Pleasantly Scented | <b>Specific Gravity:</b> | 1.1      | <b>Flammability:</b>        | Not Established       |
| <b>pH:</b>             | Not Established    | <b>Solubility (H2O):</b> | Complete | <b>Flammability Limits:</b> | LEL – Not Established |
| <b>Melting Point:</b>  | Not Established    | <b>Evaporation Rate:</b> | <1       |                             | UEL – Not Established |
| <b>Freezing Point:</b> | Not Established    | <b>Vapor Density:</b>    | <1       |                             |                       |
| <b>Boiling Point:</b>  | Not Established    | <b>VOC:</b>              | 0 g/l    |                             |                       |

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### SECTION 10 – STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Stability:** Stable.

**Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid:** Contact with incompatible materials.

**Incompatible materials:** Strong oxidizing or reducing agents, alkaline materials, most metals, especially aluminum, zinc (will generate flammable hydrogen gas), leather, paper and other organic materials.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Oxides of phosphorus and carbon.

### SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

| <u>Hazardous Chemicals</u> | <u>LD<sub>50</sub></u> | <u>Toxicity</u> | <u>LC<sub>50</sub></u> |
|----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| PHOSPHORIC ACID            | N/A                    |                 | N/A                    |

**Likely Routes of Exposure:** Inhalation, Skin, Eye and Ingestion.

**Symptoms and Effect - Inhalation:** Lung corrosive. **Skin Contact:** Corrosive and causes severe skin irritation and can cause severe skin burns. May affect behavior (somnolence or excitement) if absorbed through skin. **Eye Contact:** Corrosive. Liquid or vapor causes severe eye irritation and can cause severe eye burns leading to permanent corneal damage or chemical conjunctivitis. **Ingestion:** May be harmful if swallowed. Causes irritation and burns of the gastrointestinal (digestive tract). Causes severe pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, hematemesis, gastrointestinal hemorrhaging and shock. May cause corrosion and permanent tissue destruction of the esophagus and digestive tract. May affect behavior and urinary system, liver, blood.

**Long-Term Effect:** None known.

**Pre-Existing Conditions:** None known.

### SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity:** None known.

**Persistence & Degradability:** None known.

**Bioaccumulative Potential:** None known.

**Mobility in soil:** In normal use, emission of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC's) to the air takes place, typically at a rate of 0g/l.

### SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION

Dispose of product or container in accordance with federal, state or local regulations.

### SECTION 14 – TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

D.O.T. (U.S.): Not Regulated.

### SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION

**Precautionary Label Information:** Corrosive.

**Risk Phrases:** R34-Causes burns.

**Safety Phrases:** 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).

### SECTION 16 – OTHER INFORMATION

Information on this form is furnished solely for the purpose of compliance with the Occupational Safety and Health Act and shall not be used for any other purpose. Black Swan Mfg. Co. urges the customers receiving this Material Safety Data Sheet to study it carefully to become aware of the hazards, if any, of the product involved. In the interest of safety, you should notify your employees, agents and contractors of the information on the sheets.

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