

Nitric acid solution**51155-1L**

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SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Nitric acid solution

Number : 000000021293

Product Use Description : Laboratory chemicals

Manufacturer or supplier's details : Honeywell International Inc.
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Morris Plains, NJ 07950-2546

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+1-231-726-3171 (Monday-Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm)

In case of emergency call : **Medical: 1-800-498-5701 or +1-303-389-1414**
: **Transportation (CHEMTREC): 1-800-424-9300 or**
: **+1-703-527-3887**
:
: (24 hours/day, 7 days/week)

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**Emergency Overview**

Form : liquid

Color : colourless

Odor : weak

Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification of the substance or mixture : Corrosive to metals, Category 1
Acute toxicity, Category 4, Inhalation
Skin corrosion, Category 1A
Serious eye damage, Category 1

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

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Symbol(s)

:



Signal word

: Danger

Hazard statements

: May be corrosive to metals.
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Harmful if inhaled.

Precautionary statements

: **Prevention:**
Keep only in original container.
Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.**Response:**

IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

Storage:

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
Store locked up.
Store in corrosive resistant stainless steel container with a resistant inner liner.

Disposal:

Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Carcinogenicity

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No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP, IARC, or OSHA.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTSFormula : HNO₃

Chemical nature : Mixture

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration
Water	7732-18-5	>=70.00 - <90.00 %
Nitric acid	7697-37-2	>=20.00 - <30.00 %

SECTION 4. 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 difficult, give oxygen. Use oxygen as required, provided a qualified operator is present. Call a physician immediately.
- Skin contact : Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Call a physician immediately.
- Eye contact : Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. Protect unharmed eye. Remove contact lenses. Call a physician immediately.
- Ingestion : Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician immediately.

Notes to physician

Indication of immediate : Health injuries may be delayed. Medical supervision for

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medical attention and
special treatment needed, if
necessary

minimum 48 hours.

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

- Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray
Foam
Carbon dioxide (CO₂)
Dry powder
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.
- Specific hazards during firefighting : May intensify fire; oxidizer.
Contact with metals liberates hydrogen gas.
Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.
In case of fire hazardous decomposition products may be produced such as:
nitrogen oxides (NO_x)
- Special protective equipment for firefighters : Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.
No unprotected exposed skin areas.
- Further information : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.
Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains.
The product itself does not burn.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Immediately evacuate personnel to safe areas.
Wear personal protective equipment. Unprotected persons must be kept away.
Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.
Remove all sources of ignition.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Do not breathe vapours or spray mist.

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Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Environmental precautions : 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.
Prevent product from entering drains.
Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Ventilate the area.
With acids neutralization takes place under development of heat.
Neutralise with the following product(s):
lime
Soak up with inert absorbent material.
Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.
Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**Handling**

Precautions for safe handling : Wear personal protective equipment.
Use only in well-ventilated areas.
When diluting, add acids to water, never the other way around.
On dilution or dissolving in water, considerable heating always occurs.
Do not breathe vapours or spray mist.
Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

Storage

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities : Store in original container.
Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.
Store away from incompatible substances.
Do not store near combustible materials.
Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only.

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SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

- Protective measures : Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.
Legal requirements are to be considered in regard of the selection, use and care of personal protective equipment.
Do not breathe vapours or spray mist.
Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
- Engineering measures : Use with local exhaust ventilation.
- Eye protection : Face-shield
Safety goggles
- Hand protection : Impervious gloves
Gloves must be inspected prior to use.
Replace when worn.
- Skin and body protection : Wear suitable protective equipment.
Wear as appropriate:
Complete suit protecting against chemicals
- Respiratory protection : In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.
- Hygiene measures : General industrial hygiene practice.
Take off all contaminated clothing immediately.

Exposure Guidelines

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Update	Basis
Nitric acid	7697-37-2	TWA : Time weighted average	(2 ppm)	2008	ACGIH:US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values, as amended
Nitric acid	7697-37-2	STEL : Short term exposure limit	(4 ppm)	2008	ACGIH:US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values, as amended

SAFETY DATA SHEET



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Nitric acid	7697-37-2	REL : Recomm ended exposure limit (REL):	5 mg/m3 (2 ppm)	2005	NIOSH/GUIDE:US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards, as amended
Nitric acid	7697-37-2	PEL : Permissi ble exposure limit	5 mg/m3 (2 ppm)	02 2006	OSHA_TRANS:US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000), as amended
Nitric acid	7697-37-2	STEL : Short term exposure limit	10 mg/m3 (4 ppm)	1989	Z1A:US. OSHA Table Z-1-A (29 CFR 1910.1000), as amended
Nitric acid	7697-37-2	TWA : Time weighted average	5 mg/m3 (2 ppm)	1989	Z1A:US. OSHA Table Z-1-A (29 CFR 1910.1000), as amended

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state : liquid

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Odor threshold	: Note: no data available
pH	: Note: acidic
Melting point/range	: Note: no data available
Boiling point/boiling range	: ca. 100 °C
Flash point	: Note: Not applicable
Flammability	: Not applicable
Lower explosion limit	: Note: Not applicable
Upper explosion limit	: Note: Not applicable
Vapor pressure	: 23 hPa
Vapor density	: Note: no data available
Density	: 1.147 g/cm ³ at 20 °C
Water solubility	: Note: completely miscible
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: Note: no data available
Ignition temperature	: Note: Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature	: Note: not auto-flammable
Viscosity, dynamic	: Note: no data available

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Viscosity, kinematic : Note: no data available

Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

Molecular weight : 63.01 g/mol

Bulk density : Note: Not applicable

Corrosivity : Note: Corrosive to metals

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions : Gives off hydrogen by reaction with metals.
Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.Conditions to avoid : Keep away from heat.
Keep away from combustible material.
Keep away from reducing agents.
Protect from moisture.Incompatible materials : As oxidising agent, attacks organic substances such as wood,
paper, fats.
Corrosive in contact with metals
Gives off hydrogen by reaction with metals.
Reactions with organic substances.
Flammable materials
Incompatible with bases.Hazardous decomposition products : In case of fire hazardous decomposition products may be
produced such as:
nitrogen oxides (NOx)

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SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute oral toxicity	: Note: no data available Toxicity is determined by the corrosivity of the product.
Acute inhalation toxicity	: LC50: 2500 ppm Exposure time: 1 h Species: Rat Method: OECD Test Guideline 403
Acute dermal toxicity	: Note: Toxicity is determined by the corrosivity of the product.
Skin irritation	: Species: Rabbit Result: Corrosive
Eye irritation	: Note: no data available
Sensitisation	: Note: no data available
Repeated dose toxicity	: Note: Not classified due to data which are conclusive although insufficient for classification.
Genotoxicity in vitro	: Note: Not classified due to data which are conclusive although insufficient for classification.
Carcinogenicity	: Species: not specified Note: no data available
Reproductive toxicity	: Species: not specified Note: Not classified due to data which are conclusive although insufficient for classification.

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Further information : Note: Causes severe burns.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Ecotoxicity effects**

Toxicity to fish : Note: no data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : Note: no data available

Toxicity to algae : Note: no data available

Elimination information (persistence and degradability)Biodegradability : Note: Not applicable
The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.**Further information on ecology****Ecotoxicology Assessment**

Results of PBT assessment

Not applicable

Additional ecological information : Neutralisation will reduce ecotoxic effects.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods : Observe all Federal, State, and Local Environmental regulations.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATIONDOT UN/ID No. : UN 2031
Proper shipping name : Nitric acid

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Packing group	II
Hazard Labels	8

IATA	UN/ID No.	: UN 2031
	Description of the goods	: Nitric acid
	Class	: 8
	Packaging group	: II
	Hazard Labels	: 8
	Packing instruction (cargo aircraft)	: 855
	Packing instruction (passenger aircraft)	: 851
	Packing instruction (passenger aircraft)	: Y840

IMDG	UN/ID No.	: UN 2031
	Description of the goods	: Nitric acid
	Class	: 8
	Packaging group	: II
	Hazard Labels	: 8
	EmS Number	: F-A, S-B
	Marine pollutant	: no
IMDG Code segregation group 1 – ACIDS,		

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**Inventories**

US. Toxic Substances Control Act : On TSCA Inventory

Australia. Industrial Chemical (Notification and Assessment) Act : 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

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

Philippines. The Toxic Substances and Hazardous and Nuclear Waste Control Act : 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

National regulatory information

SARA 302 Components : The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 302:
: Nitric acid 7697-37-2

SARA 313 Components : The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:
: Nitric acid 7697-37-2

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Acute Health Hazard

CERCLA Reportable Quantity : 4000 lbs

California Prop. 65 : This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

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Massachusetts RTK	: Nitric acid	7697-37-2
New Jersey RTK	: Nitric acid	7697-37-2
Pennsylvania RTK	: Nitric acid	7697-37-2

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

	HMIS III	NFPA
Health hazard	: 3	3
Flammability	: 1	1
Physical Hazard	: 0	
Instability	:	0

Hazard rating and rating systems (e.g. HMIS® III, NFPA): This information is intended solely for the use of individuals trained in the particular system.

Further information

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