1. Identification

Product Name: Sulfuric Acid (Certified ACS Plus)

Cat No.: A300-212; A300-225LB; A300-500; A300-612GAL; A300-700LB; A300C212; A300P500; A300S212; A300S212EA; A300S500; A300Si212

Synonyms: Hydrogen sulfate; Vitriol brown oil; Oil of vitriol

Recommended Use: Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against: No Information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet:

Company: Fisher Scientific
One Reagent Lane
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410
Tel: (201) 796-7100

Emergency Telephone Number:
CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA: 800-424-9300
CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 001-703-527-3887

2. Hazard(s) Identification

Classification:
This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Skin Corrosion/irritation: Category 1 A
Serious Eye Damage/Eye irritation: Category 1
Carcinogenicity: Category 1A
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure): Category 3
Target Organs - Respiratory system.
Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure): Category 2
Target Organs - Kidney.

Label Elements:

Signal Word: Danger

Hazard Statements:
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
May cause respiratory irritation
May cause cancer
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
Precautionary Statements
Prevention
Obtain special instructions before use
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
Use personal protective equipment as required
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
Response
Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
Inhalation
IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
Skin
IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
Eyes
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
Ingestion
IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting
Storage
Store locked up
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
Disposal
Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant
Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)
None identified
WARNING! This product contains a chemical known in the State of California to cause cancer.

3. Composition / information on ingredients

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4. First-aid measures

Eye Contact
Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.

Skin Contact
Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.

Inhalation
Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required.

Ingestion
Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

Most important symptoms/effects
Causes burns by all exposure routes. Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric
Notes to Physician
lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation
Treat symptomatically

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media
Substance is nonflammable; use agent most appropriate to extinguish surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media
DO NOT USE WATER

Flash Point Method -
Not applicable
No information available

Autoignition Temperature
No information available

Explosion Limits
Upper
No data available
Lower
No data available

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact
No information available

Sensitivity to Static Discharge
No information available

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical
Corrosive Material. Reacts violently with water. Contact with metals may evolve flammable gas. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Hazardous Combustion Products
Sulfur oxides Hydrogen

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters
As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

NFPA

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6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
Avoid release to the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Environmental Precautions

Methods for Containment and Clean Up
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

7. Handling and storage

Handling
Use only under a chemical fume hood. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not ingest. Do not allow contact with water.

Storage
Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from water. Corrosives area.

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines

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Sulfuric Acid (Certified ACS Plus)  

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**Engineering Measures**
Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye/face Protection**
Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA’s eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

**Skin and body protection**
Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection**
Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

**Hygiene Measures**
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

### 9. Physical and chemical properties

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### 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactive Hazard**
Yes

**Stability**
Reacts violently with water. Hygroscopic.

**Conditions to Avoid**
Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to moist air or water.
Incompatible Materials
Water, Organic materials, Strong acids, Strong bases, Metals, Alcohols, Cyanides, Sulfides

Hazardous Decomposition Products
Sulfur oxides, Hydrogen

Hazardous Polymerization
Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Hazardous Reactions
Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity

Component Information

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Toxicologically Synergistic Products
No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation
Causes severe burns by all exposure routes

Sensitization
No information available

Carcinogenicity
The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.
Exposure to strong inorganic mists containing sulfuric acid may cause cancer by inhalation.

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IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer)
Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans
Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans
Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans

A1 - Known Human Carcinogen
A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen
A3 - Animal Carcinogen

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

Mutagenic Effects
No information available

Reproductive Effects
Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals.

Developmental Effects
Developmental effects have occurred in experimental animals.

Teratogenicity
No information available.

STOT - single exposure
Respiratory system

STOT - repeated exposure
Kidney

Aspiration hazard
No information available

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed
Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated.
Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

Endocrine Disruptor Information
No information available

Other Adverse Effects
See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity
This product contains the following substance(s) which are hazardous for the environment.
Component | Freshwater Algae | Freshwater Fish | Microtox | Water Flea
---|---|---|---|---
Sulfuric acid | - | LC50: > 500 mg/L, 96h static (Brachydanio rerio) | - | EC50: 29 mg/L/24h

Persistence and Degradability | No information available
Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation | No information available.
Mobility | No information available.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods | Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. Transport information

DOT
- UN-No: UN1830
- Proper Shipping Name: Sulfuric acid
- Hazard Class: 8
- Packing Group: II

TDG
- UN-No: UN1830
- Proper Shipping Name: SULFURIC ACID
- Hazard Class: 8
- Packing Group: II

IATA
- UN-No: UN1830
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IMDG/IMO
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15. Regulatory information

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Legend:
- X - Listed
- E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
- F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
- N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
- P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance
- R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
- S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
- T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
- XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base
- Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710)(B).
- Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
- Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

U.S. Federal Regulations
TSCA 12(b)  
Not applicable

SARA 313

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SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

- Acute Health Hazard: Yes
- Chronic Health Hazard: Yes
- Fire Hazard: No
- Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard: No
- Reactive Hazard: Yes

CWA (Clean Water Act)

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Clean Air Act  
Not applicable

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration
Not applicable

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

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California Proposition 65  
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U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

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U.S. Department of Transportation

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Y  
DOT Marine Pollutant: N  
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant: N

U.S. Department of Homeland Security
This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade  
No information available

Canada
This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR

WHMIS Hazard Class

D1A  Very toxic materials
E  Corrosive material
16. Other information

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End of SDS