# **Material Safety Data Sheet**



**BATTERY ACID 1.265** 

#### 1. Product and company identification

**Product name BATTERY ACID 1.265** 

Manufactured/supplied Laurentide

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Validated by: : Whims Departement

In case of Emergency CANUTEC (613) 996-6666

**Product type** : Liquid.

#### Hazards identification 2.

**Physical state** : Liquid.

**Odor** : Characteristic.

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard **OSHA/HCS** status

(29 CFR 1910.1200).

: CONTAINS MATERIAL THAT MAY CAUSE TARGET ORGAN DAMAGE, BASED ON **Emergency overview** 

ANIMAL DATA. CANCER HAZARD - CONTAINS MATERIAL WHICH CAN CAUSE

CANCER.

Do not breathe vapor or mist. Use only with adequate ventilation. Keep container tightly **Precautions** 

closed and sealed until ready for use. Wash thoroughly after handling.

: Dermal contact. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion. **Routes of entry** 

Potential acute health effects

Inhalation No known significant effects or critical hazards. : No known significant effects or critical hazards. Ingestion Skin No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards. **Eves** 

Potential chronic health effects

Chronic effects : Contains material that may cause target organ damage, based on animal data.

: Contains material which can cause cancer. Risk of cancer depends on duration and Carcinogenicity

level of exposure.

Mutagenicity No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards. **Teratogenicity** : No known significant effects or critical hazards. **Developmental effects Fertility effects** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

: Contains material which may cause damage to the following organs: lungs, mucous **Target organs** 

membranes, upper respiratory tract, skin, eyes, teeth. **Medical conditions** 

aggravated by over-

exposure

Pre-existing disorders involving any target organs mentioned in this MSDS as being at risk may be aggravated by over-exposure to this product.

See toxicological information (section 11)

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Name	CAS number	%
sulphuric acid	7664-93-9	30-60

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section.

### 4. First aid measures

**Eye contact** 

: Check for and remove any contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

**Skin contact** 

: In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

Inhalation

: Move exposed person to fresh air. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion

: Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If potentially dangerous quantities of this material have been swallowed, call a physician immediately.

**Protection of first-aiders** 

: No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. If it is suspected that fumes are still present, the rescuer should wear an appropriate mask or self-contained breathing apparatus. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Wash contaminated clothing thoroughly with water before removing it, or wear gloves.

Notes to physician

: No specific treatment. Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

Flammability of the product

**Extinguishing media** 

Suitable

Not suitable

Special exposure hazards

Hazardous thermal decomposition products

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Flash point

Flammable limits

**Auto-ignition temperature** 

: In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst.

- : Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.
- : None known.
- : Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.
- Decomposition products may include the following materials: sulfur oxides
- : Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

Not available.

: Not available.

Not available.

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### 6. Accidental release measures

#### **Personal precautions**

: No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see section 8).

### **Environmental precautions**

: Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

#### Methods for cleaning up

#### **Small spill**

: Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble. Alternatively, or if water-insoluble, absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

#### Large spill

: Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Approach release from upwind. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Wash spillages into an effluent treatment plant or proceed as follows. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazard as the spilled product. Note: see section 1 for emergency contact information and section 13 for waste disposal.

## 7. Handling and storage

#### **Handling**

: Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see section 8). Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Do not ingest. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. If during normal use the material presents a respiratory hazard, use only with adequate ventilation or wear appropriate respirator. Keep in the original container or an approved alternative made from a compatible material, kept tightly closed when not in use. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not reuse container.

#### **Storage**

: Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

### 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### **Canada**

Occupational exposure limits		TWA (8 hours)		STEL (15 mins)		Ceiling					
Ingredient	List name	ppm	mg/m³	Other	ppm	mg/m³	Other	ppm	mg/m³	Other	Notations
	US ACGIH 2/2010 AB 4/2009 BC 10/2009 ON 7/2010 QC 6/2008	- - - -	0,2 1 0,2 0,2 1	- - - -	- - - -	- 3 - - 3	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - -	[a]

Form: [a]thoracic

Consult local authorities for acceptable exposure limits.

Recommended monitoring procedures

: If this product contains ingredients with exposure limits, personal, workplace atmosphere or biological monitoring may be required to determine the effectiveness of the ventilation or other control measures and/or the necessity to use respiratory protective equipment.

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#### **Exposure controls/personal protection** 8.

### **Engineering measures**

: If user operations generate dust, fumes, gas, vapor or mist, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits.

#### **Hygiene measures**

Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

#### **Personal protection**

Respiratory

: Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

**Hands** 

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

**Eyes** 

: Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists or dusts.

Skin

Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

**Environmental exposure** controls

: Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.

#### Physical and chemical properties 9.

**Appearance (Physical state)** 

Flammable limits

Color

Characteristic. Odor Not available. рH **Boiling/condensation point** : Not available.

Melting/freezing point

: Not available.

Liquid.

: Colorless.

: Not available.

Relative density

Vapor density

**VOC** content

: 1,265 Not available. : Not available. Not available.

Odor threshold **Evaporation rate** 

: 0 g/l

#### Stability and reactivity **10.**

**Chemical stability** 

: The product is stable.

**Conditions to avoid** 

: Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

**Materials to avoid** 

No specific data.

**Hazardous decomposition** 

products

: Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

: Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.

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## **Toxicological information**

#### **Acute toxicity**

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Dose	Exposure
sulphuric acid	LD50 Oral	Rat	2140 mg/kg	-

Conclusion/Summary

**Chronic toxicity** 

Conclusion/Summary

Irritation/Corrosion

Conclusion/Summary

**Sensitizer** 

Conclusion/Summary

Carcinogenicity

Conclusion/Summary

Classification

: Not available.

: Not available.

: Not available. : Not available.

: Not available.

Product/ingredient name	ACGIH	IARC	EPA	NIOSH	NTP	OSHA
sulphuric acid	A2	1	-	-	Proven.	-

#### Mutagenicity

Conclusion/Summary

**Teratogenicity** 

Conclusion/Summary

Reproductive toxicity

Conclusion/Summary

: Not available.

: Not available.

: Not available.

### 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

### **Aquatic ecotoxicity**

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Exposure
sulphuric acid	Acute LC50 42500 ug/L Marine water	Crustaceans - Pandalus montagui - Adult	48 hours
	Acute LC50 42000 ug/L Fresh water	Fish - Gambusia affinis - Adult	96 hours

**Conclusion/Summary** 

Persistence/degradability

Conclusion/Summary

: Not available.

: No known significant effects or critical hazards. Other adverse effects

: Not available.

## **Disposal considerations**

Waste disposal

: The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Disposal of this product, solutions and any byproducts should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations. Refer to Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE and Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION for additional handling information and protection of employees.

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### 14. Transport information

Regulatory information	UN number	Proper shipping name	Classes	PG*	Label	Additional information
TDG Classification	UN2796	ELECTROLYTE ACID FOR BATTERY	8	II		-
IMDG Class	2796	BATTERY ELECTROLYTE ACID (sulphuric acid)	8	II		-
IATA-DGR Class	2796	BATTERY ELECTROLYTE ACID (sulphuric acid)	8	II		-

PG\*: Packing group

## 15. Regulatory information

**Canada** 

WHMIS (Canada)
: Class E: Corrosive material



**Canadian lists** 

Canadian NPRI The following components are listed: Sulphuric acid

CEPA Toxic substances None of the components are listed.

Canada inventory All components are listed or exempted.

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

### 16. Other information

**Label requirements** 

: CONTAINS MATERIAL THAT MAY CAUSE TARGET ORGAN DAMAGE, BASED ON ANIMAL DATA. CANCER HAZARD - CONTAINS MATERIAL WHICH CAN CAUSE CANCER.

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