

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Acetate Buffer, pH 4.6 - 4.7
APHA for Bromide
- **Article number:** 0027
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Aqua Solutions, Inc.
6913 Highway 225
DEER PARK, TX 77536
USA
800-256-2586
- **Information department:**
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- **Emergency telephone number:**
Chemtrec: 800-424-9300
Canutec: 613-996-6666



2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



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Sensitization - Skin 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



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- **Signal word** Warning
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**
Acetic Acid, Glacial
- **Hazard statements**
May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- **Precautionary statements**
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.
Wear protective gloves.
If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.
If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.
If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.
Continue rinsing.
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

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- **Classification system:**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

* 3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 64-19-7	Acetic Acid, Glacial	2.818%
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· **Table of Nonhazardous Ingredients**

CAS: 7732-18-5	Water	82.414%
CAS: 7647-14-5	Sodium Chloride	8.412%
CAS: 6131-90-4	Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6.356%

* 4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **After inhalation:**
 Supply fresh air and to be sure call for a doctor.
 In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.
- **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **Information for doctor:**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
 No further relevant information available.

* 5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.

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- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.
- **Environmental precautions:**
 Dilute with plenty of water.
 Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
 Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
 Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
 Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **Reference to other sections**
 See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
 See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
 See Section 13 for disposal information.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

- **PAC-1:**

CAS: 6131-90-4	Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	11 mg/m ³
CAS: 64-19-7	Acetic Acid, Glacial	5 ppm

- **PAC-2:**

CAS: 6131-90-4	Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	120 mg/m ³
CAS: 64-19-7	Acetic Acid, Glacial	35 ppm

- **PAC-3:**

CAS: 6131-90-4	Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	690 mg/m ³
CAS: 64-19-7	Acetic Acid, Glacial	250 ppm

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling**
 Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
 Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** None.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see section 7.

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- **Control parameters**

- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

CAS: 64-19-7 Acetic Acid, Glacial

PEL Long-term value: 25 mg/m³, 10 ppm

REL Short-term value: 37 mg/m³, 15 ppm
 Long-term value: 25 mg/m³, 10 ppm

TLV Short-term value: 15 ppm
 Long-term value: 10 ppm

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

- **Exposure controls**

- **Personal protective equipment:**

- **General protective and hygienic measures:**

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

- **Breathing equipment:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.

- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

- **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- **Eye protection:** Goggles recommended during refilling.

- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

9 Physical and chemical properties

- **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **General Information**

- **Appearance:**

Form: Liquid

Color: Clear

- **Odor:** Vinegar

- **Odor threshold:** Not determined.

- **pH-value at 20 °C (68 °F):** 4.7

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· Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	100 °C (212 °F)
· Flash point:	Not applicable.
· Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not applicable.
· Auto igniting:	600 °C (1,112 °F)
· Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
· Ignition temperature:	Product is not selfigniting.
· Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):	23 hPa (17.3 mm Hg)
· Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	1.06988 g/cm ³ (8.92815 lbs/gal)
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapor density	Not determined.
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with	
Water:	Fully miscible.
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
· Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	2.8 %
Water:	82.4 %
VOC content:	2.82 %
	30.1 g/l / 0.25 lb/gal
Solids content:	14.8 %
· Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

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11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**

- **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

ATE (Acute Toxicity Estimate)

Dermal	LD50	37,615 mg/kg (rabbit)
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** Sensitization possible through skin contact.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:
Irritant
- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

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· **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

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14 Transport information

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| · UN-Number
· DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Not regulated |
| · UN proper shipping name
· DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Not regulated |
| · Transport hazard class(es)
· DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA
· Class | Not regulated |
| · Packing group
· DOT, IMDG, IATA | Not regulated |
| · Environmental hazards:
· Marine pollutant: | No |
| · Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | Not regulated |

15 Regulatory information

· **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
 No further relevant information available.

· **Sara**

· **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

Water	ACTIVE
Sodium Chloride	ACTIVE
Acetic Acid, Glacial	ACTIVE

· **Hazardous Air Pollutants**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Proposition 65**

· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

· **Hazard pictograms**



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· **Signal word** Warning

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· **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

* 16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Department issuing SDS:** Environment protection department.

· **Contact:**

Date of Preparation / Last Revision:

· **Date of preparation / last revision**

Revision 0.1, 06/24/2024: Reviewed SDS for accuracy. MH/STN

Revision 0.0, 09/19/2016: Creation date for SDS. STN

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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

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CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

Sensitization - Skin 1: Skin sensitisation – Category 1

· *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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