Camlab Limited – Material Safety Data Sheet

1111285

1. Identification

Product Code	1111285
Product Name	SULPHURIC ACID 10% w/w
Molecular Formula	$H_2 SO_4 = 98.07$
CAS Number	7664-93-9
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Irritating to eyes and skin.

2. Composition

Component	CAS No	EEC No	Conc w/w	Classification & Risk Phrases	Exp (See 8.1)
Sulphuric acid	7664-93-9	231-639-5	10.0%	Xi : R35	WEL

3. Hazards Identification

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 4. First Aid Measures

 Eyes
 Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.

 Skin
 Wash off skin thoroughly with water. Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash before re-use. If discomfort persists OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.

 Inhalation
 Remove from exposure.

 Ingestion
 If conscious give plenty of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting. If unconscious place in the recovery position. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION URGENTLY.

 5. Fire Fighting Measures

 Hazards
 Presents no specific fire danger.

 Extinguishing Media
 Consider what other flammable materials are present and act accordingly.

 Unsuitable Media
 Do not allow water to come into direct contact with material.

6. Accidental Release Measures			
Personal	Avoid breathing vapour. Use approved personal protective equipment. Evacuate area		
Protection	immediately. Do not allow general use of area until it is safe to do so.		
Enviromental	Keep material out of sewers, storm drains, surface waters and soil. Keep non-neutralised material out of sewers, storm drains, surface waters and soil. Notify the Environmental Agency and local Environmental Health Officer if major spillage occurs.		

6. Accidental Release Measures (continued)

Major Spillage	Contain and absorb on inert material. Transfer absorbent to salvage container for removal. Wash area down with copious amounts of water.
Minor Spillage	Neutralise spill with soda ash, lime, calcium carbonate or sodium bicarbonate. Wash area down with copious amounts of water.
7. Storage & Ha	ndling
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Handling Precautions Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breath vapours. Do not allow to contaminate clothing. Ensure Local Exhaust Ventilation maintains vapour concentrations below the recommended limits. Storage Conditions Well ventilated, cool, dry storage .

8.1 Workplace Exposure Limits

Component	CAS No	Workplace Exposure Limits		Maximum Exposure Limits	
		Long Term	Short Term	Long Term	Short Term
		ppm mg m-	3 ppm mg m–3	ppm mg m–3	ppm mg m–3
Sulphuric acid	7664-93-9	- 1.0	00		

8.2 Personal Protection			
Respiratory	Use L.E.V. or natural ventilation to maintain vapour concentrations below exposure limits. If not, use a well maintained chemical cartridge respirator, or use self contained breathing apparatus.		
Hands	Use nitrile gloves or PVC gauntlets.		
Eyes	Use chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.		
Skin	If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.		

9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance	Clear colourless liquid.
Odour	Odourless.
pН	1 @ 20 °C
Boiling point	Aqueous solution
Melting point	Aqueous solution
Flash point	Not available
Upper Flammable Limit	Not available
Lower Flammable Limit	Not available
Auto Ignition	Not available
Explosive properties	No.
Oxidising Properties	No.
Vapour Presure	1 mm Hg @ 146 C
Relative Density	1.0661 °C
Water Solubility	Completely soluble in water with moderate increase in temperature.

10. Stability & Reactivity

Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions
Conditions to Avoid	No specific conditions.
Materials to Avoid	Oxidising and reducing agents. Alkalis. Reacts with most metals to produce extremely flammable hydrogen gas. Peroxides, potassium permanganate, sodium, potassium, platinum, potassium tertiary butoxide. Combustible materials. Reacts with sulphide,phosphide,cyanide, carbide and silicides producing very toxic gases. Many organic compounds.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Toxic and acidic dense white fumes.

11. Toxicological Information			
Eyes	The liquid will irritate the eyes and can cause conjunctivitis.		
Skin	The liquid will be irritating to the skin.		
LD50 Skin	Not available		
Ingest	Ingestion of large amounts may cause nausea, abdominal discomfort, vomiting and diarrhoea.		
LD50 Ingest	Not available		
Inhalation	Presents no significant health hazard by inhalation.		
Carcinogenicity	Not considered to be a carcinogen.		
Mutagenicity	Not considered to be a mutagen.		
Reproductive Effects	None identified.		

12. Ecological

Dangerous to aquatic organism: causes damage to crops and vegetables. Natural alkalinity reduces damaged caused by low pH. Aquatic toxicity LC50 Bluegill sunfish. 24 hr fresh water-24.5 mg/l, 48 hr tap-water - 49 mg/l.

13. Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods

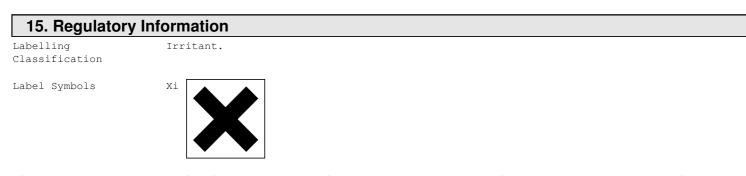
Dilute in a large excess of water and carefully neutralise with soda ash, then wash to drain with copious amounts of water.

Contaminated Packaging Wash out containers with water. Use a licensed waste disposer.

14. Transport Information

Proper Shipping Name	Sulphuric Acid	
UN Number	2796	
UN Classification	8 Corrosive	
Subsidiary Risk	None	
Flash Point	Not available	
Packing Group	II	
Transport Category	2	
Marine pollutant	No	
ADR Hazard ID	80	





Irritating to eyes and skin. Keep out of reach of children. In case of contact with eyes, Risk & safety Phrases rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label).

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16. Other Information

Document Information This document has been prepared in accordance with directive 88/379/EEC.

16. Other Information (continued)

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