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Picro Acetone

SECTION 1: Identification

GHS Product identifier

Product name Picro Acetone

Product number PICRO-500M
Brand Hurstchem

Other means of identification

Picric Acid - Acetone 1%

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Laboratory Chemical

Supplier's details

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Emergency phone number

Australian Poisons Information Centre 131 126
Australian Emergency Services 000

SECTION 2: Hazard identification

General hazard statement

Classified as a Hazardous substance according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.

Classified as a Dangerous goods according to the ADG Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (7th Edition).

Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS classification in accordance with: UN GHS revision 8

- Eye damage/irritation, Cat. 2A
- Flammable liquids, Cat. 2
- Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure, Cat. 3

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GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictograms



1. Exclamation mark; 2. Flame

Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H319 Causes serious eye irritation
H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor
H335 May cause respiratory irritation
H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness

Precautionary statement(s)

P264 Wash ... thoroughly after handling.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection/ ...
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P233 Keep container tightly closed.
P240 Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.
P241 Use explosion-proof [electrical/ventilating/lighting/...] equipment.
P242 Use non-sparking tools.
P243 Take action to prevent static discharges.
P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse affected areas with water [or shower].
P370+P378 In case of fire: Use ... to extinguish.
P403+P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P501 Dispose of contents/container to ...
P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P312 Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/... if you feel unwell.
P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P405 Store locked up.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Hazardous components

1. Acetone

Concentration < 99 %
CAS no. 67-64-1

2. Picric acid

Concentration < 1 %
CAS no. 88-89-1

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SECTION 4: First-aid measures

Description of necessary first-aid measures

If inhaled	Evacuate to fresh air immediately. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. Seek medical attention.
In case of skin contact	Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected area with soap and water thoroughly. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.
In case of eye contact	Flush eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention.
If swallowed	DO NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth out with water. Give water to drink if patient is conscious. Seek medical attention.
Personal protective equipment for first-aid responders	Eye wash station, safety shower and First Aid kit.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Water spray, Dry chemical, Carbon Dioxide or Alcohol-resistant foam.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Vapours are heavier than air and may travel to an ignition source and flash back. Vapours can spread along the ground and collect in low or confined areas. Incompatible with oxidizing agents, acids, reducing agents, bases, halogenated compounds, hexachloromelamine, sulphur dichloride, potassium tert-butoxide and sources of ignition. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be emitted by thermal decomposition or combustion including carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Fire fighters should wear a positive-pressure Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) and protective clothing (includes helmet, coat, trousers, boots and gloves). Clear fire area of all non-emergency personnel. Stay upwind. Keep out of low areas where gases or fumes can accumulate. Do not use direct water stream. Eliminate ignition sources.

Further information

Hazchem code 2YE

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear full protective clothing. Evacuate all unnecessary personnel. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Increase ventilation. Avoid walking through spilled product as it may be slippery. Stop leak if safe to do so. Do NOT let product contaminate drains or waterways. If product does enter a waterway, advise the Environmental Protection Authority or your local Waste Management. Use clean, non-sparking tools and equipment.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

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Soak up using absorbent non-combustible material such as sand or soil. Avoid using sawdust or cellulose. Collect material into suitably labelled dry chemical- waste containers and dispose of promptly as hazardous waste.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Ensure an eye bath and safety shower are available and ready for use. Observe good personal hygiene practices and recommended procedures. Take precautionary measures against static discharges by bonding and grounding equipment. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale product vapours.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated, fire-proof area. Keep containers tightly sealed when not in use. Inspect regularly for deficiencies such as damage or leaks. Protect against physical damage. Ground and bond storage containers. Store away from incompatible materials including oxidizing agents, acids, reducing agents, bases, halogenated compounds, hexa-chloromelamine, potassium tert-butoxide, sulphur dichloride and ignition sources. Protect from direct sunlight and static charges.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

CAS: 67-64-1

Acetone

AU/SWA (Australia): 1000 ppm; 2375 mg/m³ STEL inhalation; 500 ppm; 1185 mg/m³ TWA inhalation

CAS: 88-89-1

Picric acid

AU/SWA (Australia): 0.1 mg/m³ TWA inhalation

Appropriate engineering controls

A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures as low as possible. Local exhaust ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source, preventing dispersion of it into the general work area. Use a flame proof exhaust ventilation system.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

Eye/face protection

Use with adequate ventilation. If determined by a risk assessment to be an inhalation risk exists, wear an organic vapour/particulate respirator or an air supplied mask meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

Skin protection

Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

Basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Liquid
Color	Clear, yellow
Odor	Pungent, sweet odour
Melting point/freezing point	-95.3°C
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	56.2°C
Flammability	Flammable liquid
Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit	2.6-12.8%

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Flash point	-20°C (closed cup)
Solubility	Water soluble
Vapor pressure	24 kPa (20°C)
Density and/or relative density	0.79g/cm3 (water = 1)

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

No information available.

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended conditions for use and storage.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Polymerisation will not occur.

Conditions to avoid

Avoid excessive heat, direct sunlight, moisture, freezing, static discharges and high temperatures.

Incompatible materials

Oxidising agents, mineral acids, strong alkalis and Bromine.

Hazardous decomposition products

During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion including carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Eye Contact Irritating, risk of corneal clouding.

Skin Contact May cause irritation. Will have a degreasing action on the skin. Prolonged/repeated skin contact may cause skin dryness, cracking and chronic dermatitis.

Inhalation Can cause irritation. May cause headaches, drowsiness, dizziness, salivation, nausea, vomiting and coma. Irritating to mucous membranes and respiratory tract.

Ingestion Moderately toxic. May cause gastric irritation, gastro-intestinal complaints, headache, salivation, nausea, vomiting, dizziness, narcosis and coma.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness and cracking.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

No classification.

Germ cell mutagenicity

No classification.

Carcinogenicity

No evidence of carcinogenic properties.

Reproductive toxicity

No classification.

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Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure

The substance may cause effects on the central nervous system, liver, kidneys and gastrointestinal tract.

Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure

Repeated or prolonged contact with skin may cause dermatitis.

Aspiration hazard

No classification

Additional information

Oral LD50 Rat: 5,800mg/kg

Inhalation LC50 Rat: > 20mg/L (4hr)

Dermal LD50 Rabbit: >7,400mg/kg

Picric acid: *TOXICITY:

typ. dose mode specie amount unit other

LDLo scu dog 60 mg/kg

LDLo unk dog 60 mg/kg

LDLo orl cat 250 mg/kg

LDLo orl rbt 120 mg/kg

LDLo orl gpg 100 mg/kg

LDLo scu pgn 200 mg/kg

LDLo scu frg 200 mg/kg

*AQTX/TLM96: Not available

***SAX TOXICITY EVALUATION:**

THR: MUTATION data. HIGH via oral, dermal and subcutaneous routes. An irritant and an allergen. Dermal exposure may cause local and systemic allergic reactions. Can cause allergic as well as irritative dermatitis.

*CARCINOGENICITY: Not available

***MUTAGENICITY:**

Mutation Data:

mmo-esc 1800 ppm

mmo-sat 5 umol/plate

mma-sat 5 umol/plate

sln-dmg-orl 1250 umol/L

*TERATOGENICITY: Not available

***STANDARDS, REGULATIONS & RECOMMENDATIONS:**

OSHA: Federal Register (1/19/89) and 29 CFR 1910.1000 Subpart Z

Transitional Limit: PEL-TWA 0.1 mg/m³ (skin) [610]

Final Limit: PEL-TWA 0.1 mg/m³ (skin) [610]

ACGIH: TLV-TWA 0.1 mg/m³ (skin); STEL 0.3 mg/m³, with a notice of intent to delete STEL [610]

NIOSH Criteria Document: None

NFPA Hazard Rating: Health (H): None

Flammability (F): None

Reactivity (R): None

***OTHER TOXICITY DATA:**

Standards and Regulations: DOT-Hazard: Class A explosive; Label: Explosive A

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Review: Toxicology Review
Status: "NIOSH Manual of Analytical Methods" Vol. 4
"NIOSH Manual of Analytical Methods" to be revised by June 1985
Reported in EPA TSCA Inventory, 1983
EPA Genetic Toxicology Program, January 1984

From NIH:

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SECTION 12: Ecological information

Toxicity

No data available.

Persistence and degradability

Readily biodegradable: 91% in 28 days.

Bioaccumulative potential

Not expected to bio-accumulate.

Mobility in soil

High mobility in soil.

Other adverse effects

Environmental fate (exposure) Do not contaminate drains and waterways.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Disposal methods

Product disposal

Dispose of in accordance with local authority guidelines.

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Packaging disposal

Dispose of in accordance with local authority guidelines.

Other disposal recommendations

Special precautions Nil.

SECTION 14: Transport information

UN Number	1090
Hazchem emergency action code (EAC)	2YE
UN Proper Shipping Name	Acetone
Transport hazard class(es)	3
Packing group	II

Special precautions for user

Incompatible with loads containing: Class 1, Class 2.1, if both the Class 3 and Class 2.1 dangerous goods are in bulk, Class 2.3, Class 4.2, Class 5, Class 6, if the Class 3 dangerous goods are Nitro methane, Class 7.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

Chemical Safety Assessment

- Poison Schedule: S5
- TWA (Time Weighted Average): The average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal eight hour working day, for a five-day week.
- STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit): The average airborne concentration over a 15-minute period, which should not be exceeded at any time during a normal eight-hour workday.

SECTION 16: Other information

Further information/disclaimer

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