Material Safety Data Sheet

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Acetone

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula : C_3H_6O
Molecular Weight : 58.08 g/mol

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
Acetone			
67-64-1	200-662-2	606-001-00-8	-

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

OSHA Hazards
Flammable Liquid, Target Organ Effect, Irritant

Target Organs

Liver, Kidney

HMIS Classification

Health Hazard: 2
Chronic Health Hazard: *
Flammability: 3
Physical hazards: 0

NFPA Rating

Health Hazard: 2
Fire: 3
Reactivity Hazard: 0

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation. Vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness.

Skin	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
Eyes	Causes eye irritation.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled
If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact
Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact
Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

If swallowed
Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable properties

Flash point	-17.0 °C (1.4 °F) - closed cup
Ignition temperature	465 °C (869 °F)

Suitable extinguishing media
For small (incipient) fires, use media such as "alcohol" foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide. For large fires, apply water from as far as possible. Use very large quantities (flooding) of water applied as a mist or spray; solid streams of water may be ineffective. Cool all affected containers with flooding quantities of water.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters
Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

Further information
Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions
Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

Environmental precautions
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

Methods for cleaning up
Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling
Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.
Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

Storage
Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Store in cool place.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Update	Basis
Acetone	67-64-1	TWA	500 ppm	2007-01-01	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
Remarks	Eye & Upper Respiratory Tract irritation Central Nervous System impairment Hematologic effects Substances for which there is a Biological Exposure Index or Indices (see BEI® section) Not classifiable as a human carcinogen: Agents which cause concern that they could be carcinogenic for humans but which cannot be assessed conclusively because of a lack of data. In vitro or animal studies do not provide indications of carcinogenicity which are sufficient to classify the agent into one of the other categories.				
		STEL	750 ppm	2007-01-01	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Eye & Upper Respiratory Tract irritation Central Nervous System impairment Hematologic effects Substances for which there is a Biological Exposure Index or Indices (see BEI® section) Not classifiable as a human carcinogen: Agents which cause concern that they could be carcinogenic for humans but which cannot be assessed conclusively because of a lack of data. In vitro or animal studies do not provide indications of carcinogenicity which are sufficient to classify the agent into one of the other categories.				
		TWA	750 ppm 1,800 mg/m3	1989-01-19	USA. OSHA - TABLE Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants - 1910.1000
		STEL	1,000 ppm 2,400 mg/m3	1989-01-19	USA. OSHA - TABLE Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants - 1910.1000
	The acetone STEL does not apply to the cellulose acetate fiber industry. It is in effect for all other sectors.				
		TWA	1,000 ppm 2,400 mg/m3	1997-08-04	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
	The value in mg/m3 is approximate.				

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection
Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type AXBEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Hand protection
Handle with gloves.

Eye protection
Safety glasses

Skin and body protection
Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Hygiene measures
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance

Form	liquid, clear
Colour	colourless

Safety data

pH	no data available
Melting point	-94 °C (-137 °F)
Boiling point	56 °C (133 °F) at 1,013 hPa (760 mmHg)
Flash point	-17.0 °C (1.4 °F) - closed cup
Ignition temperature	465 °C (869 °F)
Lower explosion limit	2 %(V)
Upper explosion limit	13 %(V)
Vapour pressure	533.3 hPa (400.0 mmHg) at 39.5 °C (103.1 °F) 245.3 hPa (184.0 mmHg) at 20.0 °C (68.0 °F)
Density	0.791 g/mL at 25 °C (77 °F)
Water solubility	completely miscible
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: -0.24

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Storage stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Conditions to avoid
Heat, flames and sparks.

Materials to avoid
Bases, Oxidizing agents, Reducing agents, Acetone reacts violently with phosphorous oxychloride.

Hazardous decomposition products
Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

Hazardous reactions
Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - rat - 5,800 mg/kg
Remarks: Behavioral:Altered sleep time (including change in righting reflex). Behavioral:Tremor.

LC50 Inhalation - rat - 8 h - 50,100 mg/m3

LD50 Dermal - guinea pig - 7,426 mg/kg

Irritation and corrosion

Skin - rabbit - Mild skin irritation - 24 h

Eyes - rabbit - Eye irritation - 24 h

Sensitisation

Chronic exposure may cause dermatitis.

Chronic exposure

This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

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Additional Information
RTECS: AL3150000

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Elimination information (persistence and degradability)

no data available

Ecotoxicity effects

Toxicity to fish	LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 5,540.00 mg/l - 96 h
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates.	EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 13,500.00 mg/l - 48 h

Further information on ecology

no data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product
Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

Contaminated packaging
Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)
UN-Number: 1090 Class: 3 Packing group: II
Proper shipping name: Acetone
Marine pollutant: No
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG
UN-Number: 1090 Class: 3 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-E, S-D
Proper shipping name: ACETONE
Marine pollutant: No

IATA
UN-Number: 1090 Class: 3 Packing group: II
Proper shipping name: Acetone

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

OSHA Hazards
Flammable Liquid, Target Organ Effect, Irritant

DSL Status
All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL list.

SARA 302 Components
SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components
SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Hazards
Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Acetone	67-64-1	2007-03-01

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Acetone	67-64-1	2007-03-01

New Jersey Right To Know Components

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Acetone	67-64-1	2007-03-01

California Prop. 65 Components
This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Co., shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.