SAFETY DATA SHEET
PHOSPHORIC ACID 10% V/V

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier
Product name  PHOSPHORIC ACID 10% V/V
Product number  1934

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against
Identified uses  General chemical reagent
Uses advised against  No specific uses advised against are identified.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet
Supplier  Reagent Chemical Services
18 Aston Fields Road
Whitehouse Industrial Estate
Runcorn
Cheshire WA7 3DL

T: 01928 716903 (08.30 - 17.00)
F: 01928 716425
E: info@reagent.co.uk

1.4. Emergency telephone number
Emergency telephone  OHES Environmental Ltd 24-7
Tel. 0333 333 9939 (24 hour)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture
Classification (EC 1272/2008)
Health hazards  Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Irrit. 2 - H319
Environmental hazards  Not Classified

Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)  Xi;R36/38.

2.2. Label elements
Pictogram

Signal word  Warning
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Hazard statements
H290 May be corrosive to metals.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with local regulations.

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Supplementary precautionary statements
P234 Keep only in original container.
P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling.
P321 Specific treatment (see medical advice on this label).
P332+P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.
P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P390 Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.
P406 Store in corrosive resistant/… container with a resistant inner liner.

2.3. Other hazards
This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

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Classification
Skin Corr. 1B - H314
Eye Dam. 1 - H318

Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)
C;R34

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information
Get medical attention immediately. Show this Safety Data Sheet to the medical personnel.

Inhalation
Remove affected person from source of contamination. Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as collar, tie or belt. When breathing is difficult, properly trained personnel may assist affected person by administering oxygen. Place unconscious person on their side in the recovery position and ensure breathing can take place.

Ingestion
Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Remove any dentures. Do not induce vomiting unless under the direction of medical personnel. If vomiting occurs, the head should be kept low so that vomit does not enter the lungs. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Place unconscious person on their side in the recovery position and ensure breathing can take place. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as collar, tie or belt.
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Skin contact  Rinse with water.
Eye contact  Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
Protection of first aiders  First aid personnel should wear appropriate protective equipment during any rescue. Wash contaminated clothing thoroughly with water before removing it from the affected person, or wear gloves. It may be dangerous for first aid personnel to carry out mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed
General information  See Section 11 for additional information on health hazards. The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the length of exposure.
Inhalation  Prolonged inhalation of high concentrations may damage respiratory system.
Ingestion  May cause irritation.
Skin contact  Redness. Irritating to skin.
Eye contact  Irritating to eyes.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
Notes for the doctor  Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing media  The product is not flammable. Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.
Unsuitable extinguishing media  Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
Specific hazards  Containers can burst violently or explode when heated, due to excessive pressure build-up.
Hazardous combustion products  Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances: Harmful gases or vapours. Oxides of phosphorus. Phosphoric acid mist.

5.3. Advice for firefighters
Protective actions during firefighting  Avoid breathing fire gases or vapours. Evacuate area. Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove them from the fire area if it can be done without risk. Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out. Control run-off water by containing and keeping it out of sewers and watercourses. If risk of water pollution occurs, notify appropriate authorities.

Special protective equipment for firefighters  Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing. Firefighter's clothing conforming to European standard EN469 (including helmets, protective boots and gloves) will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
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Personal precautions
No action shall be taken without appropriate training or involving any personal risk. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel away from the spillage. Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Follow precautions for safe handling described in this safety data sheet. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a spillage. Ensure procedures and training for emergency decontamination and disposal are in place. Do not touch or walk into spilled material.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions
Large Spillages: Inform the relevant authorities if environmental pollution occurs (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up
Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Clear up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Approach the spillage from upwind. Small Spillages: If the product is soluble in water, dilute the spillage with water and mop it up. Alternatively, or if it is not water-soluble, absorb the spillage with an inert, dry material and place it in a suitable waste disposal container. Large Spillages: If leakage cannot be stopped, evacuate area. Flush spilled material into an effluent treatment plant, or proceed as follows. Contain and absorb spillage with sand, earth or other non-combustible material. Place waste in labelled, sealed containers. Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly, observing environmental regulations. The contaminated absorbent may pose the same hazard as the spilled material. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a spillage. The requirements of the local water authority must be complied with if contaminated water is flushed directly to the sewer. Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections
For personal protection, see Section 8. See Section 11 for additional information on health hazards. See Section 12 for additional information on ecological hazards. For waste disposal, see Section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions
Read and follow manufacturer’s recommendations. Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Handle all packages and containers carefully to minimise spills. Keep container tightly sealed when not in use. Avoid the formation of mists. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not handle broken packages without protective equipment. Do not reuse empty containers.

Advice on general occupational hygiene
Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Take off contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Change work clothing daily before leaving workplace.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions
Store in accordance with local regulations. Store away from the following materials: Alkalis. Keep only in the original container. Keep container tightly closed, in a cool, well ventilated place. Keep containers upright. Protect containers from damage. Bund storage facilities to prevent soil and water pollution in the event of spillage. The storage area floor should be leak-tight, jointless and not absorbent.

Storage class
Acids.

7.3. Specific end use(s)
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Specific end use(s)  The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

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Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 1 mg/m³  
Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): WEL 2 mg/m³  

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit

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Biological limit values  No information available, No information available, No information available

DNEL  
Workers - Inhalation; Long term local effects: 2.92 mg/m³  
General population - Inhalation; Long term local effects: 0.73 mg/m³

PNEC  No information available for PNEC of phosphoric acid.

8.2. Exposure controls

Protective equipment

Appropriate engineering controls  
Provide adequate ventilation. Personal, workplace environment 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. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls as the primary means to minimise worker exposure. Personal protective equipment should only be used if worker exposure cannot be controlled adequately by the engineering control measures. Ensure control measures are regularly inspected and maintained. Ensure operatives are trained to minimise exposure.

Eye/face protection  
Eyewear complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates eye contact is possible. Personal protective equipment for eye and face protection should comply with European Standard EN166. Wear tight-fitting, chemical splash goggles or face shield. If inhalation hazards exist, a full-face respirator may be required instead.

Hand protection  
Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates skin contact is possible. The most suitable glove should be chosen in consultation with the glove supplier/manufacturer, who can provide information about the breakthrough time of the glove material. To protect hands from chemicals, gloves should comply with European Standard EN374. Considering the data specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that the gloves are retaining their protective properties and change them as soon as any deterioration is detected. Frequent changes are recommended.

Other skin and body protection  
Appropriate footwear and additional protective clothing complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates skin contamination is possible.

Hygiene measures  
Provide eyewash station and safety shower. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Clean equipment and the work area every day. Good personal hygiene procedures should be implemented. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Preventive industrial medical examinations should be carried out. Warn cleaning personnel of any hazardous properties of the product.
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Respiratory protection
Respiratory protection complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates inhalation of contaminants is possible. Ensure all respiratory protective equipment is suitable for its intended use and is ‘CE’-marked. Check that the respirator fits tightly and the filter is changed regularly. Gas and combination filter cartridges should comply with European Standard EN14387. Full face mask respirators with replaceable filter cartridges should comply with European Standard EN136. Half mask and quarter mask respirators with replaceable filter cartridges should comply with European Standard EN140.

Environmental exposure controls
Store in a demarcated bunded area to prevent release to drains and/or watercourses.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance
Liquid.

Colour
Colourless.

Odour
Odourless.

pH
pH (concentrated solution): <1

Melting point
Not determined.

Initial boiling point and range
Not determined.

Flash point
Not applicable.

Vapour pressure
Not determined.

Relative density
~ 1.07 @ 20°C

Solubility(ies)
miscible with water.

Auto-ignition temperature
Not applicable.

Explosive properties
Not considered to be explosive.

Oxidising properties
Does not meet the criteria for classification as oxidising.

9.2. Other information
None.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity
Reactivity
The reactivity data for this product will be typical of those for the following class of materials: Acids.

10.2. Chemical stability
Stability
Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended. Stable under the prescribed storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions
Possibility of hazardous reactions
The following materials may react with the product: Alkalis. Some metals. May react vigorously or exothermically. In contact with some metals can generate hydrogen gas, which can form explosive mixtures with air.

10.4. Conditions to avoid
Conditions to avoid
Avoid exposure to high temperatures or direct sunlight. Avoid freezing.

10.5. Incompatible materials
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Materials to avoid
Alkalis. Some metals.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products
Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended. Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances: Harmful gases or vapours.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity - oral
Notes (oral LD₅₀)
Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity - dermal
Notes (dermal LD₅₀)
Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity - inhalation
Notes (inhalation LC₅₀)
Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Skin corrosion/irritation
Animal data
Irritating.

Extreme pH
≤ 2 Corrosive.

Serious eye damage/irritation
Serious eye damage/irritation
Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory sensitisation
Respiratory sensitisation
Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Skin sensitisation
Skin sensitisation
Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity
Genotoxicity - in vitro
Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity
Carcinogenicity
Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

IARC carcinogenicity
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Reproductive toxicity
Reproductive toxicity - fertility
Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity - development
Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
STOT - single exposure
Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after a single exposure.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
STOT - repeated exposure
Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard
Aspiration hazard
Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

General information
The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the length of exposure.

Inhalation
Prolonged inhalation of high concentrations may damage respiratory system.
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Ingestion May cause irritation.

Skin contact Redness. Irritating to skin.

Eye contact Irritating to eyes.

Route of entry Ingestion Inhalation Skin and/or eye contact

Target organs No specific target organs known.

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity The product may affect the acidity (pH) of water which may have hazardous effects on aquatic organisms.

12.1. Toxicity

Toxicity Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity - fish, 96 hours: pH 3-3.25 Median lethal pH, Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill)

Acute toxicity - aquatic invertebrates EC₅₀, 48 hours: >100 mg/l, Daphnia magna

Acute toxicity - aquatic plants EC₅₀, 72 hours: >100 mg/l, Desmodesmus subspicatus

Chronic toxicity - fish early life stage Not available.

Chronic toxicity - aquatic invertebrates Not available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability The product contains inorganic substances which are not biodegradable.

Stability (hydrolysis) Scientifically unjustified.

Biodegradation Scientifically unjustified.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential No data available on bioaccumulation.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility The product is water-soluble and may spread in water systems. The product is non-volatile.

Adsorption/desorption coefficient Scientifically unjustified.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects None known.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods
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General information
The generation of waste should be minimised or avoided wherever possible. Reuse or recycle products wherever possible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Disposal of this product, process solutions, residues and by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any local authority requirements. When handling waste, the safety precautions applying to handling of the product should be considered. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been thoroughly cleaned or rinsed out. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues and hence be potentially hazardous.

Disposal methods
Dispose of surplus products and those that cannot be recycled via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste, residues, empty containers, discarded work clothes and contaminated cleaning materials should be collected in designated containers, labelled with their contents. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible.

SECTION 14: Transport information

General
For limited quantity packaging/limited load information, consult the relevant modal documentation using the data shown in this section.

14.1. UN number
UN No. (ADR/RID) 1805
UN No. (IMDG) 1805
UN No. (ICAO) 1805

14.2. UN proper shipping name
Proper shipping name (ADR/RID) PHOSPHORIC ACID
Proper shipping name (IMDG) PHOSPHORIC ACID
Proper shipping name (ICAO) PHOSPHORIC ACID
Proper shipping name (ADN) PHOSPHORIC ACID

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)
ADR/RID class 8
ADR/RID label 8
IMDG class 8
ICAO class/division 8

Transport labels

14.4. Packing group
ADR/RID packing group III
IMDG packing group III
ICAO packing group III

14.5. Environmental hazards
Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant No.
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14.6. Special precautions for user
Always transport in closed containers that are upright and secure. Ensure that persons transporting the product know what to do in the event of an accident or spillage.

EmS         F-A, S-B
Emergency Action Code   2R
Hazard Identification Number  (ADR/RID) 80

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code
Not applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
National regulations
Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 (as amended).
The Carriage of Dangerous Goods and Use of Transportable Pressure Equipment Regulations 2009 (SI 2009 No. 1348) (as amended) ["CDG 2009"].
EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits.

EU legislation
Dangerous Preparations Directive 1999/45/EC.
Dangerous Substances Directive 67/548/EEC.

Guidance
Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.
ECHA Guidance on the compilation of safety data sheets 2014.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment
No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

Inventories
EU - EINECS/ELINCS
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

US - TSCA
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

US - TSCA 12(b) Export Notification
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

SECTION 16: Other information

General information
This datasheet is not intended to be a replacement for a full risk assessment, these should always be carried out by competent persons.
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Key literature references and sources for data
Raw material safety data sheets. ECHA website.

Classification procedures according to Regulation (EC) 1272/2008

Training advice
Read and follow manufacturer's recommendations. Only trained personnel should use this material.

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Approved.

Risk phrases in full
R34 Causes burns.
R36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.

Hazard statements in full
H290 May be corrosive to metals.
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H318 Causes serious eye damage.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

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