

1. Product and Company Identification

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Product Name NITRIC ACID 70 PERCENT
Part Number RXSOL-22-1106-040

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2. Composition / Information on ingredients

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Chemical Name	Cas No	Balance
Nitric Acid 70 Percent	7697-37-2	Water

3. Hazards Identification

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Signal word	Danger
Hazard Classifications	Oxidising Liquids - Category 3 Acute Toxicity - Inhalation - Category 3 Corrosive to Metals - Category 1 Skin Corrosion/Irritation - Category 1A Serious Eye Damage/Irritation - Category 1
Hazard Statements	H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer. H290 May be corrosive to metals. AUH071 Corrosive to the respiratory tract. H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. H331 Toxic if inhaled.
Prevention Precautionary Statements	P102 Keep out of reach of children. P103 Read label before use. P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking. P220 Keep/Store away from clothing/combustible materials. P221 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles.

P234 Keep only in original container.

P260 Do not breathe dust, fume, gas, mist, vapours or spray.

P264 Wash hands, face and all exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P280 Wear protective clothing, gloves, eye/face protection and suitable respirator.

Response Precautionary Statements

P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand. P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. P390 Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

Storage Precautionary Statements

P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P405 Store locked up.

Disposal Precautionary Statement

P406 Store in original container with a resistant inner liner.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations.

Poison Schedule

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4. First Aid Measures

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Inhalation

Remove victim from exposure - avoid becoming a casualty. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen remaining clothing. Allow patient to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully recovered. If breathing laboured and patient cyanotic (blue), ensure airways are clear and have a qualified person give oxygen through a facemask. If breathing has stopped apply artificial respiration at once. In the event of cardiac arrest, apply external cardiac massage. Seek immediate medical advice

Skin contact

If skin or hair contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and flush skin and hair with running water. If swelling, redness, blistering or irritation occurs seek medical assistance. For gross contamination, immediately drench with water and remove clothing. Continue to flush skin and hair with plenty of water (and soap if material is insoluble). For skin burns, cover with a clean, dry dressing until medical help is available. If blistering occurs, do NOT break blisters. If swelling, redness, blistering, or irritation occurs seek medical assistance

Ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting without medical advice. Rinse mouth with water. Never administer anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Obtain medical aid immediately

Eye contact

Immediately irrigate with copious quantities of water for 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held open.

Remove clothing if contaminated and wash skin. Urgently seek medical assistance. Transport to hospital or medical centre. If in eyes wash out immediately with water. In all cases of eye contamination it is a sensible precaution to seek medical advice

Ingestion

Rinse mouth with water. If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Give a

glass of water to drink. Never give anything by the mouth to an unconscious patient. If vomiting occurs give further water. Seek medical advice.

Treat symptomatically.

Notes to physician

5. Fire-fighting Measures

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Hazchem Code

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Suitable extinguishing media

If material is involved in a fire use water fog (or if unavailable fine water spray), alcohol resistant foam, standard foam, dry agent (carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder).

Specific hazards

May intensify fire; oxidiser.

Fire fighting further advice

On burning or decomposing may emit toxic fumes. Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if risk of exposure to vapour or products of combustion or decomposition.

6. Accidental Release Measures

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SMALL SPILLS

Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contamination. Avoid inhalation of vapours or dust. Wipe up with absorbent (clean rag or paper towels). Collect and seal in properly labelled containers or drums for disposal.

LARGE SPILLS

If safe to do so, shut off all possible sources of ignition. Clear area of all unprotected personnel. Slippery when spilt. Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contamination and the inhalation of vapours. Work up wind or increase ventilation. Contain - prevent run off into drains and waterways. Use absorbent (soil, sand or other inert material). Use a spark-free shovel. Collect and seal in properly labelled containers or drums for disposal. If contamination of crops, sewers or waterways has occurred advise local emergency services.

7. Handling and Storage

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Handling

Avoid eye contact and skin contact. Avoid inhalation of vapour, mist or aerosols.

Storage

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place and out of direct sunlight. Store away from foodstuffs. Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10. Store away from sources of heat and/or ignition. Store locked up. Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner. Keep container standing upright. Keep containers closed when not in use - check regularly for leaks.

This material is classified as a Class 8 Corrosive, Division 5.1 Oxidising Substance as per the criteria of the

[Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail](#) and/or the [New Zealand NZS5433](#):

Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land and must be stored in accordance with the relevant regulations.

This material is a Scheduled Poison Schedule 6 (Poison) and must be stored, maintained and used in accordance with the relevant regulations.

8. Exposure controls and personal protection

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TWA - The time-weighted average airborne concentration over an eight-hour working day, for a five-day working week over an entire working life.

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.

These Exposure Standards are guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept too as low a level as is workable. These exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity. If the directions for use on the product label are followed, exposure of individuals using the product should not exceed the above standard. The standard was created for workers who are routinely, potentially exposed during product manufacture.

Biological Limit Values

As per the [National Model Regulations for the Control of Workplace Hazardous](#)

[Substances \(Safe Work Australia\)](#) the ingredients in this material do not have a Biological Limit Allocated

Engineering Measures

Ensure ventilation is adequate to maintain air concentrations below Exposure Standards. Use only in well ventilated areas. Use with local exhaust ventilation or while wearing appropriate

respirator.

Personal Protection Equipment

RUBBER BOOTS, OVERALLS, GLOVES, APRON, FACE SHIELD, RESPIRATOR.

Wear rubber boots, overalls, gloves, apron, face shield, respirator. Use with adequate ventilation. If inhalation

risk exists wear organic vapour/particulate respirator meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS

1716. Available information suggests that gloves made from nitrile rubber should be suitable for intermittent

contact. However, due to variations in glove construction and local conditions, the user should make a final

assessment. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated

clothing and other protective equipment before storing or re-using.

Hygiene measures: Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. When using do not eat, drink or

smoke. Wash hands prior to eating, drinking or smoking. Avoid contact with clothing. Avoid eye contact and skin

contact. Avoid inhalation of vapour, mist or aerosols. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close

to the workstation location.

9. Physical and chemical properties

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Form	Soluble in water
Colour	Colourless to pale yellow
Odor	Irritating
Solubility	Soluble in water
Specific Gravity (20 °C)	1.1 - 1.4
Density	Not Applicable
Relative Vapour Density (air=1)	>1
Vapour Pressure (20 °C)	Not Available
Flash Point (°C)	Not Available
Flammability Limits (%)	2,000 mg/Kg

Ingestion	This material has been classified as non-hazardous. Acute toxicity estimate (based on ingredients): >2,000 mg/Kg
Corrosion/Irritancy	Eye: this material has been classified as a Category 1 Hazard (irreversible effects to eyes). Skin: this material has been classified as a Category 1A Hazard (irreversible effects to skin).
Sensitisation	Inhalation: this material has been classified as not a respiratory sensitiser. Skin: this material has been classified as not a skin sensitiser.
Aspiration hazard	This material has been classified as non-hazardous.
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	This material has been classified as non-hazardous.
Chronic Toxicity	
Mutagenicity	This material has been classified as non-hazardous.
Carcinogenicity	This material has been classified as non-hazardous
Reproductive toxicity (including via lactation)	This material has been classified as non-hazardous.

12. Ecological information

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Acute aquatic hazard	This material has been classified as non-hazardous. Acute toxicity estimate (based on ingredients): >100 mg/L
Long-term aquatic hazard	