

# Material Safety Data Sheet

Phosphorous Acid, Crystalline

ACC# 17125

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

MSDS Name: Phosphorous Acid, Crystalline Synonyms: Phosphonic acid; Phosphorous acid. Company Identification: PVS Global Trade Australia Pty. Ltd. Unit 2, 5 Breene Place, Morningside Queensland 4170 AUSTRALIA Ph: +61 7 3075 7255

# Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

CAS#	Chemical Name	Percent	EINECS/ELINCS
10294-56-1	Phosphorous acid	>99	233-663-1

## Section 3 - Hazards Identification

### **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

**Appearance:** white or yellow crystals. **Danger!** Causes eye and skin burns. May cause severe respiratory tract irritation with possible burns. May cause severe digestive tract irritation with possible burns. Air sensitive. Hygroscopic (absorbs moisture from the air).

Target Organs: Lungs, eyes, skin, mucous membranes.

### **Potential Health Effects**

**Eye:** Contact with liquid is corrosive to the eyes and causes severe burns.

**Skin:** Contact with liquid is corrosive and causes severe burns and ulceration. May cause skin rash (in milder cases), and cold and clammy skin with cyanosis or pale color.

**Ingestion:** Causes gastrointestinal tract burns.

**Inhalation:** Irritation may lead to chemical pneumonitis and pulmonary edema. Causes severe irritation of upper respiratory tract with coughing, burns, breathing difficulty, and possible coma. Aspiration may lead to pulmonary edema. May cause systemic effects.

**Chronic:** Effects may be delayed. Repeated contact may cause corneal damage.

### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Eyes:** In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for a t least 15 minutes. Get medical aid immediately.

**Skin:** In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical aid immediately. Wash clothing before reuse. **Ingestion:** If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical aid immediately. If victim is fully conscious, give a cupful of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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Australia Unit 2, 5 Breene Place, Morningside (QLD) 4170 Tel: +61(0)7 3075 7255 Mob: +61 424 757 341 **Inhalation:** If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid.

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically and supportively.

# Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**General Information:** As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool. Substance is noncombustible. Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas. **Extinguishing Media:** For small fires, use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide or chemical foam. Do NOT get water inside containers. For large fires, use dry chemical, carbon dioxide, alcohol-resistant foam, or water spray.

Flash Point: Not applicable.
Autoignition Temperature: Not available.
Explosion Limits, Lower: Not available.
Upper: Not available.
NFPA Rating: (estimated) Health: 3; Flammability: 0; Instability: 1

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**General Information:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. **Spills/Leaks:** Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Cover with sand, dry lime or soda ash and place in a closed container for disposal. Provide ventilation.

### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Do not breathe dust, vapor, mist, or gas. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Use only in a chemical fume hood. Discard contaminated shoes.

**Storage:** Store in a tightly closed container. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep away from metals. Corrosives area. Do not store in metal containers.

### Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low. **Exposure Limits** 

Chemical Name	ACGIH	NIOSH	OSHA - Final PELs
Phosphorous acid	none listed	none listed	none listed
Phosphorous acid (two legit CAS numbers)	none listed	none listed	none listed

**OSHA Vacated PELs:** Phosphorous acid: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical. Phosphorous acid (two legit CAS numbers): No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

#### **Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eyes:** Wear chemical splash goggles.

**Skin:** Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

**Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respirators:** A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements or European Standard EN 149 must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant respirator use.

### Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Crystals Appearance: White or Yellow Odor: None reported pH: Acidic in solution. Vapor Pressure: Not applicable. Vapor Density: Not available. Evaporation Rate: Not applicable. Viscosity: Not applicable. Viscosity: Not applicable. Boiling Point: 392 deg F Freezing/Melting Point: 165 deg F Decomposition Temperature: Not available. Solubility: Soluble. Specific Gravity/Density: 1.7 Molecular Formula: H3PO3 Molecular Weight: 82.0

### Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Chemical Stability:** Stable at room temperature in closed containers under normal storage and handling conditions. Hygroscopic: absorbs moisture or water from the air. Phosphorous acid, ortho reacts with air to form Phosphoric acid.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Dust generation, exposure to air, exposure to moist air or water.

**Incompatibilities with Other Materials:** Strong bases, strong oxidizing agents, strong reducing agents, water, metals.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Oxides of phosphorus, phosphine. **Hazardous Polymerization:** Has not been reported.

### Section 11 - Toxicological Information

#### RTECS#:

**CAS#** 10294-56-1 unlisted. **CAS#** 13598-36-2: SZ6400000 **LD50/LC50:** Not available.

CAS# 13598-36-2: Oral, mouse: LD50 = 1700 mg/kg; Oral, rat: LD50 = 1895 mg/kg;

#### **Carcinogenicity:**

CAS# 10294-56-1: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65. CAS# 13598-36-2: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

**Epidemiology:** No information found **Teratogenicity:** No information found **Reproductive Effects:** No information found **Mutagenicity:** No information found **Neurotoxicity:** No information found **Other Studies:** 

# Section 12 - Ecological Information

No information available.

### Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally,

waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification. **RCRA P-Series:** None listed. **RCRA U-Series:** None listed.

# Section 14 - Transport Information

	US DOT	Canada TDG
Shipping Name:	PHOSPHOROUS ACID	PHOSPHOROUS ACID
Hazard Class:	8	8
UN Number:	UN2834	UN2834
Packing Group:	III	III

# Section 15 - Regulatory Information

### **US FEDERAL**

#### TSCA

CAS# 10294-56-1 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

CAS# 13598-36-2 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

#### Health & Safety Reporting List

None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List. Chemical

#### **Test Rules**

None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

#### Section 12b

None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

#### TSCA Significant New Use Rule

None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

### **CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs**

None of the chemicals in this material have an RQ. SARA

#### Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances None

of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

#### SARA Codes

CAS # 10294-56-1: delayed, reactive.

**Section 313** No chemicals are reportable under Section 313.

#### **Clean Air Act:**

This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants.

This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depletors.

This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depletors.

#### **Clean Water Act:**

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA. None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA. None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

#### OSHA:

None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA. **STATE** 

CAS# 10294-56-1 is not present on state lists from CA, PA, MN, MA, FL, or NJ.

CAS# 13598-36-2 can be found on the following state right to know lists: New Jersey.

### California Prop 65

California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

### **European/International Regulations**

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives Hazard

Symbols:

#### **Risk Phrases:**

R 22 Harmful if swallowed.

R 35 Causes severe burns.

#### Safety Phrases:

S 26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

S 36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

S 45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

#### WGK (Water Danger/Protection)

CAS# 10294-56-1: No information available.

#### CAS# 13598-36-2: 1 Canada

- DSL/NDSL

CAS# 10294-56-1 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

#### CAS# 13598-36-2 is listed on Canada's DSL List. Canada

#### - WHMIS

This product has a WHMIS classification of E.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

#### **Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List**

CAS# 13598-36-2 is listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List.

### Section 16 - Additional Information

#### **MSDS Creation Date:** 12/12/1997 **Revision #8 Date:** 1/15/2020

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