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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the supplier

Product name:

Ascorbic Acid, Reagent Grade

Manufacturer/Supplier Article number: AA1360

Recommended uses of the product and restrictions on use: Laboratory

# Manufacturer Details:

AquaPhoenix Scientific, Inc. 860 Gitts Run Road Hanover, PA 17331 1-717-632-1291

# **Emergency telephone number:**

# ChemTel: (24-hour)

+1(800)255-3924 +1(813)248-0585 (International)

## **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

# Classification of the substance or mixture:

Not classified for physical or health hazards under GHS.

### Signal word: None

### Hazard statements:

None

### **Precautionary statements:**

If medical advice is needed have product container or label at hand. Keep out of reach of children. Read label before use. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

# Other Non-GHS Classification: None

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

### Ingredients:

Ingredients:				
CAS 50-81-7	Ascorbic Acid	>95 %		
		Percentages are by weight		

# **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

# Description of first aid measures

# After inhalation:

Loosen clothing as necessary and position individual in a comfortable position. Move exposed to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing is difficult give oxygen. Get medical assistance if cough or other symptoms appear.

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# After skin contact:

Rinse/flush exposed skin gently using soap and water for 15-20 minutes. Seek medical advice if discomfort or irritation persists.

#### After eye contact:

Protect unexposed eye. Rinse/flush exposed eye(s) gently using water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lens(es) if able to do so during rinsing. Seek medical attention if irritation persists or if concerned.

### After swallowing:

Rinse mouth thoroughly. Do not induce vomiting. Have exposed individual drink sips of water. Seek medical attention if irritation, discomfort or vomiting persists. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Irritation. Nausea. Headache. Shortness of breath.

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:

If seeking medical attention, provide SDS document to physician. Physician should treat symptomatically.

### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### **Extinguishing media**

# Suitable extinguishing agents:

Use appropriate fire suppression agents for adjacent combustible materials or sources of ignition. Use water, dry chemical, chemical foam, carbon dioxide, or alcohol-resistant foam.

#### Unsuitable extinguishing agents: None

#### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:

Combustion products may include carbon oxides or other toxic vapors. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

### Advice for firefighters:

#### **Protective equipment:**

Use NIOSH-approved respiratory protection/breathing apparatus.

#### Additional information (precautions):

Move product containers away from fire or keep cool with water spray as a protective measure, where feasible. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Avoid generating dust; fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard. Avoid inhaling gases, fumes, dust, mist, vapor and aerosols. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

## Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

Wear protective equipment. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Ensure that air-handling systems are operational. Ensure adequate ventilation.

### **Environmental precautions:**

Prevent from reaching drains, sewer or waterway. Collect contaminated soil for characterization per Section 13. Should not be released into environment.

## Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Keep in suitable closed containers for disposal. Wear protective eyeware, gloves, and clothing. Always obey local regulations. Refer to Section 8. Dust deposits should not be allowed to accumulate on surfaces, as these may form an explosive mixture if they are released into the atmosphere in sufficient concentration. Avoid dispersal of dust in the air. Collect solids in powder form using vacuum with HEPA filter. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

#### Reference to other sections: None

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# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

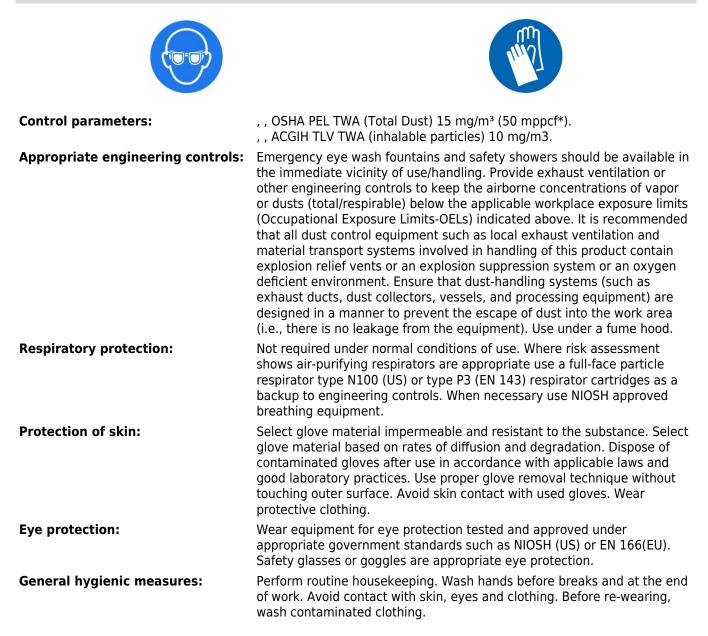
#### Precautions for safe handling:

Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Follow good hygiene procedures when handling chemical materials. Refer to Section 8. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or use personal products when handling chemical substances. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Store away from incompatible materials. Protect from freezing and physical damage. Keep away from food and beverages. Provide ventilation for containers. Avoid storage near extreme heat, ignition sources or open flame. Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers. Store with like hazards.

#### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**



#### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

Appearance (physical state, color):	White crystalline powder	•	Not determined Not determined
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Odor:	odorless	Vapor pressure at 20°C:	Not determined	
Odor threshold:	Not determined	Vapor density:	Not determined	
pH-value:	2.1 - 2.6 (5% soln.)	Relative density:	Not determined	
Melting/Freezing point:	Melting point 190 C	Solubilities:	soluble	
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Not determined	Partition coefficient (n- octanol/water):	Not determined	
Flash point (closed cup):	Not determined	Auto/Self-ignition temperature:	Not determined	
Evaporation rate:	Not determined	Decomposition temperature:	Not determined	
Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not determined	Viscosity:	a. Kinematic: Not determined b. Dynamic: Not determined	
Density at 20°C:	1.65			

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### **Reactivity:**

Nonreactive under normal conditions.

# **Chemical stability:**

Stable under normal conditions.

# Possible hazardous reactions:

None under normal processing.

### **Conditions to avoid:**

Incompatible Materials.

### Incompatible materials:

Strong acids. Strong bases. Oxidizing agents.

# Hazardous decomposition products: None

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

Acute Toxicity: No additional information. Chronic Toxicity: No additional information. Skin corrosion/irritation: No additional information. Serious eye damage/irritation: No additional information. Respiratory or skin sensitization: No additional information. Carcinogenicity: No additional information.

Germ cell mutagenicity: No additional information. Reproductive Toxicity: No additional information. STOT-single and repeated exposure: No additional information. Additional toxicological information:

No additional information.

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

**Ecotoxicity:** No additional information. **Persistence and degradability**: No additional information. **Bioaccumulative potential**: No additional information. **Mobility in soil**: No additional information.

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Other adverse effects: No additional information.

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

# Waste disposal recommendations:

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dispose of empty containers as unused product. Product or containers must not be disposed with household garbage. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to properly characterize all waste materials according to applicable regulatory entities (US 40CFR262.11). Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations. Ensure complete and accurate classification.

#### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

# **US DOT**

UN Number: ADR, ADN, DOT, IMDG, IATA

**Limited Quantity Exception:** 

Bulk: RQ (if applicable): None Proper shipping Name: Not Regulated. Hazard Class: None Packing Group: Not Regulated. Marine Pollutant (if applicable): No additional information. Comments: None Not Regulated.

None

Non Bulk: RQ (if applicable): None Proper shipping Name: Not Regulated. Hazard Class: None Packing Group: Not Regulated. Marine Pollutant (if applicable): No additional information. Comments: None

### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

#### United States (USA)

SARA Section 311/312 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

None of the ingredients are listed.

SARA Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

None of the ingredients are listed.

### RCRA (hazardous waste code):

None of the ingredients are listed.

### TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) :

All ingredients are listed.

### **CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act)**:

None of the ingredients are listed.

# Proposition 65 (California):

# Chemicals known to cause cancer:

None of the ingredients are listed.

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# Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

None of the ingredients are listed.

# Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

None of the ingredients are listed.

# Canada

# Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) :

All ingredients are listed.

# **SECTION 16: Other information**

This product has been classified in accordance with hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations. Note. The responsibility to provide a safe workplace remains with the user. The user should consider the health hazards and safety information contained herein as a guide and should take those precautions required in an individual operation to instruct employees and develop work practice procedures for a safe work environment. The information contained herein is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, accurate. However, since the conditions of handling and use are beyond our control, we make no guarantee of results, and assume no liability for damages incurred by the use of this material. It is the responsibility of the user to comply with all applicable laws and regulations applicable to this material.

NFPA: 0-0-0 HMIS: 0-0-0 GHS Full Text Phrases: None

### Abbreviations and Acronyms:

- IMDG International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods.
- IATA International Air Transport Association.
- GHS Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals.
- ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
- CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society).
- NFPA National Fire Protection Association (USA).
- HMIS Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA).
- WHMIS Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada).
- DNEL Derived No-Effect Level (REACH).
- PNEC. Predicted No-Effect Concentration (REACH).
- CFR Code of Federal Regulations (USA)
- SARA Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (USA).
- RCRA. Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (USA).
- TSCA. Toxic Substances Control Act (USA).
- NPRI National Pollutant Release Inventory (Canada).
- DOT US Department of Transportation.