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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product identifier	
Product Name	GERMAFECT
Other means of identification	
Product Code	2874
UN/ID No.	1805
Synonyms	None
Recommended use of the chemical	and restrictions on use
Recommended Use	Phosphoric / HCL Acid Cleaner
Uses advised against	No information available
Details of the supplier of the safety	data sheet
Manufacturer Address	

Harvard Chemical Research, Inc., 3595 Zip Industrial Blvd., Atlanta, GA 30354

### Emergency telephone number

Company Phone Number	1-404-761-0657
24 Hour Emergency Phone Number	800-424-9300
Emergency Telephone	Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

## OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

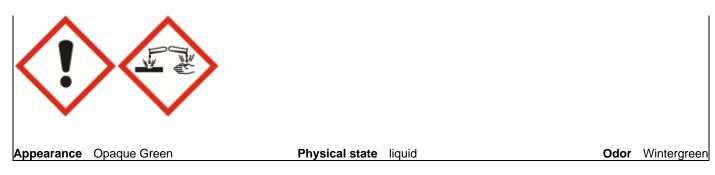
Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

## Label elements

**Emergency Overview** 

## Danger

Hazard statements Harmful if swallowed Harmful if inhaled Causes severe skin burns and eye damage



## **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

## **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician Specific treatment (see .? on this label) IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower Wash contaminated clothing before reuse IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell Do not induce vomiting. Give 1 oz. of magnesia with equal amount of water.

## **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

## Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Other Information

## May be harmful in contact with skin

• Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

## **3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Phosphoric Acid	7664-38-2	<30	*
Hydrochloric Acid	7647-01-0	<10	*

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

**General advice** 

May be toxic or fatal if swallowed. Severe irritant to eyes. Irritation and difficulty in breathing. Gastric pain and vomiting if ingested.

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Eye contact	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.		
Skin Contact	Rinse with clear water.		
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, clear airway and start artificial respiration. If victim is having trouble breathing, give supplemental oxygen, if available. Get medical attention. If breathing does not return to normal, seek medical attention.		
Ingestion	Immediately drink large quantities of water. Get medical attention. Do not induce vomiting.		
Most important symptoms a	ind effects, both acute and delayed		
Symptoms	No information available.		
Indication of any immediate	medical attention and special treatment needed		
Note to physicians	Treat symptomatically.		
5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES			

## Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

## Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No information available.

Explosion data Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None. Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

## Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions	Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.	
Environmental precautions		
Environmental precautions	See Section 12 for additional ecological information.	
Methods and material for containme	nt and cleaning up	
Methods for containment	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.	
Methods for cleaning up	PH adjust and dispose in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.	
	7. HANDLING AND STORAGE	
Precautions for safe handling		
Advice on safe handling	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.	

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions	Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep out of reach of children. Do not freeze.

Incompatible materials

Strong acids. OXIDIZERS.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## Control parameters

## **Exposure Guidelines**

**Engineering Controls** 

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Phosphoric Acid	STEL: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 1000 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
7664-38-2	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	(vacated) TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	_	(vacated) STEL: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Hydrochloric Acid	Ceiling: 2 ppm	(vacated) Ceiling: 5 ppm	IDLH: 50 ppm
7647-01-0		(vacated) Ceiling: 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Ceiling: 5 ppm
		Ceiling: 5 ppm	Ceiling: 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
		Ceiling: 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	

## Appropriate engineering controls

Showers Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection	Goggles.
Skin and body protection	Wear Neoprene or protective rubber gloves.
Respiratory protection	If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.
General Hygiene Considerations	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Appearance Color	liquid Opaque Green	Odor Odor threshold	Wintergreen No information available
Property pH Melting point/freezing point Boiling point / boiling range Flash point Evaporation rate Flammability (solid, gas) Flammability Limit in Air Upper flammability limit: Lower flammability limit: Vapor pressure	Values1.5No information available94 >212°FNo information available<1No information availableNo information available	<u>Remarks • Method</u>	

Vapor density Specific Gravity Water solubility Solubility in other solvents Partition coefficient Autoignition temperature Decomposition temperature Kinematic viscosity Dynamic viscosity Explosive properties Oxidizing properties

## **Other Information**

Softening point Molecular weight VOC Content (%) Density Bulk density 1.12 completely soluble No information available No information available

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## **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

## Reactivity

No data available

## **Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

## Hazardous polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

## Conditions to avoid

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

# Incompatible materials

Strong acids. OXIDIZERS.

## **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO2). heat.

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information	No data available
Inhalation	Irritation and difficulty in breathing.
Eye contact	Severely irritating to eyes.
Skin Contact	No data available.
Ingestion	Gastric pain and vomiting.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	= 1530 mg/kg (Rat)	= 2740 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 850 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Rat)1 h

Hydrochloric Acid	238 - 277 mg/kg (Rat)	> 5010 mg/kg (Rabbit)	= 1.68 mg/L (Rat)1 h
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### Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms

No information available.

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Sensitization Germ cell mutagenicity Carcinogenicity	No information No inf	on available.		
Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Hydrochloric Acid 7647-01-0	-	Group 3	-	-
Reproductive toxicity	No information available.			
STOT - single exposure	No information available.			
STOT - repeated exposure	No information available.			
Aspiration hazard	No information	No information available.		

### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

## The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

## **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Ecotoxicity

57.7% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Phosphoric Acid	-	3 - 3.5: 96 h Gambusia affinis mg/L	4.6: 12 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
7664-38-2		LC50	
Hydrochloric Acid	-	282: 96 h Gambusia affinis mg/L	-
7647-01-0		LC50 static	

### Persistence and degradability

No information available.

## **Bioaccumulation**

No information available.

Other adverse effects

No information available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods	
Disposal of wastes	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.
Contaminated packaging	Do not reuse container.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Phosphoric Acid	Corrosive
7664-38-2	

# **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

DOT	Regulated
UN/ID No.	1805
Proper shipping name	Phosphoric Acid Solution, Corrosive
Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	III
<b>EXEMPT FOR QUART SIZE OR LES</b>	S
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# **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

International Inventories	
TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDSL	Complies
EINECS/ELINCS	Complies
ENCS	Complies
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

Legend: TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

## US Federal Regulations

## SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical Name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values	%
Hydrochloric Acid - 7647-01-0	1.0	
SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories		
Acute health hazard	No	
Chronic Health Hazard	No	
Fire hazard	No	
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No	
Reactive Hazard	No	

### CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances

Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	5000 lb	-	-	Х
Hydrochloric Acid 7647-01-0	5000 lb	-	-	Х

## <u>CERCLA</u>

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Phosphoric Acid	5000 lb	-	RQ 5000 lb final RQ
7664-38-2			RQ 2270 kg final RQ
Hydrochloric Acid	5000 lb	5000 lb	RQ 5000 lb final RQ
7647-01-0			RQ 2270 kg final RQ

# US State Regulations

## California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

## U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	Х	X	Х
Hydrochloric Acid 7647-01-0	Х	X	Х

## U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not Applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION						
<u>NFPA</u>	Health hazards	0	Flammability	0	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Properties -
HMIS	Health hazards	2	Flammability	0	Physical hazards 0	Personal protection X
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## **End of Safety Data Sheet**