

Classified According to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (HCS)

SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product Identifier

Trade Name or Designation:

Acetic Anhydride ACS

Product Number: RSOA0050 Other Identifying Product Numbers: RSOA0050-4C, RSOA0050-500C

1.2. Recommended Use and Restrictions on Use

General Laboratory Reagent

1.3. Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Company: Ricca Chemical Company Address: 448 West Fork Drive

Arlington, TX 76012 USA

Telephone: 888-467-4222

1.4. Emergency Telephone Number (24 hours)

CHEMTREC (USA) CHEMTREC (International) 800-424-9300 1+ 703-527-3887

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SECTION 2: Hazard(s) Identification

2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

For the full text of the Hazard and Precautionary Statements listed below, see Section 16.

	•	Hazard	
Hazard Class	Category	Statements	Precautionary Statements:
Acute Toxicity - Oral	Category 4	H302	P264, P270, P301+P312, P330, P501
Acute Toxicity - Inhalation	Category 3	H331	P261, P271, P304+P340, P311, P321,
			P403+P233, P405, P501
Skin Corrosion / Irritation	Category 1	H314	P260, P264, P280, P301+P330+P331,
			P303+P361+P353, P363, P304+P340, P310,
			P321, P305+P351+P338, P405, P501
Eye Damage / Irritation	Category 1	H318	P280, P305+P351+P338, P310
Flammable Liquids	Category 3	H226	P210, P233, P240, P241, P242, P243, P280,
			P303+P361+P353, P370+P378, P403+P235,
			P501

2.2. GHS Label Elements

Pictograms:



Signal Word: Danger

Hazard Statements:

Hazard Number	Hazard Statement
H226	Flammable liquid and vapor.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.

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Precautionary Statements:

Precautionary Number	Precautionary Statement
P210	Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. No smoking.
P233	Keep container tightly closed.
P240	Ground container and receiving equipment.
P241	Use explosion-proof equipment.
P242	Use only non-sparking tools.
P243	Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
P260	Do not breathe fumes, mist, vapors, or spray.
P261	Avoid breathing fumes, mist, vapors, or spray.
P264	Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280	Wear protective gloves and eye protection.
P301+P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.
P301+P330+P331	IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep 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 physician.
P311	Call a POISON CENTER or physician.
P321	Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water).
P330	Rinse mouth.
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P370+P378	In case of fire: Use dry chemical, foam or carbon dioxide to extinguish.
P403+P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

2.4. Hazards not Otherwise Classified or Covered by GHS

Data not available.

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SECTION 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients

3.1. Components of Substance or Mixture

Chemical Name	Formula	Molecular Weight CAS Number	Weight%
Acetic Anhydride	(CH ₃ CO) ₂ O	102.08 g/mol 108-24-7	100.00

SECTION 4: First-Aid Measures

4.1. General First Aid Information

Eye Contact: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Inhalation: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Skin Contact: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.

Ingestion: IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

Harmful if swallowed. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Causes serious eye damage. Toxic if inhaled.

4.3. Medical Attention or Special Treatment Needed

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water).

SECTION 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

5.1. Extinguishing Media

In case of fire: Use dry chemical, foam or carbon dioxide to extinguish.

5.2. Specific Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

Flammable liquid and vapor.

5.3. Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters

Wear protective clothing and NIOSH-approved breathing equipment appropriate for the surrounding fire.

SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Ground container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Wear protective gloves and eye protection.



6.2. Cleanup and Containment Methods and Materials

Absorb with suitable material and dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling and Storage Conditions

Store locked up.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

8.1 Control Parameters

Chemical Name	Limit Type	Count	ry Exposure Limit	Information Source
Acetic Anhydride (108-24-7)	TWA	USA	5 ppm TWA; 20 mg/m ³	U.S OSHA - Final PELs - Time
			TWA	Weighted Averages (TWAs)
Acetic Anhydride (108-24-7)	TLV-STEL	USA	3 ppm STEL	ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values -
				Short Term Exposure Limits
				(TLV-STEL)
Acetic Anhydride (108-24-7)	TLV-TWA	USA	1 ppm TWA	ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Time
				Weighted Averages (TLV-TWA)

8.2. Exposure Controls

Engineering Controls: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Respiratory Protection: No specific controls are needed. Normal room ventilation is adequate.

Skin Protection: Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

Eye Protection: Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

8.3. Personal Protective Equipment

Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

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SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1. Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: Clear, colorless liquid Physical State: Liquid Odor: Data not available. Odor Threshold: Data not available. pH: Data not available. Melting/Freezing Point: -74°C Initial Boiling Point/Range: Data not available. Flash Point: 49°C Evaporation Rate: 0.46 (butyl acetate = 1) Flammability: Data not available. Flammability/Explosive Limits: Data not available. Vapor Pressure: 0.46 (butyl acetate = 1) Vapor Density: 3.5 Relative Density: 1.08 Solubility: Miscible Partition Coefficient: Data not available. Auto-Ignition Temperature: Data not available. **Decomposition Temperature:** Data not available. Viscosity: Data not available. Explosive Properties: Data not available. Oxidizing Properties: Data not available.

SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

10.1. Reactivity and Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions of use and storage.

10.2. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Data not available.

10.3. Conditions to Avoid and Incompatible Materials

Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. No smoking. Keep container tightly closed.

10.4. Hazardous Decomposition Products

May emit irritating fumes when heated to decomposition.

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SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute Toxicity - Oral Exposure:

Harmful if swallowed. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

Acute Toxicity - Dermal Exposure:

Not applicable.

Acute Toxicity - Inhalation Exposure:

Toxic if inhaled. Avoid breathing fumes, mist, vapors, or spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or physician. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

Acute Toxicity - Other Information:

Data not available.

Skin Corrosion and Irritation:

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Do not breathe fumes, mist, vapors, or spray. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Store locked up. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

Serious Eye Damage and Irritation:

Causes serious eye damage. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. 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 physician.

Respiratory Sensitization:

Not applicable.

Skin Sensitization:

Not applicable.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity:

Not applicable.

Carcinogenicity: Not applicable.

Reproductive Toxicity:

Not applicable.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Single Exposure:

Not applicable.



Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Repeated Exposure: Not applicable.

Aspiration Hazard: Not applicable.

Additional Toxicology Information: Data not available.

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

12.1. Ecotoxicity

Not applicable.

12.2. Persistence and Degradability

Data not available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

Data not available.

12.4. Mobility in Soil

Data not available.

12.5. Other Adverse Ecological Effects

Data not available.

SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

13.1. Waste Treatment Methods

Data not available.



SECTION 14: Transportation Information

14.1. Transportation by Land-Department of Transportation (DOT, United States of America)

Sizes: 4 L, 500 mL UN Number: UN1715

Proper Shipping Name: Acetic Anhydride

Hazard Class: 8 (3)

Packing Group:

Hazard Label(s):



14.2. Transportation by Air - International Air Transport Association (IATA)

Sizes:	4 L, 500 mL

UN Number: UN1715

Proper Shipping Name: Acetic Anhydride

Hazard Class: 8 (3)

Packing Group:

Hazard Label(s):



14.3 Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG, Canada)

Sizes:	4 L, 500 mL
UN Number:	UN1715
Proper Shipping Name:	ACETIC ANHYDRIDE

Hazard Class: 8 (3)

Packing Group:

Hazard Label(s):



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SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

15.1. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Hazards

Not listed.

- **15.2. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances** Not listed.
- **15.3. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 311/312 Hazardous Chemicals** Acetic Anhydride (CAS # 108-24-7): 5000 lb final RQ; 2270 kg final RQ
- 15.4. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 313 Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) Not listed.
- 15.5. Massachusetts Right-to-Know Substance List

Acetic Anhydride (CAS # 108-24-7): Present

15.6. Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Hazardous Substances Acetic Anhydride (CAS # 108-24-7): Environmental hazard

Acetic Anhydride (CAS # 108-24-7): Present

15.7. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Components

Acetic Anhydride (CAS # 108-24-7): corrosive Acetic Anhydride (CAS # 108-24-7): sn 0005

- 15.8. California Proposition 65 Not listed.
- 15.9. Canada Domestic Substances List / Non-Domestic Substances List (DSL/NDSL)

Acetic Anhydride (CAS # 108-24-7): Present (DSL)

15.10. United States of America Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) List

All components of this solution are listed as active on the TSCA Inventory or are mixtures (hydrates) of active items listed on the TSCA Inventory.

Acetic Anhydride (CAS # 108-24-7): Present (ACTIVE)

15.11. European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS), European

List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS), and No Longer Polymers (NLP)

Acetic Anhydride (CAS # 108-24-7): 203-564-8

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SECTION 16: Other Information

16.1. Full Text of Hazard Statements and Precautionary Statements

Flammable liquid and vapor. Harmful if swallowed. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Toxic if inhaled.

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IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. 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 physician. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. In case of fire: Use dry chemical, foam or carbon dioxide to extinguish.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Store locked up.

Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

16.2. Miscellaneous Hazard Classes

Canadian Carcinogenicity Hazard Class: Not Applicable. Physical Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (PHNOC): Not Applicable. Health Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HHNOC): Not Applicable. Biohazardous Infectious Materials Hazard Class: Not Applicable.

16.3. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Rating

Health:	3
Flammability:	3
Reactivity:	0
Special Hazard:	



16.4. Document Revision

Last Revision Date: 2023-10-11

DISCLAIMER

When handled properly by qualified personnel, the product described herein does not present a significant health or safety hazard. Alteration of its characteristics by concentration, evaporation, addition of other substances, or other means may present hazards not specifically addressed herein and which must be evaluated by the user. The information furnished herein is believed to be accurate and represents the best data currently available to us. No warranty, expressed or implied, is made and RICCA CHEMICAL COMPANY assumes no legal responsibility or liability whatsoever resulting from its use.