

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Code 16894
Product Name Cease (Liquid Iron Sour)

Other means of identification

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Use only for the purpose on the product label.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer / Manufactured For

Ross Chemical Systems, Inc.
PO Box 523
Altoona, IA 50009
Phone: (515) 244-1788

Emergency telephone number

24 Hour Emergency Phone Number 1-800-535-5053

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 5
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category B
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 3

Label elements

Emergency Overview

Danger

Hazard statements

May be harmful if swallowed
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects



Appearance Clear, Colorless

Physical state Liquid

Odor Acidic

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Avoid release to the environment.

Precautionary Statements - Response

Specific Treatment (See Section 4 on the SDS).

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 irritation persists, see a physician.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting. See a physician immediately.

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Keep container tightly closed in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place away from active metals. Keep locked up and out of the reach of children.

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Other Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity

0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Phosphoric Acid	7664-38-2	5-10	*
Oxalic Acid Dihydrate	6153-56-6	3-7	*

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

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If irritation persists or burns occur, get medical attention.

Eye contact

Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Seek immediate medical attention/advice.

Inhalation

If mists/vapors are formed or irritation occurs, leave area and do not return until mists/vapors have dissipated. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink plenty of water. Seek immediate medical attention/advice.

Self-protection of the first aider

Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms

May cause irritation of gastrointestinal tract. May cause respiratory irritation. May cause irritation and/or burning to eyes and skin.

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

Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.

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 containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Contain spill. Dilute material with sodium bicarbonate solution or chalk dust to a pH of 6.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Always add acid to water.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep locked up and out of reach of children.

Incompatible materials Strong bases. Metals.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines 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 7664-38-2	STEL: 3 mg/m ³ TWA: 1 mg/m ³	TWA: 1 mg/m ³ (vacated) TWA: 1 mg/m ³ (vacated) STEL: 3 mg/m ³	IDLH: 1000 mg/m ³ TWA: 1 mg/m ³ STEL: 3 mg/m ³

NIOSH IDLH Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

Other Information Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992).

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Showers, Eyewash stations & Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection	Tight sealing safety goggles.
Skin and body protection	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 or air purifying respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.
General Hygiene	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state	Liquid
Appearance	Clear, Colorless
Odor	Acidic
Odor threshold	No Information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	<2	
Specific Gravity	1.075	
Viscosity	No Information available	
Melting point/freezing point	No Information available	
Boiling point / boiling range	212 / ° F Degrees	
Flash point	N/A	
Evaporation rate	< 1	(butyl acetate = 1)
Flammability (solid, gas)	No Information available	
Upper flammability limit:	N/A	
Lower flammability limit:	N/A	
Vapor pressure	N/A	
Vapor density	N/A	
Water solubility	N/A	
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)	No Information available	
Autoignition temperature	No Information available	
Decomposition temperature	No Information available	

Other Information

Density Lbs/Gal	No Information available
VOC Content (%)	No Information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**Reactivity**

No data available

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.

Conditions to avoid

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

Incompatible materials

Strong bases. Metals.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Phosphorous pentoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information	No data available
Inhalation	Causes burns.
Eye contact	Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness.
Skin Contact	The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes.
Ingestion	Causes burns. May be harmful if swallowed.

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

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No Information available.

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

Corrosivity	Causes burns. Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue. Risk of serious damage to eyes.
Sensitization	No Information available.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No Information available.
Carcinogenicity	No Information available.
Reproductive toxicity	No Information available.
STOT - single exposure	No Information available.
STOT - repeated exposure	No Information available.
Target organ effects	EYES, Respiratory system, Skin.
Aspiration hazard	No Information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity 0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.
The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

6.4% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-2	-	3 - 3.5: 96 h <i>Gambusia affinis</i> mg/L LC50	4.6: 12 h <i>Daphnia magna</i> mg/L EC50

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.

This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste.

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

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipping classification information in this section (Section 14) is meant as a guide to the overall classification of the product. However, transportation classifications may be subject to change with changes in package size. Consult shipper requirements under 49 CFR, IATA and IMDG to assure regulatory compliance.

DOT

DOT Proper Shipping name UN1760, Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (contains phosphoric acid and oxalic acid), 8, PG II

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**International Inventories**

TSCA	Does not comply
DSL/NDSL	Does not comply
EINECS/ELINCS	Does not comply
ENCS	Does not comply
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Does not comply
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.

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	-	-	X

CERCLA

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 7664-38-2	5000 lb	-	RQ 5000 lb final RQ 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	X	X	X
Oxalic Acid Dihydrate 6153-56-6	-	-	X

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not Applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS Health hazards 2 Flammability 0 Physical hazards 0 Personal protection X

Legend

N/A - Not Applicable

N/E - Not Established

N/D - Not Determined

N/K - Not Known

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