

Oxalic Acid, 5%

1. Identification

Product Name: Oxalic Acid, 5%

Synonyms: N/A

Recommended Use: Laboratory Reagent

Manufacturer:

Cancer Diagnostics, Inc.

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Item #: SSC1252

Restrictions on Use: Any use other than recommended

In Case of Emergency:

Chemtrec US 1-800-424-9300

Infotrac International 1-352-323-3500

2. Hazards Identification

OSHA Hazard Classification(s):

Skin Corrosion - Category 1B

Eye Damage - Category 1

Signal Word: Danger

Hazard Statement(s): Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Causes serious eye damage.

Pictogram(s):



Precautionary Statement(s): Prevention: Do not breathe dusts or mists. Wash body thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection. Wear eye protection, face protection.

Response: If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Take off all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a doctor. Specific treatment (see first aid section on this label). If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue Rinsing

Storage: Store locked up.

Disposal: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

Descriptions of Hazards not otherwise classified: N/A

Percent of mixture with unknown acute toxicity: N/A

3. Composition and Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	Common Name	CAS #	Concentration %
Oxalic Acid		6153-56-6	5
Water		7732-18-5	95

4. First Aid Measures

Eye Contact: If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

Skin Contact: If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash with plenty of water.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air; give artificial respiration if breathing has stopped. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration of liquid into the lungs. Get medical attention.

Symptoms: Irritation eyes, nose, throat; headache, dizziness

Recommendations for immediate medical care/special treatment: Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

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5. Fire- Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media: Dry chemical, carbon dioxide, alcohol foam, water.

Fire Hazards (Chemical): Not flammable.

Special Protective Equipment: Fire fighters should use self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.

Precautions for Firefighters: Fire fighters should use self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Emergency Procedures: Evacuate the area of all unnecessary personnel. Wear suitable protective equipment. Eliminate all sources of ignition and provide ventilation.

Protective Equipment: See section 8

Environmental Precautions: Prevent release to the environment by using barriers.

Containment and Clean-Up Procedures: Use barriers to prevent spreading. Collect spill in container. Call waste authorities.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling: Do not breathe vapors. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Storage: Store locked up. Store in a well-ventilated, cool area. Keep lid tightly closed when not in use.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

OSHA Permissible Exposure Limits (PELs):

Reagent	CAS #	OSHA PEL TWA
Oxalic Acid	6153-56-6	1 mg/m ³

ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLVs):

Reagent	CAS #	ACGIH PEL TLV	ACGIH STEL
Oxalic Acid	6153-56-6	1 mg/m ³	2 mg/m ³

Engineering Controls: Use in a well ventilated area to prevent exposure. Maintain eyewash fountain and quick-drench facilities in work areas.

Personal Protective Measures: Wear gloves, lab coat, eye protection and impervious footwear. Contact lenses should not be worn when working with this material.

Special PPE Requirements: If ventilation hood not available wear respirator.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties Section

Appearance: Colorless, Liquid

Molecular Weight: N/A

Molecular Formula: N/A

pH: Less than 2

Boiling Point and Boiling Range: N/A

Melting Point/Freezing Point: N/A

Flash Point: N/A

Specific Gravity/Relative Density: N/A

Odor: N/A

Odor Threshold: N/A

Color: Colorless

Flammability (solid/gas): N/A

Vapor Density: N/A

Upper/Lower flammability or explosive limits: N/A

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Vapor Pressure: N/A
Evaporation Rate: N/A
Partition Coefficient: n-octanol/water: N/A
Viscosity: N/A
Auto-ignition temperature: N/A
Solubility: N/A
Decomposition Temperature: N/A

10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity: Not reactive
Chemical Stability: Stable
Conditions of Stability/Instability: Stable under normal conditions of temperature and pressure.
Stabilizers needed: None
Safety issue indicated by appearance change: N/A
Other: N/A
Hazardous Reactions: N/A
Hazardous Polymerization: Does not occur
Conditions to avoid: N/A
Classes of Incompatible Materials: Oxidizers, Strong Acids, Strong Bases
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Thermal-oxidation degradation can produce oxides of carbon. Toxic gases and vapors (I.e. Carbon monoxide) may be released in a fire.

11. Toxicological Information

Likely Routes of Exposure

Eyes: Corrosive to eyes. May cause redness, burns, pain and permanent damage to cornea. May cause blindness.
Skin: Corrosive to skin. May cause dermatitis, pain, redness, chemical burns and permanent skin damage.
Inhalation: Dizziness, headache.
Ingestion: Nausea. May cause burns to mouth, throat, stomach and digestive tract. Poison.

Signs or Symptoms of Exposure: Nausea, redness, irritation.

Effects from short term exposure (delayed, immediate, chronic): Irritation to the eyes, nose, throat; headache, dizziness, nausea.

Acute Toxicity (Numerical Measures): N/A

Carcinogenicity (NTP, IARC, OSHA): Does not contain any known carcinogens.

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: Oxalic Acid: Toxicity to fish: LC50 -Leuciscus icus (Golden orfe)-160mg/l-48h Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: EC50-Daphnia magna (water flea)-137mg/l-48h

Persistence and degradability: N/A

Bioaccumulation Potential (octanol-water partition coefficient, BCF): N/A

Mobility in the soil: N/A

Adverse Environmental Effects: N/A

13. Disposal Considerations

Recommended Disposal Containers: Check with your local waste authorities*

Recommended Disposal Methods: Do not dispose of in drains, check with your local waste authorities.*

Physical/Chemical Properties affecting Disposal: See section 2 and section 9 applicable information.*

Special Precautions for Landfill and Incineration Activities: Check with your local waste authorities.*

Waste Stream: Consult your local or regional authorities.*

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14. Transport Information

UN Number: Not regulated

UN Proper Shipping Name:

Transport Hazard Class(es):

Packing Group Number:

Environmental Hazards (IMDG code):

Marine Pollutant:

Transport in Bulk (IBC Code):

Special Transport Precautions:

15. Regulatory Information

OSHA: N/A

DOT: N/A

EPA: N/A

CPSC: N/A

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16. Other Information

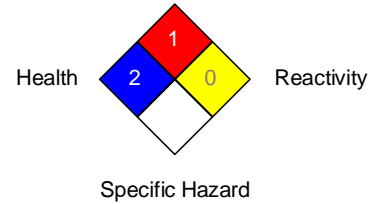
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Health	2
Fire Hazard	1
Reactivity	0
Specific Hazard	

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Fire Hazard



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Physical Hazard	0
Personal Protection	

Hazardous Material Information System HMIS

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