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#### 1. Identification

**Product identifier** 

Product Name PHENYLMERCURIC ACETATE, CP

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) PH151

UN/ID no UN1674

Synonyms None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use No information available

Restrictions on use No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier Address** 

Spectrum Chemical Mfg. Corp. 14422 South San Pedro St. Gardena, CA 90248 (310) 516-8000

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

## Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 2
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Carcinogenicity	Category 2
Reproductive toxicity	Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Category 1

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

## Label elements

Danger

## Hazard statements

Fatal if swallowed

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Suspected of causing cancer

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure



**Appearance** Crystalline powder or Powder

Physical state Solid

Odor No information available

## **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Wear respiratory protection

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Specific treatment is urgent (see .? on this label)

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

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

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

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

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

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

Rinse mouth

Do NOT induce vomiting

## **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up.

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

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Unknown acute toxicity

#### Other information

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Very toxic to aquatic life.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

## Substance

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%
Phenylmercuric Acetate	62-38-4	100

## 4. First-aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

General advice Immediate medical attention is required. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in

attendance. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

**Inhalation** If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.

Remove to fresh air. Do not breathe dust. 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. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen. Delayed pulmonary edema may occur. Get

immediate medical advice/attention.

Eye contact Get immediate medical advice/attention. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under

the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected

area. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Skin contact Get immediate medical advice/attention. Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of

water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.

**Ingestion** Get immediate medical advice/attention. Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water

and drink afterwards plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious

person.

**Self-protection of the first aider** Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Do not breathe dust. 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. Use personal protective equipment as required. See section 8 for more

information. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** Coughing and/ or wheezing. Difficulty in breathing. Burning sensation.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Note to physicians** Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated.

Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Do not give chemical antidotes. Asphyxia from glottal edema may occur. Marked decrease in blood

pressure may occur with moist rales, frothy sputum, and high pulse pressure.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

surrounding environment.

Large Fire CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

Specific hazards arising from the The produ

chemical

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Thermal decomposition

can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact none.

Sensitivity to static discharge none

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout

gear. Use personal protection equipment.

## 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal

protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid generation of dust. Do not breathe dust. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Attention!

Corrosive material.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

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** Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

# 7. Handling and storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with

skin, eyes or clothing. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Do not breathe dust. Avoid generation of dust. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Handle product only in closed system or provide appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove contaminated

clothing and shoes.

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

**Storage Conditions** Store locked up. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Keep out of the reach of children. Protect from moisture. Store away from other materials.

Protect from light.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

**Exposure Limits** The following ingredients are the only ingredients of the product above the cut-off level (or

level that contributes to the hazard classification of the mixture) which have an exposure limit applicable in the region for which this safety data sheet is intended or other

recommended limit. At this time, the other relevant constituents have no known exposure

limits from the sources listed here.

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. Face protection shield.

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

Skin and body protection Impervious clothing. Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Chemical

resistant apron.

Respiratory protection When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use

appropriate certified respirators.

General hygiene considerations Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and

immediately after handling the product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Do not breathe dust. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

None known

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Solid

**Appearance** Crystalline powder or Powder

Color White to yellowish No information available Odor Odor threshold No information available

Remarks • Method **Property** Values

no data available Hq None known 150 °C / 302 °F Melting point / freezing point None known Boiling point / boiling range no data available None known Flash point no data available None known **Evaporation rate** no data available None known None known Flammability (solid, gas) no data available None known

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

No data available Vapor pressure None known no data available Vapor density None known Relative density None known None known

Water solubility Slightly soluble in water Solubility(ies) Soluble in Alcohol

> Soluble in Acetone Soluble in Benzene Soluble in Acetic acid

**Partition coefficient** No data available None known **Autoignition temperature** no data available None known **Decomposition temperature** None known

Kinematic viscosity no data available None known **Dynamic viscosity** No data available None known

Other information

**Explosive properties** No information available **Oxidizing properties** No information available No information available Softening point Molecular weight No information available **VOC Content (%)** No information available **Liquid Density** No information available No information available **Bulk density** 

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity No information available.

Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing. **Conditions to avoid** Excessive heat. Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods.

**Incompatible materials** Acids. Bases. Oxidizing agent.

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

# 11. Toxicological information

## Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Fatal if inhaled. (based on

components). Corrosive by inhalation. Inhalation of corrosive fumes/gases may cause coughing, choking, headache, dizziness, and weakness for several hours. Pulmonary edema may occur with tightness in the chest, shortness of breath, bluish skin, decreased blood pressure, and increased heart rate. Inhaled corrosive substances can lead to a toxic

edema of the lungs. Pulmonary edema can be fatal.

**Eye contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye

damage. (based on components). Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage

including blindness. May cause irreversible damage to eyes.

**Skin contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Fatal in contact with skin.

(based on components). Corrosive. Causes burns.

**Ingestion** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes burns. (based on

components). Ingestion causes burns of the upper digestive and respiratory tracts. May cause severe burning pain in the mouth and stomach with vomiting and diarrhea of dark blood. Blood pressure may decrease. Brownish or yellowish stains may be seen around the mouth. Swelling of the throat may cause shortness of breath and choking. May cause lung

damage if swallowed. Fatal if swallowed.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

**Symptoms** Coughing and/ or wheezing. Difficulty in breathing. Redness. Burning. May cause

blindness.

Acute toxicity

Numerical measures of toxicity

#### Unknown acute toxicity

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Phenylmercuric Acetate 62-38-4	= 22 mg/kg (Rat) = 41 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

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

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes burns.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Classification based on data available for ingredients. Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Causes burns.

Respiratory or skin sensitization Germ cell mutagenicity

No information available. No information available.

Carcinogenicity

Contains a known or suspected carcinogen. Classification based on data available for

ingredients. Suspected of causing cancer.

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Phenylmercuric Acetate	-	Monograph 58 [1993]	-	-

62-38-4	Mercury and Mercury	
	compounds	

Legend

Reproductive toxicity Contains a known or suspected reproductive toxin. Classification based on data available

for ingredients. Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure**Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. **Target organ effects**Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
kidney, respiratory system, Eyes, Skin, central nervous system.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

Other adverse effects No information available.

Interactive effects No information available.

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Persistence and degradability

Bioaccumulation

No information available. Inherently biodegradable.

Other adverse effects No information available.

# 13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with

environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse empty containers.

# 14. Transport information

DOT

UN/ID no UN1674

Proper shipping name Phenylmercuric acetate

Hazard class 6.1 Special Provisions II

Special Provisions IB8, IP2, IP4, T3, TP33

**Description** UN1674, Phenylmercuric acetate, 6.1, II, Marine pollutant

**TDG** 

**UN/ID no.** UN1674

Proper shipping name Phenylmercuric acetate

Hazard class 6.1 Packing Group

**Description** UN1674, Phenylmercuric acetate, 6.1, II

MEX

UN-No UN1674

Proper Shipping Name Phenylmercuric acetate

Hazard class 6.1 Special Provisions 43 Packing Group II

**Description** UN1674, Phenylmercuric acetate, 6.1, II

ICAO (air)

UN/ID no. UN1674 **Hazard class** 6.1 **Packing Group** Ш **Special Provisions** A6

IATA

**UN** number UN1674 **Hazard Class** 6.1 Packing group Ш **Emergency Response Guide** 6L Number

**Special Provisions** Α6

**IMDG** 

**UN** number UN1674 **Hazard Class** 6.1 Packing group Ш **EmS-No** F-A, S-A **Special Provisions** 43 Marine Pollutant Ρ

RID

UN number UN1674

Proper shipping name PHENYLMERCURIC ACETATE

**Hazard Class** 6.1 Packing group Ш Т3 Classification code **Special Provisions** 43

Description UN1674, PHENYLMERCURIC ACETATE, 6.1, II, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS

Labels 6.1

ADR

**UN** number UN1674

Proper shipping name Phenylmercuric acetate

**Hazard Class** 6.1 **Packing group** Ш Classification code T3 **Tunnel restriction code** (D/E) **Special Provisions** 43

Description UN1674, Phenylmercuric acetate, 6.1, II, (D/E), ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS

Labels

ADN

UN/ID No UN1674

Proper shipping name Phenylmercuric acetate

**Hazard Class** 6.1 **Packing Group** Ш Classification code T3 **Special Provisions** 43, 802

**Description** UN1674, Phenylmercuric acetate, 6.1, II, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS

Hazard label(s) 6.1 ventilation VE02

**Equipment Requirements** PP, EP, TOX, A

# 15. Regulatory information

**International Inventories** 

**TSCA** Complies

**DSL/NDSL** Complies **EINECS/ELINCS** Complies **ENCS** This product complies with ENCS: **IECSC** This product complies with China:

KECL Complies PICCS Complies

AICS All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical

Substances (AICS).

## 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

#### **US Federal Regulations**

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or 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 %
Phenylmercuric Acetate - 62-38-4	1.0

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

## **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).

#### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302).

Chemical name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs
Phenylmercuric Acetate	100 lb final RQ	-
62-38-4	45.4 kg final RQ	

#### **US State Regulations**

## **California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:.

Chemical name	California Proposition 65
Phenylmercuric Acetate - 62-38-4	developmental toxicity

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

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Phenylmercuric Acetate 62-38-4	1502	Present	Environmental hazard

#### U.S. EPA Label Information

## EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

# 16. Other information

NFPA

Health hazards 4 Flammability 0 Instability 0

Physical and chemical properties -

**HMIS** 

Health hazards 4 \*
Flammability 0
Physical hazards 0
Personal protection X

Chronic Hazard Star Legend \*= Chronic Health Hazard

# Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value

#### Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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