

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Phenolphthalein  
0.1% w/v in Acetone
- **Article number:** EQS240
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
Aqua Solutions, Inc.  
6913 Highway 225  
DEER PARK, TX 77536  
USA  
800-256-2586
- **Information department:**  
Technical Coordinator  
Sherman Nelson [shermann@aquasolutions.org](mailto:shermann@aquasolutions.org)
- **Emergency telephone number:**  
Chemtrec: 800-424-9300  
Canutec: 613-996-6666



## 2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS02 Flame

Flammable Liquids 2

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.



GHS08 Health hazard

Carcinogenicity 2

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

Toxic to Reproduction 2

H361 Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.



GHS07

Eye Irritation 2A

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure 3 H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

- **Label elements**

- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02



GHS07



GHS08

- **Signal word** Danger

- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

Acetone

Phenolphthalein

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- **Hazard statements**

*Highly flammable liquid and vapor.*  
*Causes serious eye irritation.*  
*Suspected of causing cancer.*  
*Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.*  
*May cause drowsiness or dizziness.*

- **Precautionary statements**

*Obtain special instructions before use.*  
*Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.*  
*Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.*  
*Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.*  
*Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.*  
*Use only non-sparking tools.*  
*Take precautionary measures against static discharge.*  
*Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray*  
*Wash thoroughly after handling.*  
*Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.*  
*Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.*  
*If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.*  
*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.*  
*IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.*  
*Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.*  
*If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.*  
*In case of fire: Use CO2, powder or water spray 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/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.*

- **Classification system:**

- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **Other hazards**

- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

- **PBT:** Not applicable.

- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

## 3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**

- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

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**· Dangerous components:**

CAS: 67-64-1	Acetone	99.873%
CAS: 77-09-8	Phenolphthalein	0.127%

## 4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Immediately rinse with water.
- **After eye contact:**  
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **Information for doctor:**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
No further relevant information available.

## 5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
CO<sub>2</sub>, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Water with full jet
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

## 6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**  
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).  
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

**· PAC-1:**

CAS: 67-64-1	Acetone	200 ppm
CAS: 77-09-8	Phenolphthalein	4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**· PAC-2:**

CAS: 67-64-1	Acetone	3200* ppm
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CAS: 77-09-8	Phenolphthalein	44 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
<b>· PAC-3:</b>		
CAS: 67-64-1	Acetone	5700* ppm
CAS: 77-09-8	Phenolphthalein	260 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

## 7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling**  
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.  
Open and handle receptacle with care.  
Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:**  
Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.  
Protect against electrostatic charges.  
Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store in a cool location.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**  
Keep receptacle tightly sealed.  
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

## 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**  
The following constituent is the only constituent of the product which has a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit.  
At this time, the remaining constituent has no known exposure limits.

<b>CAS: 67-64-1 Acetone</b>	
PEL	Long-term value: 2400 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 1000 ppm
REL	Long-term value: 590 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 250 ppm
TLV	Short-term value: 500 ppm Long-term value: 250 ppm
A4, BEI	

- **Ingredients with biological limit values:**

<b>CAS: 67-64-1 Acetone</b>	
BEI	25 mg/L LD50 Intraperitoneal: urine Time: end of shift LD50: Acetone (nonspecific)

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

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- **Exposure controls**

- **Personal protective equipment:**

- **General protective and hygienic measures:**

*Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.*

*Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.*

*Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.*

*Store protective clothing separately.*

*Avoid contact with the eyes.*

*Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.*

- **Breathing equipment:**

*In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.*

- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

*The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.*

*Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.*

*Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation*

- **Material of gloves**

*The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.*

- **Penetration time of glove material**

*The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.*

- **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

## 9 Physical and chemical properties

- **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **General Information**

- **Appearance:**

**Form:** Liquid

**Color:** Clear

- **Odor:** Odorless

- **Odor threshold:** Not determined.

- **pH-value:** Not determined.

- **Change in condition**

**Melting point/Melting range:** -94.7 °C (-138.5 °F)

**Boiling point/Boiling range:** 55 °C (131 °F)

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· <b>Flash point:</b>	-17 °C (1.4 °F)
· <b>Flammability (solid, gaseous):</b>	Highly flammable.
· <b>Ignition temperature:</b>	465 °C (869 °F)
· <b>Decomposition temperature:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Auto igniting:</b>	Product is not selfigniting.
· <b>Danger of explosion:</b>	Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapor mixtures are possible.
· <b>Explosion limits:</b>	
<b>Lower:</b>	2.6 Vol %
<b>Upper:</b>	13 Vol %
· <b>Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):</b>	233 hPa (174.8 mm Hg)
· <b>Density at 20 °C (68 °F):</b>	0.79011 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (6.59347 lbs/gal)
· <b>Relative density</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Vapor density</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:</b>	Not miscible or difficult to mix.
· <b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Viscosity:</b>	
<b>Dynamic:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Kinematic:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Solvent content:</b>	
<b>Organic solvents:</b>	99.9 %
<b>VOC content:</b>	0.00 %
	0.0 g/l / 0.00 lb/gal
<b>Solids content:</b>	0.1 %
· <b>Other information</b>	No further relevant information available.

## 10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

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## 11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**

- **Acute toxicity:**

- **Primary irritant effect:**

- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.

- **on the eye:** Irritating effect.

- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

- **Additional toxicological information:**

The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:  
Irritant

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

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- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

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- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

## 12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**

- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

- **Persistence and degradability:** No further relevant information available.

- **Behavior in environmental systems:**

- **Bioaccumulative potential:** No further relevant information available.

- **Mobility in soil:** No further relevant information available.

- **Additional ecological information:**

- **General notes:**

Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): hazardous for water

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.

- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

- **PBT:** Not applicable.

- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

- **Other adverse effects:** No further relevant information available.

## 13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**

- **Recommendation:**

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

- **Uncleaned packagings:**

- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

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## 14 Transport information

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· UN-Number</li> <li>· DOT, IMDG, IATA</li> </ul>	UN1993
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· UN proper shipping name</li> <li>· DOT</li> <li>· IMDG, IATA</li> </ul>	Flammable liquids, n.o.s. (Acetone) FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Acetone)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Transport hazard class(es)</li> <li>· DOT</li> </ul>	<div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Class</li> <li>· Label</li> </ul>	3 Flammable liquids 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· IMDG, IATA</li> </ul>	<div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Packing group</li> <li>· DOT, IMDG, IATA</li> </ul>	II
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Environmental hazards:</li> </ul>	Not applicable.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Special precautions for user</li> <li>· Hazard identification number (Kemler code):</li> <li>· EMS Number:</li> <li>· Stowage Category</li> </ul>	Warning: Flammable liquids 33 F-E,S-E B
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</li> </ul>	Not applicable.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Transport/Additional information:</li> <li>· DOT</li> <li>· Quantity limitations</li> </ul>	On passenger aircraft/rail: 5 L On cargo aircraft only: 60 L
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· IMDG</li> <li>· Limited quantities (LQ)</li> <li>· Excepted quantities (EQ)</li> </ul>	1L Code: E2 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· UN "Model Regulation":</li> </ul>	UN 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (ACETONE), 3, II

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## 15 Regulatory information

· **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**  
No further relevant information available.

· **Sara**

· **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

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· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

Acetone

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· **Hazardous Air Pollutants**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Proposition 65**

· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

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· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

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· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value)**

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· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02

GHS07

GHS08

· **Signal word** Danger

· **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

Acetone

Phenolphthalein

· **Hazard statements**

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*Suspected of causing cancer.*

*Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.*

*May cause drowsiness or dizziness.*

**• Precautionary statements**

*Obtain special instructions before use.*

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

*Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.*

*Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.*

*Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.*

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*Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray*

*Wash thoroughly after handling.*

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**• Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

## 16 Other information

*This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.*

**• Department issuing SDS:** Environment protection department.

**• Contact:**

**• Date of preparation / last revision**

*Revision 1.0 03/31/2023 Reviewed SDS for accuracy. STN*

*Revision 0.0 06-02-2016: Creation date for SDS. STN*

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**• Abbreviations and acronyms:**

*IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods*

*DOT: US Department of Transportation*

*IATA: International Air Transport Association*

*EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances*

*ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances*

*CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)*

*NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)*

*HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)*

*VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)*

*PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic*

*vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative*

*NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety*

*OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health*

*TLV: Threshold Limit Value*

*PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit*

*REL: Recommended Exposure Limit*

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*BEI: Biological Exposure Limit**Flammable Liquids 2: Flammable liquids – Category 2**Eye Irritation 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2A**Carcinogenicity 2: Carcinogenicity – Category 2**Toxic to Reproduction 2: Reproductive toxicity – Category 2**Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3***\* Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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