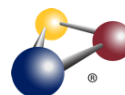


# Safety Data Sheet

## H&R ACID



**SYMBIO**AUSTRALIA  
TOTAL HYGIENE SOLUTIONS

### 1. Identification

Trade name of product : H&R ACID  
Other Shipping Name : Corrosive Liquid, N.O.S. (contains Phosphoric Acid)  
Supplier Address : Symbio Australia Pty Ltd  
71 Stradbroke Street Heathwood  
Qld 4110 Australia  
Supplier Contact Details : Phone: 1300 4 SYMBIO, email: sds@symbio.com.au  
Emergency telephone number : Poisons Information 131126  
Material uses : Acid Based Rust Remover & De-scaler  
Product dilution information : Use dilution = 1:5 with water  
Date of issue : 1 October 2016



### 2. Hazards identification

#### Product AS SOLD

Classified as **DANGEROUS GOODS** by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail.

This material is **HAZARDOUS** according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia.

#### Hazard Category

SKIN CORROSION – Category 1B  
SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE – Category 1  
CORROSIVE TO METALS - Category 1



**Signal Word:** DANGER

#### Hazard Statements:

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
Causes serious eye damage.  
May be corrosive to metals.

#### Precautionary Statements:

##### Prevention:

Do not breathe mists.  
Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
Wear eye/face protection.  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
Keep only in original container.

##### Response:

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.  
IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  
IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.  
Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor. Specific treatment (see section 4 of the SDS)

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**IF IN EYES:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.

**Storage:**

Store locked up, in a corrosion resistant container.

**Disposal:**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

**General Phrases:** Keep out of reach of children.

**Product AT USE DILUTION**

NOT classified as **DANGEROUS GOODS** by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail.

This material is **HAZARDOUS** according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia.

**Hazard Category**

SERIOUS EYE IRRITATION - Category 2A

SKIN IRRITATION - Category 2

**Signal Word:** WARNING



**Hazard Statements:**

Causes serious eye irritation

Causes skin irritation

**Precautionary Statements:**

**Prevention:**

Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves.

Wear eye / face protection.

**Response:**

**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.

**IF ON SKIN:** Wash with plenty of soap and water. Specific treatment (see section 4 of this SDS). If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**Storage:**

Store in accordance with local regulatory requirements.

**Disposal:**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

**General Phrases:** Keep out of reach of children.

### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Product AS SOLD

Ingredient name	CAS number	Proportion %	TWA mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL mg / m <sup>3</sup>
Phosphoric Acid	7664-38-2	30 – 60	1	3
Alcohols, C12-15, ethoxylated propoxylated	68551-13-3	<10	Not Listed	Not listed

Ingredients, determined not to be hazardous according to Safe Work Australia criteria, and not dangerous according to the ADG Code, make up the product concentration to 100%.

#### Product AT USE DILUTION

Ingredient name	CAS number	Proportion %	TWA mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL mg / m <sup>3</sup>
Phosphoric acid	7664-38-2	10-30	1	3

Ingredients, determined not to be hazardous according to Safe Work Australia criteria, and not dangerous according to the ADG Code, make up the product concentration at 100%.

### 4. First-aid measures

#### Product AS SOLD and AT USE DILUTION

- Eye contact** : Rinse with plenty of running water. Seek medical advice if symptoms occur.
- Skin contact** : Remove contaminated clothing (wash before re-use). Then rinse with plenty of running water. Seek medical advice if symptoms occur.
- Inhalation** : Remove to fresh air. Seek medical advice if symptoms occur.
- Ingestion** : Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Give water to drink. Seek medical advice if symptoms occur.
- Notes to physician** : Treat symptomatically. Concentrated solution can cause corneal burns.

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

- Extinguishing media** : Not combustible, however, if material is involved in a fire use: Fine water spray, normal foam, dry agent (carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder)
- Specific Hazards arising from the chemical** : No specific hazard.
- Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters** : Decomposes on heating emitting toxic fumes, including those of oxides of phosphorus. Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus in the event of a fire.
- Hazchem Code** : 2X

#### Product AT USE DILUTION

Use an extinguisher agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

No specific hazard.

Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus in the event of a fire.

No Hazchem Code applicable

### 6. Accidental release measures

- Personal precautions** : No special precautions necessary for small spills. For large spills the following PPE is recommended to reduce risk: Safety glasses, Chemical resistant shoes & gloves, Long sleeves / trousers. Remove non-essential personnel from

#### Product AT USE DILUTION

No special precautions necessary for small spills. For large spills the following PPE is recommended to reduce risk: Safety glasses, Chemical resistant shoes & gloves, Long sleeves / trousers. Remove non-essential personnel from the area. Ensure

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<b>Environmental precautions</b>	the area. Ensure that any alkalis or other products of incompatible classes near the spill are removed.	that any alkalis or other products of incompatible classes near the spill are removed.
	: Contain large spills/releases using appropriate bunding or capping. Prevent entry into drainage systems, sewers and waterways.	Contain large spills/releases using appropriate bunding or capping. Prevent entry into drainage systems, sewers and waterways.
<b>Methods for cleaning up</b>	: Spills may be slippery. Small spills use mop and bucket, for larger spills contain with absorbent material, collect and dispose.	Spills may be slippery. Small spills use mop and bucket, for larger spills contain with absorbent material, collect and dispose.

Note: see section 8 for personal protective equipment and section 13 for waste disposal.

## 7. Handling and storage

<b>Product AS SOLD and AT USE DILUTION</b>		
<b>Handling</b>	:	Use clean dispensing equipment. Use appropriate PPE. Always add product to water when diluting.
<b>Storage</b>	:	Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated place. Store away from foodstuffs. Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10. Keep containers closed when not in use - check regularly for leaks. Ensure good housekeeping in storage area.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

<b>Product AS SOLD</b>		<b>Product AT USE DILUTION</b>
<b>Occupational exposure limits</b>	:	No information available on the product itself. Values for specific hazardous ingredients are shown in section 3.
<b>Engineering measures</b>	:	Use sensible work practices that reduce operator exposure to the product. Ensure that adequate ventilation is provided, and air is moving constantly in the area of use while drum is open. Keep containers closed when not in use.
<b>Personal Protection</b>		
<b>Eyes</b>	:	Safety Glasses
<b>Hands</b>	:	Chemical resistant gloves
<b>Respiratory</b>	:	No PPE required under normal use.
<b>Skin</b>	:	Long sleeves/trousers

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

<b>Product AS SOLD</b>		<b>Product AT USE DILUTION</b>
<b>Physical state</b>	:	Clear Liquid
<b>Colour</b>	:	Light Red
<b>Odour</b>	:	Bland
<b>pH</b>	:	Acidic
<b>Flash point (°C)</b>	:	NA
<b>Boiling point (°C)</b>	:	100 (approx.)
<b>Specific Gravity (g/ml @ 25°C)</b>	:	1.00 (approx.)

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Solubility in water

: Absolute

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## 10. Stability and reactivity

### Product AS SOLD and AT USE DILUTION

Reactivity	: Do not mix with sulphites, alkaline or chlorinated products.
Stability	: Stable under normal storage conditions
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	: May release toxic chlorine gas in contact with chlorinated products.
Conditions to avoid	: None listed
Incompatible Materials	: Non ferrous metals and their alloys, sulphites, alkaline and chlorinated products.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Potential acute health effects

No acute health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with instructions provided by the manufacturer. Symptoms that may result if the product is mishandled or if overexposure occurs include:

	Product AS SOLD	Product AT USE DILUTION
Ingestion	: Corrosive. Will cause severe irritation and chemical burns to the mouth and digestive tract.	Minor irritation and discomfort only.
Skin	: May cause chemical burns. Will cause irritation to the skin. Prolonged contact may cause chemical scarring..	Will cause irritation to the skin. Prolonged contact may lead to irritation or other skin conditions.
Eye	: Will cause severe irritation and possible permanent damage.	May cause irritation, reddening of eyes.
Inhalation:	: Inhalation of fine mists may cause irritation and chemical burns to the respiratory tract and nasal passages	Inhalation of fine mists may cause irritation to the respiratory tract and nasal passages

## 12. Ecological information

### Product AS SOLD and AT USE DILUTION

#### Ecotoxicity data

Persistence/degradability	: Non biodegradable surfactants used
Mobility in Soil	: No known significant effects
Other adverse effects	: May be harmful to aquatic species.

## 13. Disposal considerations

	Product AS SOLD	Product AT USE DILUTION
Methods of disposal	: Containers should be emptied as completely as practical before disposal. If possible, recycle containers either in-house or send to recycle company. If this is not practical, send to a commercial waste disposal site.	Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local regulations.

### 14. Transport information

#### Product AS SOLD

Regulation	UN Number	Proper shipping name	Class	Packing group	Additional information
ADG	1760	Corrosive Liquid, N.O.S. (contains Phosphoric Acid)	8	II	Hazchem 2X

#### Product AT USE DILUTION

NOT Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail.

### 15. Regulatory information

#### Product AS SOLD

Classified as **DANGEROUS GOODS** by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail.

This material is **HAZARDOUS** according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia.

This material is a **SCHEDULE 6 POISON** according to the SUSMP.

All ingredients are listed on AICS.

#### Hazard Category

SKIN CORROSION – Category 1B

EYE DAMAGE – Category 1

CORROSIVE TO METALS - Category 1

**Signal Word:** DANGER

#### Hazard Statements:

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Causes serious eye damage.

May be corrosive to metals

#### Precautionary Statements:

##### Prevention:

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Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Wear eye/face protection.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Keep only in original container.

##### Response:

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor. Specific treatment (see section 4 of the SDS)

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.

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**Storage:**

Store locked up, in a corrosion resistant container.

**Disposal:**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

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

**General Phrases:** Keep out of reach of children.

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This material is **HAZARDOUS** according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia.

**Hazard Category**

EYE IRRITATION - Category 2A

SKIN IRRITATION - Category 2

**Signal Word:** WARNING

**Hazard Statements:**

Causes serious eye irritation

Causes skin irritation

**Precautionary Statements:****Prevention:**

Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves.

Wear eye protection/ face protection.

**Response:**

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.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Specific treatment (see section 4 of this SDS). If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**Storage:**

Store in accordance with local regulatory requirements.

**Disposal:**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

**General Phrases:** : Keep out of reach of children.

This material is **NOT a SCHEDULE POISON** according to the SUSMP.

## 16. Other information

**Literature References** : Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals Code of Practice. Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons.  
 Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail.  
 Workplace exposure standards, Safe Work Australia.  
 Hazardous Substances/Chemicals Information System, Safe Work Australia.  
 Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of chemicals.  
 Raw material suppliers' SDS

### Symbio Traffic Light System

Traffic Light	Classified as <b>Dangerous Goods</b> according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (7th edition) (ADG7)	Classified as <b>Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and labelling of Chemicals (GHS)</b> as adopted by Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia.	Notes
RED	✓	✓	<b>PLUS</b> products that are NOT Classified as Dangerous Goods according to ADG7, but classified as Corrosive to eyes and skin and/or Aspiration Hazard Category 1 and/or Toxic to humans according to the GHS as adopted by Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia
AMBER	✗	✓	<b>EXCLUDING</b> products that are classified as Corrosive to eyes and skin and/or Aspiration Hazard Category 1 and/or Toxic to humans according to the GHS as adopted by Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia
GREEN	✗	✗	

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