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**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name: ACETIC ACID  
CAS number: 64-19-7  
EINECS number: 200-580-7  
Brand: Solmedia Ltd  
Product Code: REA207  
Synonyms: GLACIAL ACETIC ACID

**1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

Identified uses – PC21: Laboratory chemicals.

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

- Name of Supplier: Solmedia Ltd.  
- Address of Supplier: Unit 2, Vernon Drive  
Battlefield Enterprise Park  
Shrewsbury  
SY1 3TF  
UK  
- Telephone: 0844 80 80 900  
- Email: labsupplies@solmedialtd.com

**1.4 Emergency telephone number**

Emergency Phone # +44 (0)844 80 80 900

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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

**Classification under CLP:** Flam. Liq. 3: H226; Met. Corr. 1: H290; Skin Corr. 1A: H314; Eye Dam. 1: H318.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

**Classification under CHIP:** -: R10; C: R35

**Most important adverse effects:** Flammable liquid and vapour. May be corrosive to metals.  
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

**2.2 Label elements**

**Hazard statements:** H226: Flammable liquid and vapour.  
H290: May be corrosive to metals.  
H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
**Signal words:** Danger  
**Hazard pictograms:** GHS02: Flame

GHS05: Corrosion



**Precautionary statements:** P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. – No smoking  
P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P303+361+353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.  
P304+340: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.  
P310: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.  
P305+351+338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P370+378: In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction.

## 2.3 Other hazards

**Other hazards:** This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

**PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

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## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Chemical identity:	ACETIC ACID
CAS number:	64-19-7
EINECS number:	200-580-7
Contains:	Molecular Formula : C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub> O <sub>2</sub>
	Molecular Weight : 60.05 g/mol

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## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

**Skin contact:** Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to

skin. Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water. Consult a doctor.

**Eye contact:** Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Consult a doctor.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Wash out mouth with water. Consult a doctor.

**Inhalation:** Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of vapours. If unconscious, check for breathing and apply artificial respiration if necessary. Consult a doctor.

#### **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Skin contact:** Direct contact or exposure to high concentrations could cause erythema, blisters, tissue destruction with slow healing, skin blackening, hyperkeratosis, fissures, corneal erosion, opacification, iritis, conjunctivitis, and possible blindness

**Eye contact:** May cause permanent blindness

**Ingestion:** There may be shortness of breath due to congestion of the lungs. There may be vomiting. Headaches or general malaise may result.

**Inhalation:** There may be a feeling of tightness in the chest with shortness of breath. There may be vomiting.

**Delayed / immediate effects:** No data available

#### **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No data available

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### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### **5.1 Extinguishing media**

Dry chemical powder. Dry sand. Do NOT use water jet.

#### **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Not applicable

#### **5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus

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### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

#### **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Evacuate the area immediately. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can

accumulate in low areas. Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details.

## 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into drains or rivers

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).

## 6.4 Reference to other sections

Refer to section 13 of SDS

# SECTION 7: Handling and storage

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

**Handling requirements:** Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build-up of electrostatic charge. For precautions see section 2.2.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage conditions:** Keep container tightly closed. Store in cool, well ventilated area. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

**Suitable packaging:** Not applicable.

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

No special requirement

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

## 8.1 Control parameters

Workplace exposure limits:

State	8 hour TWA	15 min STEL	8 hour TWA	15 min STEL
EU	25 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	25 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	-

DNEL / PNEC No data available.

## 8.2 Exposure controls

**Engineering measures:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

**Respiratory protection:** Self-contained breathing apparatus must be available in case of emergency.

**Hand protection:** Full contact

Material: Butyl- rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.3 mm

Break through time: 480 min Splash contact

Material: Nature latex/chloroprene

Minimum layer thickness: 0.6 mm

Break through time: 32 min

**Eye protection:** Tightly fitting safety goggles. Face-shield.

**Skin protection:** Complete suit protecting against chemicals. Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

**Environmental:** Prevent from entering in public sewers or the immediate environment. Do not let product enter drains.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**State:** Liquid

**Colour:** Colourless

**Odour:** Pungent

**Boiling point/range°C:** 117-118

**Melting point/range°C:** 16.2

**Flammability limits %: lower:** 4

**upper:** 19.9

**Flash point°C:** 40

**Part.coeff. n-octanol/water: log Pow:** -0.17

**Autoflammability°C:** 485

**Vapour pressure:** 15.2 hPa at 20.0 °C

**Relative density:** 1.049 g/cm<sup>3</sup> at 25 °C

**pH:** 2.4 at 60.05 g/l

### 9.2 Other safety information

Not applicable

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat. Flames. Sources of ignition.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Oxidising agents. Soluble carbonates and phosphates Hydroxides, Metals, Peroxides, permanganates, e.g. potassium permanganate, Amines, Alcohols, Nitric acid

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Relevant hazards for substance:

Hazard	Route	Basis
Skin corrosion/irritation	DRM	Based on test data
Serious eye damage/irritation	OPT	Based on test data

Symptoms / routes of exposure

**Skin contact:** Direct contact or exposure to high concentrations could cause erythema, blisters, tissue destruction with slow healing, skin blackening, hyperkeratosis, fissures, corneal erosion, opacification, iritis, conjunctivitis, and possible blindness.

**Eye contact:** May cause permanent blindness.

**Ingestion:** There may be shortness of breath due to congestion of the lungs. There may be vomiting. Headaches or general malaise may result.

**Inhalation:** There may be a feeling of tightness in the chest with shortness of breath. There may be vomiting.

**Delayed / immediate effects:** No data available.

**Other information:** Not applicable

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

Ecotoxicity values:

Species	Test	Value	Units
FISH	96H LC50	> 1,000	mg/l
DAPHNIA	48H EC50	> 300.82	mg/i

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Readily biodegradable.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

**Disposal operations:** Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal Company. Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the Directive on waste 2008/98/EC as well as other national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste.  
Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

**Recovery operations:** Not applicable.

**Disposal of packaging:** Dispose of as unused product.

**NB:** The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

**14.1. UN number**

UN number: UN2789

**14.2. UN proper shipping name****Shipping name:** ADR/RID: ACETIC ACID, GLACIAL

IMDG: ACETIC ACID, GLACIAL

IATA: Acetic acid, glacial

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)****Transport class:** 8 (3)**14.4. Packing group****Packing group:** 2**14.5. Environmental hazards****Environmentally hazardous:** No**Marine pollutant:** No**14.6. Special precautions for user****Special precautions:** No special precautions.

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**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

**15.2 Chemical safety assessment**

A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture by the supplier

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**SECTION 16: Other information****Other information:** This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No 453/2010.

\* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

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H290: May be corrosive to metals.

H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

R10: Flammable.

R35: Causes severe burns.

#### Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Solmedia Ltd shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.