# SAFETY DATA SHEET

#### Section 1: Product and Manufacturer Indentification

Distributed by: <u>Product Name:</u>

1st Ayd Corporation Drain Force Professional - Sulfuric Acid Drain Opener 1325 Gateway Drive

Emergency Response Number: Revision Date: 02/14/14

## Section 2: Composition/Information on Ingredients

Name of Hazardous Ingredient(s)	CAS#	%	Exposure Limits	
Sulfuric Acid; Oil of vitriol	7664-93-9	> 50	OSHA PEL (U.S.) TWA: 1 mg/m3 - 8 Hrs (Mist) ACGIH TLV (U.S.) TWA: 0.2 mg/m3 - 8 Hrs	

## Section 3: Hazards Indentification

#### Potential Acute Health Effects

Eyes Corrosive to the eyes. Short term eye exposure may cause severe and permanent injury, or blindness.

**Skin** Corrosive to the skin. Skin contact may cause skin inflammation, blistering, chemical burns.

Ingestion Very hazardous if ingested. May be fatal if swallowed. May cause burns to mouth, throat and stomach.

**Inhalation** Breathing vapors of mist from product may produce severe irritation of the respiratory tract, characterized by

coughing, choking or shortness of breath. Overexposure to mists or vapors may produce lung damage,

unconscienciousness or death.

### Potential Carcinogenic Effects

Inhalation of spray mists can cause cancer. Classified 1 (Proven for Humans) by IARC - Sulfuric Acid Mists.

## Potential Chronic Health Effects

Substance may be toxic to upper respiratory tract, skin, eyes and teeth. Repeated or prolonged exposure can produce chronic eye irritation, skin irritation or respiratory irritation (leading to frequent bronchial infections). Repeated exposure may cause a general deterioration of health by an accumulation in one or more human organs.

## Section 4: First Aid Measures

Eye Contact Immediately flush eyes with cool running water for a minimum of 20 minutes. Check for and remove contact lenses.

Hold eyelids away from eye while continuing to flush with water. Get medical help immediately.

Skin Contact Immediately flush skin with running water for a minimum of 20 minutes. Start flushing while removing contaminated

clothing and shoes. If irritation or burning persists then continue to flush with water and get medical help. Do not apply

any ointments to affected skin unless directed by a physician.

Discard heavily contaminated clothing and shoes. Otherwise launder clothes in a separate wash before reuse.

Inhalation Move victim to fresh air. Give artificial respiration ONLY if breathing has stopped. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen and

get medical help immediately.

Ingestion DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. If victim is alert and not convulsing, rinse mouth with water and give 1/2 to 1 glass of

water to dilute material. If spontaneous vomiting occurs, have victim lean forward with head down to avoid breathing in of

vomitous. IMMEDIATELY contact physician or poison control center.

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#### Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

Flammability of Product Product is not flammable

Fire Hazards If product is released it can react with metals which may liberate hydrogen gas. Hydrogen gas can form

an explosive/flammable mixture if concetrated with air.

Product reacts violently with water with the evolution of heat.

**Hazardous Decompostion** 

Products

Thermal decompostion products include sulfur oxides, nitrogen oxides.

Fire Fighting Procedures Wear protective clothing and gear with self-contained breathing apparatus. Cool containers of product

with water spray. Do not release runoff from fire to sewers or waterways.

# Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Ventilate area. Wear appropriate respirator when

ventilation is inadequate, and put on appropriate protective equipment before handling material,

(see section 8 for appropriate respirator and PPE).

Spill Clean Up Absorb spill with an inert material and place into plastic waste container. Wash floors and other

contaminated surfaces with a neutralizing solution (soda ash or lime). Rinse surfaces with fresh water. Ensure adequate decontamination of equipment following clean-up. Dispose of spill material

and clean-up solutions according all federal, state and local regulations.

## Section 7: Handling and Storage

Handling Do not ingest. Do not get into eyes or on skin or clothing. Do not breath furnes or vapor spray. Use only with

adequate ventilation. Do not use or mix with other chemicals. Do not reuse the empty product container. Wash

thoroughly after handling this product. Observe all of the label precautions.

Storage Keep containers tightly closed. Keep containers or cases of product in well-ventilated warehouse at storage

temperatures between 40 degrees and 100 degrees fahrenheit. Keep all food and drink away. Keep out of the

reach of children.

#### Section 8: Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

Hygiene Measures Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the work location. Wash hands,

forearms and face thoroughly after handling this product, and before eating, smoking or using the

lavatory.

**Respiratory** Provide exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations of the vapor below the threshold limit

value. If ventilation is inadequate, then operator should wear a NIOSH/MSHA approved air-purifying respirator equipped with an acid gas/fume mist cartridge for vapor concentrations up to 10 mg/m3.

Eyes Chemical splash goggles or face shield is recommended when handling this product. Eye protection

is advised even when handling a closed (capped) container.

**Skin** Chemical resistant gloves, apron and sleeves are recommended when handling this product. Gloves,

aprons, etc. are recommended even while handling closed containers.

## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

 Physical State
 Liquid (Oily Liquid)
 Color
 Brown

 Odor
 Odorless
 Molecular Weight
 98 g/mol

## Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability Product is stable

Incompatibility Product is reactive or incompatible with reducing agents/chemicals, organics, metals and alkalis.

Product reacts vigorously with water. Never pour water into the concentrated acid.

Hazardous Polymerization Will not occur under normal conditions of storage and use.

Hazardous Decompostion Sulfur oxide vapors (SO2, SO3) may be released when sulfuric acid decomposes.

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## Section 11: Toxicological Information

#### **Acute Toxicity**

	Product/Ingredient	Result	Species	Dose
Γ	Sulfuric acid	LD50 Oral	Rat	2140 mg/kg

### Section 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity Information not available

Biodegradable/OECD Information not available

## Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized whenever possible. Dispose of non-

recyclable waste material via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Disposal of this product or any resulting waste stream should comply with all federal, state and local environmental control

regulations.

## Section 14: Transport Information

Regulatory Information	UN Number	Proper Shipping Name	Classes	PG	Additional Information
DOT Classification	UN1830	Sulfuric Acid	8	II	Reportable Quantity 1000 lbs (454 Kg)
					<u>Limited Quantity</u> Yes
					Packaging Instructions Passenger Aircraft Quantity Limitation: Forbidden
					Cargo Aircraft Quantity Limitation: 30 L

## Section 15: Regulatory Information

#### U.S. Federal Regulations

U.S. Inventory (TSCA): All components are listed or exempted SARA 302/304/311/312 Extremely Hazardous Substances: Sulfuric Acid SARA 302/304 Emergency Planning and Notification: Sulfuric Acid

SARA 313 Form R Reporting Requirements: Sulfuric Acid

Clean Water Act (CWA) 311: Sulfuric Acid RQ - 1000 Lbs

Clean Air Act (CAA) 112 Regulated Toxic Substances: No products were found

#### State Regulations

California Prop. 65: This product contains the following ingredients for which the State of California has

found to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm, which would require a warning under the statute: Strong inorganic mists containing sulfuric acid.

## Section 16: Other Information

HMIS and NFPA Hazard Ratings (Scale: 0 to 4) Be Safe.

**Health:** 4 Wear personal protective equipment when using this product.

Flammability 0 Reactivity 2

Personal Protection XCD

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