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EXIDE CORP/YUASA EXIDE INC. -- BATTERY ELECTROLYTE -- 6140-01-446-9498

Product ID:BATTERY ELECTROLYTE

MSDS Date:04/01/1996

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MSDS Number: CFYVH === Responsible Party ===

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======= Composition/Information on Ingredients ========

Ingred Name: SULFURIC ACID (SARA 302/313) (CER

CLA)

CAS:7664-93-9

RTECS #:WS5600000 Fraction by Wt: 30 - 40%

Other REC Limits: NONE RECOMMENDED

OSHA PEL:1 MG/M3

ACGIH TLV:1 MG/M3/3 STEL; 9596

EPA Rpt Qty:1000 LBS DOT Rpt Qty:1000 LBS

Ingred Name:WATER

CAS:7732-18-5

RTECS #:ZC0110000 Fraction by Wt: 60 - 70%

Other REC Limits: NONE RECOMMENDED

OSHA PEL:NOT RELEVANT ACGIH TLV:NOT RELEVANT

LD50 LC50 Mixture:RAT,LC50:510MG/M3/2H;LD50:2140MG/KGRTECS

Routes of Entry: Inhalation:N O Skin:NO Ingestion:YES

Reports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO

Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:TARGET ORGANS:EYE, SKIN, RESPIRATORY & GI TRACTS. ACUTE- CORROSIVE! CAUSES SEVERE EYES, SKIN & ALL BODY TISSUE BURNS. EYE DAMAGE MAY BE PERMANENT. MAY CAUSE SKIN ULCERATION. MIST IS IRRITATING TO RESP IRATORY TRACT. INGESTION CAUSES SEVERE BURNS. CHRONIC- MAY CAUSE DENTAL EROSION, IMPAIRED LUNG FUNCTION.

Explanation of Carcinogenicity: THIS COMPOUND CONTAINS NO INGRED IENTS AT

CONCENTRATIONS OF 0.1% OR GREATER THAT ARE CARCINOGENS OR SUSPECT CARCINOGENS.

Effects of Overexposure:SEVERE IRRITATION AND BURNING, VISUAL IMPAIRMENT, DENTAL EROSION, COUGH, SEVERE PAIN, BLINDNESS, WHEEZING, ABNORMAL LUNG SOUNDS, SKIN ULCER, ITCHING AND RASH, BLEEDING, VOMITING, DIARRHEA

Medical Cond Aggravated by Exposure: OPEN WOUNDS AND SORES, RESPIRATORY AILMENTS SUCH AS EMPHYSEMIA AND BRONCHITIS.

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First Aid:GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY. EYE/SKIN: IMMEDIATELY FLUSH WITH WATER FOR 15-20 MINUTES. HOLD EYELIDS OPEN. CONTINUE RINSING EYES WITH NORMAL SALINE UNTIL PH=7. INHALED:REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. PROVID E OXYGEN/CPR IF NEEDED. ORAL:DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. IF CONSCIOUS, DRINK LARGE AMOUNT OF WATER/MILK. INGESTED ACID MUST BE DILUTED ABOUT 100 FOLDS. IF VOMITING OCCURS, KEEP HEAD BELOW HIPS.

============ Fire Fighting Measures =========================

Flash Point:NONE

Lower Limits:NOT RELEVANT Upper Limits:NOT RELEVANT

Extinguishing Media:WATER FOG, CARBON DIOXIDE, FOAM OR DRY CHEMICAL. USE WATER SPRAY TO COOL FIRE EXPOSED CONTAINERS.

Fire Fighting Procedures:WEAR FULL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND NIOSH-APPROVED SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH FULL FACEPIECE OPERATED IN THE POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE.

Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazard: MAY REACT WITH ORGANIC MATERIAL OR WATER YIELDING HEAT. TOXIC GASES MAY BE FORMED.

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===== Accidental Release Measures =========

Spill Release Procedures: VENTILATE AREA AND NEUTRALIZE SPILL WITH SODA ASH/LIME. ABSORB WITH INERT MATERIAL. SCOOP INTO A SUITABLE CONTAINER FOR DISPOSAL. PREVENT LIQUID FROM ENTERING SEWERS, WATERWAYS OR LOW AREAS.

Neutralizing Agent:SUITABLE ALKALI SUCH AS LIME OR SODA ASH

=========== Handling and Storage ==============

Handling and Storage Precautions:STORE AWAY FROM INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS. KEEP OU

T OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

Other Precautions: AVOID BREATHING MISTS. DO NOT GET IN EYES, ON SKIN OR ON CLOTHING. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING AND BEFORE EATING OR DRINKING. DO NOT INGEST.

===== Exposure Controls/Personal Protection ========

Respiratory Protection:USE NIOSH APPROVED RESPIRATOR WITH CANISTER APPROVED FOR SULFURIC ACID VAPOR AND MIST IF TLV EXCEEDED. Ventilation:USE GENERAL OR LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION TO MEET TLV REQUIREMENTS.

Protective Gloves:RUBBE

R OR LATEX

Eye Protection: SAFETY GLASSES/CHEMICAL SPLASH GOGGLES

Other Protective Equipment:PROTECTIVE CLOTHING, ACID RESISTANT BODY SUIT, SAFETY SHOWER, EYEWASH.

Work Hygienic Practices: OBSERVE GOOD INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE PRACTICES AND RECOMMENDED PROCEDURES.

Supplemental Safety and Health

THIS IS FOR ELECTROLYTE. FOR DRY BATTERY, SEE PNI A, SAME NSN.

======== Physical/Chemical Properties ===========

HCC:C1

NRC/State Lic Num:NOT RELEVANT

Boiling Pt:B.P. Text:203F,95C

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It/Freeze Pt:M.P/F.P Text:NOT GIVEN Decomp Temp:Decomp Text:NOT GIVEN

Vapor Pres:10 @ 68F Vapor Density:>1

Spec Gravity: 1.245 - 1.295

pH: