



# Safety Data Sheet

## Counteract

### SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier** Counteract

**Other Means of Identification** Code No. 202

**Recommended Use** Acid Cleaner.

**Restrictions on Use** Use only as directed according to label instructions.

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### SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Classified according to Canada's Hazardous Products Regulations (WHMIS 2015).

#### Classification

Skin corrosion - Category 1B; Serious eye damage - Category 1

#### Label Elements



Danger

Corrosive

Causes severe eye damage and skin irritation or burns.

Harmful if swallowed.

Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

### SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	%	Other Identifiers	Other Names
Phosphoric acid solutions	7664-38-2	5-10		
Citric acid	77-92-9	1-5		
Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether	112-34-5	1-5		

#### Notes

Concentrations are expressed in % weight/weight.

### SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

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## First-aid Measures

### Inhalation

If irritation is experienced, remove person to fresh air.  
Get medical advice or attention if you feel unwell or are concerned.

### Skin Contact

In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water.  
IF ON SKIN (or hair), remove all contaminated clothing and launder before reuse.  
Call a physician if irritation develops or persists.

### Eye Contact

Immediately rinse the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 15-20 minutes, while holding the eyelid(s) open.  
If eye irritation persists, get medical advice or attention.

### Ingestion

In case of ingestion, call a doctor or anti-poison Centre.

## Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

Harmful if swallowed.

May cause serious eye damage. May irritate or burn the eyes. Permanent damage including blindness may result.

## Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment

### Target Organs

Eyes, skin, respiratory system, digestive system.

### Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure

Asthma, skin allergies.

## SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### Extinguishing Media

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Not combustible. Use extinguishing agent suitable for surrounding fire.

#### Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

None known.

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Product

This product presents no unusual hazards in a fire situation.

### Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-fighters

Wear full fire fighting equipment and self contained breathing apparatus.

## SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures

Wear splash proof goggles, chemical resistant gloves and rubber boots.  
Do not allow contact with clothing.  
Do not touch damaged containers or spilled product unless wearing appropriate protective equipment.  
Increase ventilation to area or move leaking container to a well-ventilated and secure area.

### Environmental Precautions

Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any waterway.  
If the spill is inside a building, prevent product from entering drains, ventilation systems and confined areas.  
Minimize the use of water to prevent environmental contamination.

### Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Contain and/or absorb spill with commercial absorbents and then place into a suitable container for disposal.  
Large spills can be neutralized with sodium carbonate.

## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for Safe Handling

Remove contaminated clothing and laundry before reuse.

Do NOT ingest.

Wash any residues of product with plenty of water.

Keep containers tightly sealed when not in use.

Wear gloves and eye protection as a precaution.

### Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in a cool dry area away from incompatible materials.

Keep out of reach of children in a tightly closed container away from food, drink and animal feed.

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control Parameters

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV®		OSHA PEL		AIHA WEEL	
	TWA	STEL	TWA	Ceiling	8-hr TWA	TWA
Citric acid	Not established					
Phosphoric acid solutions	1 mg/m3	3 mg/m3				
Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether	10 ppm					

### Appropriate Engineering Controls

Use local exhaust ventilation, if general ventilation is not adequate to control amount in the air.

Provide eyewash in work area, if contact or splash hazard exists.

### Individual Protection Measures

#### Eye/Face Protection

Wear chemical safety goggles and face shield when contact is possible.

#### Skin Protection

Wear protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin contact.

#### Respiratory Protection

Use in well ventilated areas. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear a NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with an organic vapour cartridge.

## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Clear blue - green liquid.
Odour	Apple
Odour Threshold	Not available
pH	< 1.5
Melting Point/Freezing Point	Not available (melting); 0 °C (32 °F) (freezing)
Boiling point/Initial boiling point	100 °C
Boiling Range	Not available
Flash Point	Not applicable
Evaporation Rate	Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not available
Upper/Lower Flammability or Explosive Limit	Not available (upper); Not available (lower)
Vapour Pressure	Not available
Vapour Density (air = 1)	Not available

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<b>Relative Density (water = 1)</b>	~ 1.06
<b>Solubility</b>	Soluble in water; Not available (in other liquids)
<b>Partition Coefficient, n-Octanol/Water (Log Kow)</b>	Not available
<b>Auto-ignition Temperature</b>	Not available
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	Not available
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not available (kinematic); Not available (dynamic)

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions of use.

### Chemical Stability

Normally stable.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Avoid contact with alkaline (basic) chemicals.

### Conditions to Avoid

High temperatures.

Freezing.

Incompatible materials.

### Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents (e.g. perchloric acid), strong reducing agents (e.g. hydrides), strong bases (e.g. sodium hydroxide).

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

May include but are not limited to oxides of carbon, nitrogen and ammonia.

## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Likely Routes of Exposure

Inhalation.

Skin contact.

Skin absorption.

Eye contact.

Ingestion.

### Acute Toxicity

Chemical Name	LC50	LD50 (oral)	LD50 (dermal)
Citric acid		3000 mg/kg (rat)	
Phosphoric acid solutions	25.5 mg/m3 (rat) (4-hour exposure)	1250 mg/kg (rat)	1260 mg/kg (rabbit)
Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether		7,291 mg/kg (rat)	

### Skin Corrosion/Irritation

May cause irritation or symptoms such as redness, edema, drying, defatting or cracking of the skin.

May cause irritation on prolonged contact.

### Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

May cause severe irritation or burns.

### STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Single Exposure

#### Inhalation

May cause irritation of the respiratory system.

**Skin Absorption**

May cause severe irritation or burns on prolonged contact.

**Ingestion**

May cause burns or irritation of the digestive system including nausea or vomiting.

Harmful if swallowed.

**Aspiration Hazard**

May be drawn into the lungs (aspirated) if swallowed or vomited.

**Respiratory and/or Skin Sensitization**

Not expected to produce any respiratory system problems when used in a well ventilated area.

**Carcinogenicity**

Not known to cause cancer.

**Reproductive Toxicity****Development of Offspring**

Not known to harm the unborn child.

**Sexual Function and Fertility**

Not known to cause effects on sexual function or fertility.

**Effects on or via Lactation**

Not known to cause effects on or via lactation.

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

Not known to be a mutagen.

**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Ecotoxicity**

May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**Persistence and Degradability**

May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**Bioaccumulative Potential**

No information was located.

**Mobility in Soil**

No information was located.

**SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Disposal Methods**

Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations.

**SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Regulation	UN No.	Proper Shipping Name	Transport Hazard Class(es)	Packing Group
Canadian TDG	1805	Phosphoric acid solutions	8	III

**Special Precautions** Not applicable

**Transport in Bulk according to International Maritime Organization Instruments**

Not applicable

**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations**

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## Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all of the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

## USA

### Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 8(b)

Listed on the TSCA Inventory.

## SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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