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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name: GC ETCHANT**
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Auxillary for dental technology
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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msds@gc.dental
- **Further information obtainable from:** Regulatory affairs
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:**
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Birmingham: +44 121 507 4123
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Newcastle Upon Tyne: +44 191 2606182/+44 191 2606180
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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
Exempt from requirements - product regulated as a medical device or an in vitro diagnostic medical device.
Skin Corr. 1B H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.

- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
Exempt from requirements - product regulated as a medical device or an in vitro diagnostic medical device.
The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS05

- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**
phosphoric acid
- **Hazard statements**
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· Precautionary statements

- P260 Do not breathe dusts or mists.
 P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
 P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].
 P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
 P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
 P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).
 P405 Store locked up.
 P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· 2.3 Other hazards**· Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**· 3.2 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures****· Description:**

Only substances required to be mentioned according to Annex II of regulation 1907/2006 are listed. Information on the other substances that may be present can be obtained upon request.

· Dangerous components:

CAS: 7664-38-2	phosphoric acid	Skin Corr. 1B, H314	25-<50%
EINECS: 231-633-2			
Index number: 015-011-00-6			

- **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures**· 4.1 Description of first aid measures****· General information:**

Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

If symptoms persist consult doctor.

· After inhalation:

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

Take affected persons into fresh air and keep quiet.

· After skin contact:

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

Seek medical treatment.

If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.

· After eye contact:

Protect unharmed eye.

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

Call a doctor immediately.

· After swallowing:

Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.

If symptoms persist consult doctor.

- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.

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- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Water with full jet
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
- **Additional information**
Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Remove persons from danger area.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
Wear protective clothing.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:**
Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.
Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.
Do not allow to penetrate the ground/soil.
In case of seepage into the ground inform responsible authorities.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Use neutralising agent.
Absorb liquid components with liquid-binding material.
Dispose of the material collected according to regulations.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Prevent formation of aerosols.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store only in unopened original receptacles.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Store away from foodstuffs.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep container tightly sealed.

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· 7.3 **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

· **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.

· 8.1 Control parameters

· **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

7664-38-2 phosphoric acid

WEL Short-term value: 2 mg/m³

Long-term value: 1 mg/m³

· **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

· 8.2 Exposure controls

· **Personal protective equipment:**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

· **Respiratory protection:** Suitable respiratory protective device recommended.

· **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

· **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

· **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

· **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

Form: Highly viscous

Colour: Blue

· **Odour:** Odourless

· **Odour threshold:** Not determined.

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· pH-value at 20 °C:	< 1.6
· Change in condition	
Melting point/freezing point:	Undetermined.
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	100 °C
· Flash point:	Not applicable.
· Flammability (solid, gas):	Not applicable.
· Ignition temperature:	Undetermined.
· Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
· Auto-ignition temperature:	Product is not selfigniting.
· Explosive properties:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· Vapour pressure:	Not determined.
· Density at 20 °C:	1.33 g/cm ³
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not determined.
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with water:	Fully miscible.
· Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
· Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	0.0 %
Water:	49.0 %
VOC (EC)	0.0 g/l
· 9.2 Other information	No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

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SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:** No further relevant information available.
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**
Causes serious eye damage.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Repeated dose toxicity** No further relevant information available.
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
No further relevant information available.
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralised.
Rinse off of bigger amounts into drains or the aquatic environment may lead to decreased pH-values. A low pH-value harms aquatic organisms. In the dilution of the use-level the pH-value is considerably increased, so that after the use of the product the aqueous waste, emptied into drains, is only low water-dangerous.
Water hazard class 2 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): hazardous for water
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

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· **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

SECTION 14: Transport information

· 14.1 UN-Number

· ADR, IMDG, IATA

UN1805

· 14.2 UN proper shipping name

· ADR

1805 PHOSPHORIC ACID, SOLUTION mixture

· IMDG

PHOSPHORIC ACID, SOLUTION mixture

· IATA

Phosphoric acid solution mixture

· 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

· ADR



· Class

8 (C1) Corrosive substances.

· Label

8

· IMDG, IATA



· Class

8 Corrosive substances.

· Label

8

· 14.4 Packing group

· ADR, IMDG, IATA

III

· 14.5 Environmental hazards:

· Marine pollutant:

No

· 14.6 Special precautions for user

Warning: Corrosive substances.

· Danger code (Kemler):

80

· EMS Number:

F-A,S-B

· Segregation groups

Acids

· Stowage Category

A

· 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of
Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable.

· Transport/Additional information:

· ADR

· Limited quantities (LQ)

5L

· Excepted quantities (EQ)

Code: E1

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml

Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml

· Transport category

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· Tunnel restriction code

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| · IMDG | |
| · Limited quantities (LQ) | 5L |
| · Excepted quantities (EQ) | Code: E1
Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml
Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | UN 1805 PHOSPHORIC ACID, SOLUTION MIXTURE, 8, III |

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.
- **REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII** Conditions of restriction: 3
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

- **Relevant phrases**
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008** Calculation method
- **Department issuing SDS:** Regulatory affairs
- **Contact:** msds@gc.dental
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
Skin Corr. 1B: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1B
Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1
- **Sources**
 - ECHA (<http://echa.europa.eu/>)
 - EnviChem (www.echemportal.org)
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