## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET



#### I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

COMPANY NAME:

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PRODUCT NAME: GEO-GUARD 3015

Product No.: 1J03

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Synonyms: Liquid Acid Cleaner

II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS OF MIXTURES

 MATERIAL:
 (CAS#)
 % By Wt.
 TLV

 Hydroxyacetic acid
 (79-14-1)
 <40</td>
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III - PHYSICAL DATA

Vapor Pressure, mm Hg: Like Water Evaporation Rate(ether=1): unk Solubility in H2O: complete Freezing Point F: unk Boiling Point F: unk Specific Gravity H2O=1 @25C: 1.14

Vapor Density (Air=1)60-90F: like water % Volatile by wt @105C/2 hrs 60% pH @ 1% solution: 2.3 pH as Distributed: 1.7 Appearance: Clear, slightly yellow Odor: Slight acid odor

IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION

Flash Point F: >200 F

(TCC)

Flammable Limits: N/A

Extinguishing Media: Product is not flammable or combustible. Use media appropriate for the primary source of fire.

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Respiratory protection is essential.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Flammable hydrogen gas may evolve from contact with some metals.

# V - REACTIVITY DATA

Stability - Conditions to avoid: None Known

Incompatibility: Strong alkalis and oxidizers such as chlorine.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide fumes.

Conditions Contributing to Hazardous Polymerization: Product will not polymerize.

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#### GEO-GUARD 3015 VI - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE (Medical Conditions Aggravated/Target Organ Effects,
A. ACUTE (Primary Route of Exposure) EYES: Causes severe irritation or
burns. (Primary Route of Exposure) SKIN: Causes irritation. May
cause burns on prolonged contact. INHALATION: May cause mucous
membrane and respiratory tract irritation. INGESTION: May cause burns,
to mouth, throat and stomach if swallowed.
B. SUBCHRONIC, CHRONIC, OTHER: None known.

#### VII - EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

EYES: Flush eyes thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get immediate medical attention. SKIN: Wash thoroughly with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists, seek medical aid. Remove and launder contaminated clothing before reuse. INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If irritation persists get medical attention. INGESTION: If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Give 1 or 2 glasses of milk or water to dilute. Call a physician at once.

### VIII - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

Spill Management: Contain spill. Absorb onto sodium bicarbonate. Scoop up and place into container for disposal. Flush residue to sewer with plenty of water.

Waste Disposal Methods: Unused material is hazardous waste (D002, characteristic of corrosivity) due to low pH.

#### IX - PROTECTION INFORMATION/CONTROL MEASURES

Respiratory: Not normally required.

Eye: Eye goggles Glove: Rubber or full face shield

Other Clothing and Equipment: Rubber apron and rubber boots.

Ventilation: Local exhaust ventilation recommended where established limits may be exceeded.

#### X - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Precautions to be taken in Handling and Storing: Avoid contact with eyes skin and clothing. Avoid breathing mist or vapors. Wear protective clothing when handling. Wash thoroughly after handling. Additional Information: Keep container closed when not in use.

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