

## Section 1 - Identification of Chemical Product and Company

**Chemical Nature:** Dilute acetic acid  
**Trade Name:** **DROP INS COMMERCIAL FRUIT FLY ATTRACTANT**  
**Product Use:** Trace Elements  
**Supplier:** **Globe Australia Pty Ltd)**  
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## Section 2 - Hazards Identification

### Statement of Hazardous Nature

**CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO THE CRITERIA OF SWA**

**NOT A DANGEROUS GOOD ACCORDING TO THE ADG CODE, IATA OR IMDG/IMSBC CRITERIA**

**Risk Phrases:** None

**Safety Phrases:** None

**SUSMP Classification:** Not scheduled

**ADG Classification:** None allocated. Not a Dangerous Good according to Australian Dangerous Goods (ADG) Code, IATA or IMDG/IMSBC criteria.

**UN Number:** None allocated



### **GHS Signal word: WARNING**

Acute Toxicity Category 4

Eye Irritation Category 2

Skin Irritation Category 2

### **HAZARD STATEMENT**

H302: Harmful if swallowed

H319: Causes serious eye irritation

H315: Causes skin Irritation

### **PREVENTION**

P102: Keep out of reach of children.

P262: Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after using

P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

P280: Wear eye/face protection and protective gloves

### **RESPONSE**

P301+P312: IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTRE/doctor if you feel unwell

P330: Rinse mouth

P305 + P351 + P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P337 + P313: If eye irritation persists: get medical advice/attention

P302 + P352: IF ON SKIN wash with plenty of water

P332 + P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

P362 + P364: Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse

P370+P378: Not combustible. Use extinguishing media suited to burning materials.

**STORAGE**

P402+P404: Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container.

**DISPOSAL**

P501: Dispose of small quantities and empty containers by wrapping with paper and putting in garbage. For larger quantities, if recycling or reclaiming is not possible, use a commercial waste disposal service.

**Emergency Overview**

**Physical Description & colour:** Clear colourless liquid

**Odour:** Moderate vinegar odour

**Major Health Hazards:** May cause serious eye irritation

**Section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients**

<b>Ingredients</b>	<b>CAS No</b>	<b>Conc. %</b>
Acetic Acid	64-19-7	4-5
Water	7732-18-5	95-96

*This is a commercial product whose exact ratio of components may vary slightly. Minor quantities of other non hazardous ingredients are also possible.*

**Section 4 - First Aid Measures**

**General Information:** You should call The Poisons Information Centre if you feel that you may have been poisoned, burned or irritated by this product. The number is 13 1126 from anywhere in Australia (0800 764 766 in New Zealand) and is available at all times. Have this MSDS with you when you call.

**Inhalation:** If mists have been inhaled, and irritation has developed, remove to fresh air and observe until recovered. If irritation becomes painful or persists for more than about 30 minutes, seek medical advice

**Skin Contact:** Wash affected areas with water until chemical is removed. Remove all contaminated clothing and launder before re-use. If in doubt obtain medical advice.

**Eye Contact:** Immediately irrigate with copious amounts of lukewarm, gently flowing water for 15 – 20 minutes or until the product is removed or irritation has ceased, while holding the eyelid(s) open. Obtain medical advice if irritation becomes painful or lasts more than a few minutes.

**Ingestion:** Give a glass of water if affected person able to drink. Do not induce vomiting unless instructed to do so by medical advice.

**Notes to Doctor:** Treat symptomatically.

**Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures**

**Fire and Explosion Hazards:** Product will not cause or contribute to an explosion. If in a fire product decomposition may result in toxic fumes

**Extinguishing Media:** Not Combustible. Use extinguishing media suited to burning materials.

**Fire Fighting:** If a significant quantity of this product is involved in a fire, call the fire brigade.

**Flash point:** Does not burn.

**Upper Flammability Limit:** Does not burn.

**Lower Flammability Limit:** Does not burn.

**Auto ignition temperature:** Not applicable - does not burn.

**Flammability Class:** Does not burn.

**Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures**

**Accidental release:** In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses. As a minimum, wear overalls, goggles and gloves. Stop leak if safe to do so, and contain spill. Absorb onto sand, vermiculite or other suitable absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel or collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling or salvage. After spills, wash area preventing runoff from entering drains. If a significant quantity of material enters drains, advise emergency services. Full details regarding

disposal of used containers, spillage and unused material may be found on the label. If there is any conflict between this SDS and the label, instructions on the label prevail.

## Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Check Section 8 of this SDS for details of personal protective measures, and make sure that those measures are followed. The measures detailed below under "Storage" should be followed during handling. Also, avoid contact or contamination of product with incompatible materials listed in Section 10.

**Storage:** Store in a cool, dry place away from children and animals or foodstuffs. Ensure containers are labelled, protected from physical damage and sealed when not in use. Store away from farm chemicals e.g. insecticides, fungicides and herbicides. Containers should be kept closed in order to minimise contamination. Keep from extreme heat and open flames, and make sure that the product does not come into contact with substances listed under "Materials to avoid" in Section 10.

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

**Exposure Limits** (Acetic Acid concentrate)

TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	STEL (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	ADI (mg/Kg/day)	NOEL (mg/Kg/day)
25	37	not set	not set

*Exposure limits have not been set for other ingredients in product. The TWA exposure value is the average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal 8 hour working day for a 5 day working week. There is a blanket limit of 10mg/m<sup>3</sup> for dusts or mists when limits have not otherwise been established. The STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) is an exposure value that should not be exceeded for more than 15 minutes and should not be repeated for more than 4 times per day. There should be at least 60 minutes between successive exposures at the STEL. The term "peak" is used when the TWA limit, because of the rapid action of the substance, should never be exceeded, even briefly.*

*ADI means Acceptable Daily Intake and NOEL means No-observable-effect-level. Values taken from Australian ADI List, 31<sup>st</sup> March 2012*

### Personal Protection

The following Australian Standards will provide general advice regarding safety clothing and equipment:

Respiratory equipment: **AS/NZS 1715**, Protective Gloves: **AS 2161**, Industrial Clothing: **AS2919**, Industrial Eye Protection: **AS1336** and **AS/NZS 1337**, Occupational Protective Footwear: **AS/NZS2210**.

No special equipment is usually needed when occasionally handling small quantities. The following instructions are for bulk handling or where regular exposure in an occupational setting occurs without proper containment systems.

**Ventilation:** Avoid high mist concentration and provide local exhaust ventilation where necessary.

**Eye Protection:** Eye protection such as protective glasses or goggles is recommended when this product is being used.

**Skin Protection:** Wear gloves to prevent skin contact. Wear overall and long sleeves to prevent contact. Provision of eye wash facilities and safety shower recommended.

Wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or going to toilet, launder protective clothing before re-use.

## Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties:

<b>Physical Description &amp; colour:</b>	Clear colourless liquid
<b>Odour:</b>	Moderate vinegar odour
<b>Boiling Point:</b>	100°C (estimated)
<b>Vapour Pressure:</b>	No data
<b>Specific Gravity:</b>	approx 1.0 @ 20°C
<b>Water Solubility:</b>	Completely soluble
<b>pH:</b>	2.4
<b>Volatility:</b>	No data.
<b>Flash Point</b>	Not flammable

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Reactivity:** This product is stable under normal temperatures and pressures, when stored and handled in accordance with this MSDS. Reacts with alkalis, reducing agents and metals

**Conditions to Avoid:** Store away from heat or fire and ignition sources

**Incompatibilities:** Strong Reducing agents, caustics, oxidizers, acetaldehydes

**Fire Decomposition:** May evolve toxic gases when heated to decomposition

**Polymerisation:** Does not occur.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

### Toxicity

Acetic Acid ORAL LD50 Rat 3310 mg/l DERMAL LD50 Rabbit 1060 mg/kg

INHALATION LC50-4H Rat 11.4 mg/L

### Potential Health Effects

**Inhalation:** No adverse effects expected however inhalation of aerosol mist may irritate nasal mucous membranes.

**Skin Contact:** May be irritating to skin

**Eye Contact:** May irritate or damage eyes

**Ingestion:** Ingestion of large amounts may cause gastrointestinal disorder, nausea, diarrhoea, vomiting, Irritating to the Respiratory tract

**Carcinogen Status:**

**SWA:** No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by SWA

**NTP:** No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by NTP

**IARC:** No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by IARC

**Toxicity Data:** No LD50 data available for this product.

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

**Environment:** Avoid contamination of waterways.

Acetic Acid 64-19-7 Aquatic LC50 (96h) Fathead Minnow 79 mg/L

Aquatic EC50 (24h) Daphnia 47 mg/L

## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

**Disposal:** The product label will give general advice regarding disposal of small quantities, and how to cleanse containers. However, for help with the collection of unwanted rural chemicals, contact ChemClear 1800 008 182 <http://www.chemclear.com.au/> and for help with the disposal of empty drums, contact DrumMuster <http://www.drummuster.com.au/> where you will find contact details for your area.

## Section 14 - Transport Information

**ADG Code:** This product is not classified as a Dangerous Good for transport by road or rail

**IMDG/IATA:** This product is not classified as a dangerous good for transport by sea or air

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

**AICS:** All of the significant ingredients in this formulation are to be found in the public AICS Database.

## Section 16 - Other Information

This MSDS contains only safety-related information. For other data see product literature.

### Acronyms:

<b>ADG Code</b>	Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail	<b>IMDG</b>	International Maritime Dangerous Good
<b>AICS</b>	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances	<b>IMSBC</b>	International Maritime Solid Bulk Code
<b>CAS number</b>	Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number	<b>NTP</b>	National Toxicology Program (USA)
<b>Hazchem Number</b>	Emergency action code of numbers and letters that provide information to emergency services especially fire-fighters	<b>SUSMP</b>	Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines & Poisons
<b>IARC</b>	International Agency for Research on Cancer	<b>SWA</b>	Safe Work Australia (formerly ASCC and NOHSC)
<b>IATA</b>	International Air Transport Authority	<b>UN Number</b>	United Nations Number

*THIS MSDS SUMMARISES OUR BEST KNOWLEDGE OF THE HEALTH AND SAFETY HAZARD INFORMATION OF THE PRODUCT AND HOW TO SAFELY HANDLE AND USE THE PRODUCT IN THE WORKPLACE. EACH USER MUST REVIEW THIS MSDS IN THE CONTEXT OF HOW THE PRODUCT WILL BE HANDLED AND USED IN THE WORKPLACE.*

*IF CLARIFICATION OR FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED TO ENSURE THAT AN APPROPRIATE RISK ASSESSMENT CAN BE MADE, THE USER SHOULD CONTACT THIS COMPANY SO WE CAN ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM OUR SUPPLIERS. OUR RESPONSIBILITY FOR PRODUCTS SOLD IS SUBJECT TO OUR STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS, A COPY OF WHICH IS SENT TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND IS ALSO AVAILABLE ON REQUEST.*

Please read all labels carefully before using product.

This MSDS is prepared in accord with the NOHSC document "National Code of Practice for the Preparation of Material Safety Data Sheets" 2nd Edition [NOHSC:2011(2003)]

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