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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTITY

PRODUCT NAME: Lime Scum Remover
Formula: Mixture glycolic and phosphoric acids with detergents in water.
Chemical Type: As above

HMIS RATINGS

Health = 2 (Moderate)	Flammability = 0 (Insignificant)
Reactivity = 0 (Minimal)	Protection = C (Safety Glasses, Gloves, Synthetic Apron)

SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

	PERCENT	TLV	STEL	CARCINOGEN (OSHA, TP, IARC)
Phosphoric Acid 7664-38-02	<5%	1 mg/m ³	3 mg/m ³	none

SECTION III - CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL

Appearance: Pink liquid	Boiling Pt. : 210 ° F. est.
Odor: almond	Melting Point: N/A
pH: <3	Spec. Gravity (H ₂ O = 1): 1.06
Water Solubility: Complete	Vapor Pressure (mm Hg): N/A
Viscosity, Cp. @ 25°C.: A-C (Gardner)	VOC Content: none

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

Flash Point (Method): none	Explosion Limits:	Upper: N/A Lower: N/A
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Extinguishing Media: N/A (product is non-flammable)

Special Firefighting Procedures and Hazards: Avoid skin and eye contact, and breathing of acid vapors. Wear head and body protection and acid respirator if exposure to liquid is likely.

SECTION V - REACTIVITY INFORMATION

Stable: Unstable:

Precautions:

Incompatibility: Strong alkalis, materials not resistant to strong acids, active metals (zinc, aluminum, magnesium, etc.).

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Possible phosphorus oxide fumes at fire temperatures. Contact with active metals can release flammable hydrogen gas.

Hazardous Polymerization: Occurs:

Does Not Occur:

SECTION VI - HEALTH HAZARDS - PROTECTIVE MEASURES - FIRST AID

- Inhalation:** Breathing of vapor can cause respiratory irritation and inflammation. If necessary, wear approved acid vapor/ mist respirator if exposure is likely. Remove party to fresh air and give artificial respiration or oxygen if needed. Get medical attention.
- Skin:** Strong irritant. Prolonged contact with product concentrate may cause burns. Wear acid -resistant protective gloves. Flush skin thoroughly with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if burns persist. Remove contaminated clothing and launder before re-use. Discard contaminated shoes.
- Eyes:** Corrosive. May cause burns and ulceration of eyes. Wear goggles or side shield safety glasses . Provide convenient eyewash stations. Flush immediately with water for 15 minutes. Get prompt medical attention.
- Ingestion:** Corrosive. Causes irritation and burning in mouth and throat. Avoid swallowing. If swallowed, drink lots of water or, preferably, milk. Get medical attention if effects persist. Do not induce vomiting.

Most likely routes of entry: Skin, Eyes, Inhalation

Other Important Medical or Precautionary Information: None

SECTION VII - PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING AND USE

Spills and Leaks: Small spills can be flushed into normal drainage or into ground with copious amounts of water, or taken up with absorbent material. Larger spills should be contained by diking or other methods and held for collection and/or reuse, or for neutralization with alkali before collection and disposal. Personnel should use eye and skin protection.

Storage and Handling: Check daily for any leaks from containers, vessels, pumps, and piping. Have water hoses and alkali (caustic soda, lime, etc.) convenient. Only use containers and equipment designed for acid service. Use a respirator if area is poorly ventilated.

Waste Disposal: If neutralized, may be disposable in sewers if local regulations permit. Otherwise, send to licensed treatment and disposal facility. As supplied, this product is a RCRA hazardous waste.

Empty Containers: Rinse well before handling and disposal.

Other Precautions: Areas of use and storage should be ventilated adequately to reduce vapors below odor level.

SECTION VIII - REGULATORY INFORMATION

Reportable for SARA Title III, S.313 (Form R): Phosphoric acid.

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