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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION V HEALTH HAZARD DATA

LL 90

**Threshold Limited Value** None established for Lead Acetate. (ACGIH 1992-93). TWA for Lead [CAS No. 7439-92-1], inorganic dust and fumes, as Pb 0.15 mg/m<sup>3</sup>.

**Effects of Overexposure**  
**INHALATION AND INGESTION:** Acute effects are weakness, fatigue, sleep disturbance, headache, aching bones and muscles, abdominal pains, constipation and decreased appetite. Chronic effects include anemia, pallor, blue "lead line" on the gums, severe headache, convulsions, coma, delirium, kidney injury and possible death. Causes irritation and/or burns to skin and eyes.

**Emergency and First Aid Procedures**  
**INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.  
**INGESTION:** If swallowed, if conscious, give one or two glasses of water to drink, induce vomiting. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Call physician immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.  
**EYES:** Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally. Get medical attention.  
**SKIN:** Flush thoroughly with water, then wash with soap and water.

## SECTION VI REACTIVITY DATA

<b>Stability</b>	<b>Unstable</b>		<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Excessive temperature and heat.
	<b>Stable</b>	X		

**Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid)** Acids, soluble sulfates, citrates, tartrates, chlorides, carbonates, alkalies, tannin, phosphates, resorcinol, salicylic acid, phenol, chloral hydrate, sulfites, strong oxidizers.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products** When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes of lead, carbon dioxide and/or carbon monoxide.

<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	<b>May Occur</b>	<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Not applicable.
	<b>Will Not Occur</b>		
	X		

## SECTION VII SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

**Steps to be taken in case material is released or spilled** Recover for use. Wear suitable protective clothing, avoid making dust, sweep material up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area well with soap and water. Do not send residues to sewer.

**Waste Disposal Method** Discharge, treatment, or disposal may be subject to Federal, State or Local laws. These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only.  
Dispose of in an approved chemical landfill or contract with a licensed waste disposal service.

## SECTION VIII SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

**Respiration Protection (Specify Type)** None should be needed in normal laboratory handling. If dusty conditions prevail, work in a fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved dust mask.

<b>Ventilation</b>	<b>Local Exhaust</b>	Recommended.	<b>Special</b>	No.
	<b>Mechanical (General)</b>	Recommended.	<b>Other</b>	No.

**Protective Gloves** Rubber. **Eye Protection** Chemical safety glasses.

**Other Protective Equipment** Smock, apron, eye wash station, goggles, ventilation hood, proper gloves.

## SECTION IX SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

**Precautions to be Taken in Handling & Storing** Store in a cool, dry, ventilated area away from strong oxidizing agents, sources of ignition or heat. Wash thoroughly after handling.  
Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

**Other Precautions** Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals.

Do not breathe dust or fumes. Use with adequate ventilation. Remove and wash contaminated clothing promptly.

For laboratory use only. Not for drug, food or household use. Keep out of reach of children.

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## SECTION I NAME 24 HOUR EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

<b>Product</b>	LEAD ACETATE	 <b>CHEMTREC</b> <b>800-424-9300</b> Day 716-226-6177  <b>NFPA HAZARD RATING</b> LEAST SLIGHT MODERATE HIGH EXTREME 0 1 2 3 4  <b>HMIS *</b> Health 3 Fire 0 Reactivity 0
<b>Chemical Synonyms</b>	Sugar Of Lead	
<b>Formula</b>	Pb(CH <sub>3</sub> COO) <sub>2</sub> •3H <sub>2</sub> O	
<b>Unit Size</b>	up to 2.5 Kg.	
<b>C.A.S. No.</b>	6080-56-4	

## SECTION II INGREDIENTS OF MIXTURES

Principal Component(s)	%	TLV Units
Lead Acetate, Trihydrate	100%	See Section V.
<b>DANGER!</b> <b>POISON</b> <b>MAY BE FATAL IF SWALLOWED, INHALED OR ABSORBED</b>		
<b>THROUGH SKIN. SUSPECTED CARCINOGEN. *</b>		

## SECTION III PHYSICAL DATA

<b>Melting Point (°F)</b>	75°C (167°F)	<b>Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O = 1)</b>	2.55 at 20°C
<b>Boiling Point (°F)</b>	Decomposes at 200°C (392°F)	<b>Percent Volatile by Volume (%)</b>	Non-volatile (NA).
<b>Vapor Pressure (mm Hg)</b>	Negligible as solid.	<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	(=1) Non-volatile (NA).
<b>Vapor Density (Air=1)</b>	13.1		
<b>Solubility in Water</b>	62.5 grams per 100 mL. water at 20°C.		
<b>Appearance &amp; Odor</b>	White crystals, flakes or crystalline powder; slight acetic odor.		

## SECTION IV FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

<b>Flash Point (Method Used)</b>	Non-flammable (NA).	<b>Flammable Limits in Air % by Volume</b>	NA	<b>Lower</b>	<b>Upper</b>
<b>Extinguisher Media</b>	Water spray; carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ); dry chemical (ABC).				

**SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES**  
In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

\* RTECS Ref: OF8050000  
Carcinogen Review: Animal positive.  
Cancer hazard based on tests with laboratory animals.

(1996 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.7, GUIDE PAGE NO. 151)

**UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS**  
When heated emits toxic fumes of lead.

D.O.T. LEAD ACETATE, 6.1, UN 1616, PG III

Approved by U.S. Department of Labor "essentially similar" to form OSHA-20