# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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# SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

# Acetaminophen

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CHEMTREC Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300

Signal Word

WARNING

Pictograms

# **SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, oral (Category 4). Harmful if swallowed (H302). Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product (P270).

Hazard class: Skin and serious eye damage, corrosion or irritation (Category 2, 2A). Causes skin and serious eye irritation (H315+H319).

Hazard class: Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure; respiratory tract irritation (Category 3). May cause respiratory irritation (H335).

Product should be treated as a chemical and is not for consumption as it has been stored with other nonfood-grade chemicals. Store in a locked poison cabinet.

SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Acetaminophen	103-90-2	CH <sub>3</sub> CONHC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> OH	151.16	
Synonyms: Paracetamol;				
4-Acetamidophenol; N-(4-hydroxyphenyl)acetamide				

# **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell (P312). **If inhaled:** Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing (P304+P340). **If in eyes:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing (P305+P351+P338). **If eye irritation persists:** Get medical advice or attention (P337+P313). **If on skin:** Wash with plenty of water (P302+P352). **If skin irritation occurs:** Get medical advice or attention (P332+P313). **If swallowed:** Rinse mouth. Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell (P302+P301+P312).

#### **SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Nonflammable, combustible solid.

When heated to decomposition, may emit toxic fumes.

In case of fire: Use a tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.

NFPA CODE

None established

#### **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Ventilate area. Wipe up the spill with a damp towel. Place in a sealed bag or container, and dispose. Wash spill site after material pickup is complete. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

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# **SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #2. Store with alcohols, glycols, amines and amides.

Keep container tightly closed (P233). Store in a locked poison cabinet. Use only in a hood or well-ventilated area (P271).

#### SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection (P280). Wash hands thoroughly after handling (P264). Use only in a hood or well-ventilated area (P271).

# **SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

White powder. Odorless.

Melting point: 169-172 °C
Soluble: Many organic solvents. Insoluble in water.

Specific gravity: 1.293

# **SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Avoid contact with strong oxidizers, strong acids, and strong bases.

Shelf life: Indefinite, if stored properly.

#### **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute effects: Skin, eye, and respiratory tract irritant, possible ORL-RAT LD<sub>50</sub>: 1944 mg/kg

sensitizer. Harmful if swallowed. IHL-RAT LC<sub>50</sub>: N.A.

Chronic effects: Systemic changes to liver and urogenital system. SKN-RBT LD<sub>50</sub>: N.A.

Target organs: Liver, kidneys.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

# **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxic to aquatic life.

#### **SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #26a is one option. Mix with coffee grounds or kitty litter before disposal.

### **SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Shipping name: Not regulated. Hazard class: N/A. UN number: N/A.

N/A = Not applicable

#### **SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA-listed.

#### **SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION**

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Consult your copy of the Flinn Science Catalog/Reference Manual for additional information about laboratory chemicals.

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