Muriatic Acid

ALDEN LEEDS, INC.                              PRODUCT CODE #  4010                          MATERIAL

55 JACOBUS AVE.                              PRODUCT NAME:  MURIATIC ACID           SAFETY DATA

SO. KEARNY, NJ 07032                                                                                        SHEET

(973) 589-3544                                                                                                      11/25/97

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SECTION I - IDENTIFICATION

CHEMICAL NAME & SYNONYMS:  Hydrochloric Acid

FORMULA:  HCl

TRADE NAME:  Muriatic Acid

DESCRIPTION:  Colorless to pale yellow liquid with pungent, suffocating odor.

CAS NO.  7647-01-0

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SECTION II - PHYSICAL DATA

Boiling Point: 100C                           Melting Point: N/A

Vapor Pressure: 25 mm/hg                     Specific Gravity (H₂O=1): 1.160

% Volatile by Volume: N/A                    Vapor Density: N/A

Solubility in water: Complete                Evaporation Rate: N/A

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SECTION III - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

MATERIAL                          CAS NO.         CONTENT     HAZARD DATA

Hydrochloric Acid                    7647-01-025.00 +/- 0.5%        Corrosive

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SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

Flash Point: N/A  
Autoignition Temp: N/A

Flammable Limits in Air % By Volume: N/A

Extinguishing Media:  Water, carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical.

Special Fire Fighting Procedures:  Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: May produce hazardous fumes or hazardous decomposition products.

SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE:

Inhalation: May cause irritation to respiratory tract.

Skin: Causes severe irritation or burns.

Eye: May cause severe irritation or burns.

Ingestion: May cause mouth, throat or gastrointestinal irritation.

SECTION VI - EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURE

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. Consult a physician.

SKIN: Remove contaminated clothing, flush with water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a physician.

EYE: Immediately flush with water for at least 15 minutes. Immediately consult a physician.

INGESTION: Give large amounts of water. DO NOT induce vomiting. Consult a physician.

SECTION VII - REACTIVITY DATA

Stability: Stable

Conditions to Avoid: None

Incompatibility (materials to avoid): Base.

Hazardous Decomposition: N/A

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.
CHEMICAL NAME:  TRADE NAME: Muriatic Acid
Hydrochloric Acid

SECTION VIII - SPILL, LEAKAGE & DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

Steps to take if material leaks or spills: Using recommended protective equipment, carefully add lime or sodium carbonate to neutralize acid. If large spill, first dike to contain. Pick up and put residue into container for disposal. Flush area with water. Collect for disposal or sewer.

Waste disposal method: This product, if disposed as shipped, meets EPA criteria of a hazardous waste as specified in 40 CFR 261 on the basis of its corrosivity. Dispose of in licensed hazardous waste facility in accordance with all Federal, State and Local regulations.

SECTION IX - SPECIAL PROTECTION DATA

Ventilation: Local exhaust.

Eye Protection: Use chemical goggles and full face shield.

Respiratory Protection: Use a respirator with acid gas cartridge.

Protective Gloves: Use chemical resistant gloves.

Other Equipment: Wear full chemical suit and boots. Eye wash fountain should be near work area.

SECTION X - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS DATA

Handling and Storage: DO NOT HANDLE OR USE THIS PRODUCT UNTIL SAFETY PRECAUTIONS RECOMMENDED IN THIS DATA SHEET HAVE BEEN READ AND FULLY UNDERSTOOD.

Other: None.

SECTION XI - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Proper Shipping Name: Hydrochloric Acid, Solution, 8, UN 1789, PGII. For all transportation accidents, call CHEMTREC at 800-424-9300.

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