



# United States Steel Corporation

## Waste Pickle Liquor Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

USS IHS Number: 8661

(Replaces USS Code Number: SRP-016)

Locations: East Chicago Tin, Fairfield, Gary, Granite City, Great Lakes, Hamilton, Midwest, and Mon Valley

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### Section 1 – Identification

1(a) Product Identifier Used on Label: Waste Pickle Liquor

1(b) Other Means of Identification: Spent Pickle Liquor, Ferrous Chloride Solution., Waste Pickle Liquor, Waste Acid, Wastes, Ferrous Metal Pickling

1(c) Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restrictions on Use: None

1(d) Name, Address, and Telephone Number:



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1(e) Emergency Phone Number: 1-800-262-8200 (CHEMTREC)

### Section 2 – Hazard(s) Identification

2(a) Classification of the Chemical: Waste Pickle Liquor is considered a hazardous material according to the criteria specified in REACH [REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006] and CLP [REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008] and OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200 Hazard Communication Standard. The categories of Health Hazards as defined in “GLOBALY HARMONIZED SYSTEM OF CLASSIFICATION AND LABELLING OF CHEMICALS (GHS), Third revised edition ST/SG/AC.10/30/Rev. 3” United Nations, New York and Geneva, 2009 have been evaluated. Refer to Section 3, 8 and 11 for additional information.

2(b) Signal Word, Hazard Statement(s), Symbols and Precautionary Statement(s):

Hazard Symbol	Hazard Classification	Signal Word	Hazard Statement(s)
	Eye Irritation - 1	DANGER	Causes severe eye damage. Harmful if swallowed. Causes skin irritation.
	Acute Toxicity Oral - 4 Skin Irritation - 2		

Precautionary Statement(s):

Prevention	Response	Storage/Disposal
Wear protective gloves / eye protection / face protection. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.	If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician. If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If swallowed: Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.	Dispose of contents in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

2(c) Hazards Not Otherwise Classified: None Known

2(d) Unknown Acute Toxicity Statement (mixture): None Known

### Section 3 – Composition/Information on Ingredients

3(a-c) Chemical Name, Common Name (Synonyms), CAS Number and Other Identifiers, and Concentration:

Chemical Name	CAS Number	EC Number	% Volume
Wastes, ferrous metal pickling	65996-75-0	266-008-3	100%

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## Section 3 – Composition/Information on Ingredients (continued)

### 3(a-c) Chemical Name, Common Name (Synonyms), CAS Number and Other Identifiers, and Concentration (continued):

Chemical Name	CAS Number	EC Number	% Volume
The following components comprise this Waste Pickle Liquor product and were used for hazard determination:			
Ferrous Chloride	7758-94-3	231-843-4	12.4 - 27.8
Hydrochloric Acid	7647-01-0	231-595-7	1.7 - 7.0
Water	7732-18-5	231-791-2	65.2 - 85.9

EC- European Community  
CAS- Chemical Abstract Service

## Section 4 – First-aid Measures

### 4(a) Description of Necessary Measures:

- **Inhalation:** If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
- **Eye Contact:** If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.
- **Skin Contact:** If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
- **Ingestion:** If swallowed: Call a poison center or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

### 4(b) Most Important Symptoms/Effects, Acute and Delayed (Chronic):

#### Acute Effects:

- **Inhalation:** May causes damage to respiratory and gastrointestinal tracts with inhalation.
- **Eye:** Causes serious eye damage.
- **Skin:** Exposure may cause skin burns.
- **Ingestion:** Causes damage to respiratory and gastrointestinal tracts with oral exposures. Causes damage to cardiovascular system following oral exposure.

#### Chronic Effects:

Individuals with chronic respiratory disorders (i.e., asthma, chronic bronchitis, emphysema, etc.) may be adversely affected by low level exposures. Persons with pre-existing skin disorders may be more susceptible to dermatitis.

### 4(c) Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment: Treat symptomatically.

## Section 5 – Fire-fighting Measures

**5(a) Suitable (and unsuitable) Extinguishing Media:** Use extinguishers appropriate for surrounding materials.

**5(b) Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:** Irritating hydrogen chloride fumes may form in fire.

**5(c) Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-fighters:** Self-contained NIOSH approved respiratory protection and full protective clothing should be worn when fumes and/or smoke from fire are present. Heat and flames cause emittance of acrid smoke and fumes. Do not release runoff from fire control methods to sewers or waterways. Firefighters should wear full face-piece self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing with thermal protection. Direct water stream will scatter and spread flames and, therefore, should not be used.

## Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**6(a) Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:** For spills, personnel should be protected against contact with eyes and skin and avoid inhalation of vapor/mist. Do not release into sewers or waterways. Collect material in appropriate, labeled containers for recovery or disposal in accordance with Federal, state, and local regulations.

**6(b) Methods and Materials for Containment and Clean Up:** Collect material in appropriate, labeled containers for recovery or disposal in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations. Follow applicable OSHA regulations (29 CFR 1910.120) and all other pertinent state and federal requirements.

## Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**7(a) Precautions for Safe Handling:** Wear protective gloves / eye protection / face protection. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Emergency safety showers and eye wash stations should be present.

**7(b) Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities:** Store away from incompatible materials.

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## Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

**8(a) Occupational Exposure Limits (OELs):** The following exposure limits are offered as reference, for an experience industrial hygienist to review.

Ingredients	OSHA PEL <sup>1</sup>	ACGIH TLV <sup>2</sup>	NIOSH REL <sup>3</sup>	IDLH <sup>4</sup>
Ferrous Chloride	NE	NE	NE	NE
Hydrochloric Acid	“C” 5.0 ppm	“C” 2.0 ppm	“C” 5.0 ppm	50 ppm

NE - None Established

1. OSHA PELs (Permissible Exposure Limits) are 8-hour TWA (time-weighted average) concentrations unless otherwise noted. A (“C”) designation denotes a ceiling limit, which should not be exceeded during any part of the working exposure unless otherwise noted. A Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL) is defined as a 15-minute exposure, which should not be exceeded at any time during a workday. An Action level (AL) is used by OSHA and NIOSH to express a health or physical hazard. They indicate the level of a harmful or toxic substance/activity, which requires medical surveillance, increased industrial hygiene monitoring, or biological monitoring. Action Levels are generally set at one half of the PEL but the actual level may vary from standard to standard. The intent is to identify a level at which the vast majority of randomly sampled exposures will be below the PEL.
2. Threshold Limit Values (TLV) established by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) are 8-hour TWA concentrations unless otherwise noted. ACGIH TLVs are for guideline purposes only and as such are not legal, regulatory limits for compliance purposes. DSEN – May cause dermal sensitization. This notation is used to indicate the potential for dermal sensitization resulting from the interaction of an absorbed agent and ultraviolet light (i.e. photosensitization). RSEN – May cause respiratory sensitization.
3. The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Recommended Exposure Limits (NIOSH-REL)- Compendium of Policy and Statements. NIOSH, Cincinnati, OH (1992). NIOSH is the federal agency designated to conduct research relative to occupational safety and health. As is the case with ACGIH TLVs, NIOSH RELs are for guideline purposes only and as such are not legal, regulatory limits for compliance purposes.
4. The “immediately dangerous to life or health air concentration values (IDLHs)” are used by NIOSH as part of the respirator selection criteria and were first developed in the mid-1970’s by NIOSH. The Documentation for Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations (IDLHs) is a compilation of the rationale and sources of information used by NIOSH during the original determination of 387 IDLHs and their subsequent review and revision in 1994. Ca is designated as carcinogen.

**8(b) Appropriate Engineering Controls:** Local exhaust ventilation should be used to control the emission of air contaminants. General dilution ventilation may assist with the reduction of air contaminant concentrations. Emergency eye wash stations and deluge safety showers should be available in the work area.

**8(c) Individual Protection Measures:**

- **Respiratory Protection:** Seek professional advice prior to respirator selection and use. Follow OSHA respirator regulations (29 CFR 1910.134) and, if necessary, use only a NIOSH-approved respirator. Select respirator based on its suitability to provide adequate worker protection for given working conditions, level of airborne contamination, and presence of sufficient oxygen. Concentration in air of the various contaminants determines the extent of respiratory protection needed. Half-face, negative-pressure, air-purifying respirator equipped with an Acid gas/Particulate filter is acceptable for concentrations up to 10 times the exposure limit. Full-face, negative-pressure, air-purifying respirator equipped with an Acid gas/Particulate filter is acceptable for concentrations up to 50 times the exposure limit. Protection by air-purifying negative-pressure and powered air respirators is limited. Use a positive-pressure-demand, full-face, supplied air respirator or self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) for concentrations above 50 times the exposure limit. If exposure is above the IDLH (Immediately dangerous to life or health) for any of the constituents, or there is a possibility of an uncontrolled release or exposure levels are unknown, then use a positive-demand, full-face, supplied air respirator with escape bottle or SCBA.
  - **Warning!** Air-purifying respirators both negative-pressure and powered-air do not protect workers in oxygen-deficient atmospheres.
- **Eyes:** Wear appropriate eye protection to prevent eye contact. Use safety glasses with side shields or chemical goggles.
- **Skin:** Persons handling this product should wear gloves.
- **Other Protective Equipment:** An eyewash fountain and deluge shower should be readily available in the work area.

## Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

<p><b>9(a) Appearance (physical state, color, etc.):</b> Greenish-yellow liquid</p> <p><b>9(b) Odor:</b> Slightly pungent, irritating odor.</p> <p><b>9(c) Odor Threshold:</b> ND</p> <p><b>9(d) pH:</b> ND</p> <p><b>9(e) Melting Point/Freezing Point:</b> ND</p> <p><b>9(f) Initial Boiling Point and Boiling Range:</b> Approx. 220°F, 104.4°C</p> <p><b>9(g) Flash Point:</b> NA</p> <p><b>9(h) Evaporation Rate:</b> NA</p> <p><b>9(i) Flammability (solid, gas):</b> Not flammable</p>	<p><b>9(j) Upper/lower Flammability or Explosive Limits:</b> NA</p> <p><b>9(k) Vapor Pressure:</b> ND</p> <p><b>9(l) Vapor Density (Air = 1):</b> ND</p> <p><b>9(m) Relative Density:</b> ~1.1-1.25 SG</p> <p><b>9(n) Solubility(ies):</b> Soluble</p> <p><b>9(o) Partition Coefficient n-octanol/water:</b> NA</p> <p><b>9(p) Auto-ignition Temperature:</b> ND</p> <p><b>9(q) Decomposition Temperature:</b> ND</p> <p><b>9(r) Viscosity:</b> ND</p>
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NA - Not Applicable

ND - Not Determined for product as a whole

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

- 10(a) Reactivity:** Not Determined (ND)
- 10(b) Chemical Stability:** Waste Pickle Liquor is stable under normal storage and handling conditions.
- 10(c) Possibility of Hazardous Reaction:** None Known
- 10(d) Conditions to Avoid:** Hydrochloric acid is highly corrosive to most metals.
- 10(e) Incompatible Materials:** Hydroxides, amines, alkalis, copper, brass, zinc.
- 10(f) Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Chlorine and other toxic vapors may be releases at elevated temperatures.




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## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

**11(a-e) Information on Toxicological Effects:** The following toxicity data has been determined for **Waste Pickle Liquor** by using the information available for its components applied to the guidance on the preparation of an SDS under the GHS requirements of OSHA and the EU CPL:

Hazard Classification	Hazard Category		Hazard Symbols	Signal Word	Hazard Statement
	EU	OSHA			
<b>Acute Toxicity Hazard</b> (covers Categories 1-4)	4	4 <sup>a</sup>		<b>Warning</b>	Harmful if swallowed.
<b>Skin Irritation</b> (covers Categories 1A, 1B, and 2)	NR	2 <sup>b</sup>		<b>Warning</b>	Causes skin irritation.
<b>Eye Damage/Irritation</b> (covers Categories 1, 2A and 2B)	1	1 <sup>c</sup>		<b>Danger</b>	Causes severe eye damage.

\* NR Not Rated - Available data does not meet criteria for classification.

The Toxicological data listed below are presented regardless to classification criteria. Individual hazard classification categories where the toxicological information has met or exceeded a classification criteria threshold are listed above.

a. No LC<sub>50</sub> or LD<sub>50</sub> has been established for **Waste Pickle Liquor**. The following data has been determined for the components:

- **Iron Oxide:** Rat LD<sub>50</sub> = 700 mg/kg  
Rabbit LD<sub>50</sub> = 900 mg/kg
- **Ferrous Chloride:** Rat LD<sub>50</sub> = 500 mg/kg  
Rat LD<sub>50</sub> = 29.74 mg/kg (REACH)  
Rat LD<sub>50</sub> = 450 mg/kg Toxnet

b. No Skin (Dermal) Irritation data available for **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a mixture. The following Skin (Dermal) Irritation data has been determined for the components:

- **Hydrochloric Acid:** Corrosive
- **Ferrous Chloride:** Prolonged skin contact may cause irritation.

c. No Eye Irritation data available for **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a mixture. The following Eye Irritation information was found for the components:

- **Hydrochloric Acid:** Corrosive
- **Ferrous Chloride:** Rabbit: Irreversible effect on eye (Corrosive) (REACH).

d. No Skin (Dermal)/Respiratory Sensitization data available for **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a mixture or its individual components.

e. No Aspiration Hazard data available for **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a mixture or its individual components.

f. No Germ Cell Mutagenicity data available for **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a mixture. The following Germ Cell Mutagenicity information was found for the components:

- **Hydrochloric Acid:** Not active. Any positive responses seen as pH artifacts.

g. Carcinogenicity: IARC, NTP, and OSHA do not list **Waste Pickle Liquor** as carcinogens. The following Carcinogenicity information was found for the components:

- **Hydrochloric Acid:** IARC-3, unclassifiable as to carcinogenicity in humans; ACGIH TLV-A4, not classifiable as a human carcinogen

h. No Toxic Reproduction data available for **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a mixture or its individual components.

i. No Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) following a Single Exposure data available for **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a mixture. The following STOT following a Single Exposure data was found for the components:

- **Hydrochloric Acid:** HSDB reports respiratory tract and gastrointestinal tract irritation or corrosion.
- **Ferrous Chloride:** HSDB reports damage occurs in blood vessels in poisoning.

j. No Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) following Repeated Exposure data was available for **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a whole. The following STOT following Repeated Exposure data was found for the components:

- **Hydrochloric Acid:** Respiratory tract irritation observed at 10 ppm and above.

The above toxicity information was determined from available scientific sources to illustrate the prevailing posture of the scientific community. The scientific resources includes: The American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienist (ACGIH) Documentation of the Threshold Limit Values (TLVs) and Biological Exposure indices (BEIs) with Other Worldwide Occupational Exposure Values 2020, The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC), The National Toxicology Program (NTP) updated documentation, the World Health Organization (WHO) and other available resources, the International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID), European Union Risk Assessment Report (EU-RAR), Concise International Chemical Assessment Documents (CICAD), European Union Scientific Committee for Occupational Exposure Limits (EU-SCOEL), Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR), Hazardous Substance Data Bank (HSDB), and International Programme on Chemical Safety (IPCS).

The following health hazard information is provided regardless to classification criteria and is based on the individual component(s):

**Acute Effects by Component:**

- **FERROUS CHLORIDE:** Signs and symptoms of severe poisoning with large amounts of ferrous salts consist of abdominal pain, diarrhea, or vomiting brown or bloody stomach contents, pallor or cyanosis, lassitude, drowsiness, hyperventilation due to acidosis, and cardiovascular collapse. If death does not occur within 6 hours, there may be a transient period of apparent recovery, followed by death in 12 to 24 hours. The corrosive injury to the stomach may result in subsequent pyloric stenosis or gastric scarring. Hemorrhagic gastroenteritis and hepatic damage are prominent findings at autopsy.

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**Acute Effects by Component (continued):**

- **HYDROCHLORIC ACID:** The toxicity of HCl is related to exposure to high concentrations of acid. The acid causes irritation to skin, eyes, respiratory tract and other exposed areas. Skin and eye Irritation of HCl aqueous solutions are dependent on concentration of HCl. Aqueous solutions of HCl up to 10% were not irritating to skin in rabbits. However, a 15% solution and higher was corrosive to rabbit skin. Aqueous solutions of HCl of 10% and over were corrosive to Eye irritation. However, in humans, a 4% solution was slightly irritating to skin of humans.

**Delayed (chronic) Effects by Component:**

- **FERROUS CHLORIDE:** Repeated ingestion may cause liver damage.
- **HYDROGEN CHLORIDE:** Respiratory tract irritation observed at 10 ppm and above in repeat-dose inhalation studies.

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

**12(a) Ecotoxicity (aquatic & terrestrial):** No Data Available for the product, **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a whole

**12(b) Persistence & Degradability:** No Data Available

**12(c) Bioaccumulative Potential:** No Data Available

**12(d) Mobility (in soil):** No Data Available

**12(e) Other Adverse Effects:** None Known

**Additional Information:**

**Hazard Category:** No Category

**Signal Word:** No Signal Word

**Hazard Symbol:** No Hazard Symbol

**Hazard Statement:** No Hazard Statement

## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

**Disposal:** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/international regulations.

**Container Cleaning and Disposal:** Follow applicable federal, state and local regulations. Observe safe handling precautions. European Waste Catalogue (EWC): 11 01 05 (waste pickling acids), 16 03 (off specification batches and unused products).

**Please note this information is for Waste Pickle Liquor in its original form. Any alterations can void this information.**

## Section 14 - Transport Information

**14 (a-g) Transportation Information:**

**US Department of Transportation (DOT)** under 49 CFR 172.101 regulates **Ferrous Chloride, solution** as a hazardous material. All federal, state, and local laws and regulations that apply to the transport of this type of material must be adhered to.

<p><b>Shipping Name:</b> Ferrous chloride, solution  <b>Shipping Symbols:</b> D  <b>Hazard Class:</b> 8  <b>UN No.:</b> NA1760  <b>Packing Group:</b> II  <b>DOT/IMO Label:</b> 8  <b>Special Provisions (172.102):</b> B3,IB2, T11, TP2, TP27</p>	<p><b>Packaging Authorizations:</b>  <b>a) Exceptions:</b> 154  <b>b) Non-bulk:</b> 202  <b>c) Bulk:</b> 242</p>	<p><b>Quantity Limitations:</b>  <b>a) Passenger, Aircraft, or Railcar:</b> 1L  <b>b) Cargo Aircraft Only:</b> 30L  <b>Vessel Stowage Requirements</b>  <b>a) Vessel Stowage:</b> B  <b>b) Other:</b> 40  <b>DOT Reportable Quantities:</b> NA</p>
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**International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) and the Regulations Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail (RID)** classification, packaging and shipping requirements follow the US DOT Hazardous Materials Regulation.

**Regulations Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR)** regulates **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a hazardous material.

<p><b>Shipping Name:</b> Corrosive Liquid, N.O.S.  <b>Classification Code:</b> 8  <b>UN No.:</b> UN1760  <b>Packing Group:</b> II  <b>ADR Label:</b> NA  <b>Special Provisions:</b> 274  <b>Limited Quantities:</b> 1L</p>	<p><b>Packaging:</b>  <b>a) Packing Instructions:</b> P001  <b>b) Special Packing Provisions:</b> NA  <b>c) Mixed Packing Provisions:</b> NA</p>	<p><b>Portable Tanks &amp; Bulk Containers:</b>  <b>a) Instructions:</b> T11  <b>b) Special Provisions:</b> TP2, TP27</p>
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**International Air Transport Association (IATA)** regulates **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a hazardous material.

<p><b>Shipping Name:</b> Corrosive Liquid, N.O.S.  <b>Class/Division:</b> 8  <b>Hazard Label (s):</b> Corrosive  <b>UN No.:</b> UN1760  <b>Packing Group:</b> II  <b>Excepted Quantities (EQ):</b> E2</p>	<b>Passenger &amp; Cargo Aircraft</b>		<p><b>Cargo Aircraft Only:</b>  <b>Pkg Inst:</b> 812  <b>Max Net Qty/Pkg:</b>                      30L</p>	<p><b>Special Provisions:</b>                      NA  <b>ERG Code:</b> 8L</p>
	<b>Limited Quantity (EQ)</b>			
	<b>Pkg Inst:</b> Y808	<b>Pkg Inst:</b> 808		
	<b>Max Net Qty/Pkg:</b> 0.5 L	<b>Max Net Qty/Pkg:</b> 1L		

Pkg Inst – Packing Instructions

Max Net Qty/Pkg – Maximum Net Quantity per Package

ERG – Emergency Response Drill Code

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**Transport Dangerous Goods (TDG) Classification:** Waste Pickle Liquor does not have a TDG classification.

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

**Regulatory Information:** *The following listing of regulations relating to a U. S. Steel product may not be complete and should not be solely relied upon for all regulatory compliance responsibilities.*

This product and/or its constituents are subject to the following regulations:

**SARA Potential Hazard Categories:** Immediate Acute Health Hazard, delayed Chronic Health Hazard

**Section 313 Supplier Notification:** The product, **Waste Pickle Liquor** is subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372:

CAS #	Chemical Name	Percent by Weight
7647-01-0	Hydrochloric Acid	7.0 max

**State Regulations:** The product, **Waste Pickle Liquor** as a whole is listed in state regulations.

California Prop. 65: NA This product does not contain chemicals which is known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity. For more information go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

**Other Regulations:**

**WHMIS Classification (Canadian):** The product, **Waste Pickle Liquor** is not listed as a whole. However individual components are listed.

Ingredients	WHMIS Classification
Hydrochloric Acid	Skin corrosion / irritation - Category 1 (Strong acid: pH of a 37.1% solution <= 0.1); Serious eye damage / eye irritation - Category 1 (Strong acid: pH of a 37.1% solution <= 0.1); Health hazards not otherwise classified (corrosion) - Category 1
Ferrous Chloride	Acute toxicity - oral - Category 4; Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Category 1

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

## Section 16 - Other Information

**Prepared By:** United States Steel Corporation

**Revision History:**

11/06/2020 – Update to sections 2, 8, 11, 15  
07/01/2017 – Update WHMIS 2015  
7/10/2014 - Update to OSHA HAZ COM 2012  
6/28/2011 – Update of content and format to comply with GHS

**Expiration Date:** 11/06/2023

11/25/1986 - Original

**Additional Information:**

**Hazardous Material Identification System (HMIS) Classification**

Health Hazard	3
Fire Hazard	0
Physical Hazard	1

HEALTH= 3, \* Major injury likely unless prompt action is taken and medical treatment is given.

FIRE= 0, Materials that will not burn.

PHYSICAL HAZARDS =1, Materials that are normally stable but can become unstable (self-react) at high temperatures and pressures.

**National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)**



HEALTH = 3, Short exposure could cause serious temporary or residual injury even though prompt medical attention was given.

FIRE = 0, Materials that will not burn.

INSTABILITY = 1, Normally stable, but can become unstable at elevated temperatures and pressures or may react with water with some release of energy, but not violently.

**ABBREVIATIONS/ACRONYMS:**

<b>ACGIH</b>	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists	<b>NIF</b>	No Information Found
<b>BEIs</b>	Biological Exposure Indices	<b>NIOSH</b>	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
<b>CAS</b>	Chemical Abstracts Service	<b>NTP</b>	National Toxicology Program
<b>CERCLA</b>	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act	<b>ORC</b>	Organization Resources Counselors
<b>CFR</b>	Code of Federal Regulations	<b>OSHA</b>	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
<b>CNS</b>	Central Nervous System	<b>PEL</b>	Permissible Exposure Limit
<b>GI, GIT</b>	Gastro-Intestinal, Gastro-Intestinal Tract	<b>PNOR</b>	Particulate Not Otherwise Regulated
<b>HMIS</b>	Hazardous Materials Identification System	<b>PNOC</b>	Particulate Not Otherwise Classified
<b>IARC</b>	International Agency for Research on Cancer	<b>PPE</b>	Personal Protective Equipment
<b>LC50</b>	Median Lethal Concentration	<b>ppm</b>	parts per million
<b>LD50</b>	Median Lethal Dose	<b>RCRA</b>	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
<b>LD<sub>Lo</sub></b>	Lowest Dose to have killed animals or humans	<b>RTECS</b>	Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances

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## Section 16 - Other Information (continued)

### ABBREVIATIONS/ACRONYMS (continued):

<b>LEL</b>	Lower Explosive Limit	<b>SARA</b>	Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act
<b>µg/m<sup>3</sup></b>	microgram per cubic meter of air	<b>SCBA</b>	Self-contained Breathing Apparatus
<b>mg/m<sup>3</sup></b>	milligram per cubic meter of air	<b>STEL</b>	Short-term Exposure Limit
<b>mppcf</b>	million particles per cubic foot	<b>TLV</b>	Threshold Limit Value
<b>SDS</b>	Safety Data Sheet	<b>TWA</b>	Time-weighted Average
<b>MSHA</b>	Mine Safety and Health Administration	<b>UEL</b>	Upper Explosive Limit
<b>NFPA</b>	National Fire Protection Association		

**Disclaimer:** This information is taken from sources or based upon data believed to be reliable. However, United States Steel Corporation makes no warranty as to the absolute correctness or sufficiency of any of the foregoing or that additional or other measures may not be required under particular conditions.