

**Physical Properties** 

## **AP PERA-5 (Antimicrobial Solution)**

EPA Number: 63838-1-83106

Applications	Food grade sanitizer used in the dairy, food and beverage processing industry for

CIP pipeline cleaning, sanitizing, bottle and filler sanitizing, and disinfection. It is also used in the treatment of cooling water, process and wastewater. Additional uses are for slime and biofouling control, sulfite and odor reduction, and for cleaning UF and RO membranes. Peroxyacetic acid solutions are also used for

disinfection in human and veterinary applications including hospitals.

**Properties**AP PERA-5 has a high oxidation potential and is very reactive. It exhibits

excellent bactericidal and fungicidal activity against a wide range of

microorganisms in cold or warm water. Product is stable for a minimum of 1 year under normal conditions. It ultimately degrades to oxygen, water, and acetic acid

(vinegar).

**Chemical Composition** AP PERA-5 is an equilibrium mixture of peracetic acid, hydrogen peroxide, acetic

acid, proprietary ingredients, and water.

Peracetic acid (% wt.)	5.5-5.9
H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> (% wt.)	25.0-27.4
Acetic acid (% wt.)	7-8
Density 20°C (68°F), (g/ml)	1.12
Vapor Pressure 20°C (68°F), (mbar) pH 10% solution, 20°C (68 °F) pH 1% solution, 20°C (68 °F)	27 1.8 2.8

Flash Point (DIN 51584) > 98° C (207° F)
Freezing Point <-12° C (10° F)

**Appearance** Clear, colorless liquid (pungent vinegar-like odor)

Storage The AP PERA-5 container must be stored in an upright position. The

storage area should be well ventilated and **shaded from sunlight** as well as protected from sources of radiant heat. Contamination of the product, especially

heavy metal ions and alkali, must be avoided.

**Shelf Life** At least one year without notable loss of active oxygen if stored properly.

Packaging 5 gal (45 lb), 53 gal (500 lb), 220 gal (2050 lb), 300 gal (2800 lb).

Available in HDPE plastic pails, drums, and totes.

**Transport (DOT)** Oxidizing liquid, corrosive, n.o.s. (contains hydrogen peroxide and peroxyacetic

acid mixture, stabilized), 5.1 (8), UN 3098, PG II

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