

SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Buffer Solution, pH 2.0
Catalog Number: 45233

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(Medical and Transportation)
(303) 623-5716 24 Hour Service
(515)232-2533 8am - 4pm CST

MSDS Number: M00489
Chemical Name: Not applicable
CAS Number: Not applicable
Additional CAS No. (for hydrated forms): Not applicable
Chemical Formula: Not applicable
Chemical Family: Mixture
Intended Use: Buffer Standard solution

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification:
Hazard categories: Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation: Eye Dam. 1

GHS Label Elements:
DANGER



Hazard statements: Causes serious eye damage.
Precautionary statements: Wear protective gloves / protective clothing / eye protection / face protection. 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.

HMIS:
Health: 3
Flammability: 0
Reactivity: 0
Protective Equipment: X - See protective equipment, Section 8.

NFPA:
Health: 3
Flammability: 0
Reactivity: 0
Symbol: Not applicable
WHMIS Hazard Classification: Class D, Division 2, Subdivision B - Toxic material (other toxic effects)
WHMIS Symbols: Other Toxic Effects

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous Components according to GHS:

Sodium Bisulfate

CAS Number: 7681-38-1
Chemical Formula: NaHSO₄

GHS Classification: Acute Tox. 5-Orl, H303; Eye Dam. 1, H318
Percent Range (Trade Secret): 10-15
Percent Range Units: weight / weight
PEL: 15 mg/m³ as total dust; 5 mg/m³ as respirable dust
TLV: 10 mg/m³ as inhalable dust; 3 mg/m³ as respirable dust

WHMIS Symbols: Corrosive

Hazardous Components according to GHS: No
Demineralized Water

CAS Number: 7732-18-5
Chemical Formula: H₂O
GHS Classification: Not a dangerous substance according to GHS.
Percent Range (Trade Secret): 70.0 - 80.0
Percent Range Units: weight / weight
PEL: Not established
TLV: Not established

WHMIS Symbols: Not applicable

Sodium Sulfate

CAS Number: 7757-82-6
Chemical Formula: Na₂SO₄
GHS Classification: Aquatic Acute 3, H402
Percent Range (Trade Secret): 10.0 - 20.0
Percent Range Units: weight / volume
PEL: 15 mg/m³ as inhalable dust; 5 mg/m³ as respirable dust
TLV: 10 mg/m³ as inhalable dust; 3 mg/m³ as respirable dust

WHMIS Symbols: Not applicable

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General Information: In the event of exposure, show this Material Safety Data Sheet and label (where possible) to a doctor.

Advice to doctor: Treat symptomatically.

Eye Contact: Immediately flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Call physician.

Skin Contact (First Aid): Remove contaminated clothing. Wash skin with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Call physician immediately.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air.

Ingestion (First Aid): Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Give 1-2 glasses of water. Call physician immediately.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties: Material is not classified as flammable according to GHS criteria. Material will not burn.

Fire Fighting Instruction: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand and full protective gear.

Extinguishing Media: Use media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions

Extinguishing Media NOT To Be Used: Not applicable

Fire / Explosion Hazards: None reported

Hazardous Combustion Products: This material will not burn.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spill Response Notice:

Only persons properly qualified to respond to an emergency involving hazardous substances may respond to a spill according to federal regulations (OSHA 29 CFR 1910.120(a)(v)) and per your company's emergency response plan and guidelines/procedures. See Section 13, Special Instructions for disposal assistance. Outside of the US, only persons properly qualified according to state or local regulations should respond to a spill involving chemicals.

Containment Technique: Absorb spilled liquid with non-reactive sorbent material. Stop spilled material from being released to the environment.

Clean-up Technique: Cover spilled material with an alkali, such as soda ash or sodium bicarbonate. Scoop up slurry into a large beaker. Adjust to a pH between 6 and 9 with an alkali, such as soda ash or sodium bicarbonate. If permitted by regulation, Flush reacted material to the drain with a large excess of water. Otherwise, Decontaminate the area of the spill with a soap solution. Pick up spill for disposal and place in a closed container. Dispose of in accordance with local, state and federal regulations or laws.

Evacuation Procedure: Evacuate as needed to perform spill clean-up. If conditions warrant, increase the size of the evacuation.

DOT Emergency Response Guide Number: Not applicable

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Avoid contact with eyes skin clothing Wash thoroughly after handling. Maintain general industrial hygiene practices when using this product.

Storage: Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

Flammability Class: Not applicable

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Controls: Maintain general industrial hygiene practices when using this product.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Eye Protection: chemical splash goggles

Skin Protection: lab coat nitrile gloves In the EU, the selected gloves must satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and standard EN 374 derived from it.

Inhalation Protection: adequate ventilation

Precautionary Measures: Avoid contact with: eyes skin clothing Wash thoroughly after handling. Protect from: freezing

TLV: Not established

PEL: Not established

For Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL) for ingredients, see section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients.:

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Clear, colorless liquid

Physical State: Liquid

Molecular Weight: Not applicable

Odor: Odorless

Odor Threshold: Not applicable

pH: 2.0 @ 20 °C (68 °F)

Metal Corrosivity:

Corrosivity Classification: Not classified as corrosive to metals according to GHS criteria.

Steel: 0.124 in/yr

Aluminum: 0.012 in/yr

Specific Gravity/ Relative Density (water = 1; air =1): 1.198

Viscosity: Not determined

Solubility:

Water: Soluble

Acid: Soluble

Other: Not determined

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol / water): Not applicable

Coefficient of Water / Oil: Not applicable

Melting Point: Estimation: -10 °C (14 °F)

Decomposition Temperature: Not applicable
Boiling Point: Estimation: 103 °C (217 °F)
Vapor Pressure: Estimation: 16.84 mm Hg (2.19 kPa) at 20 °C (68 °F)
Vapor Density (air = 1): 0.62
Evaporation Rate (water = 1): 0.54
Volatile Organic Compounds Content: Not applicable
Flammable Properties: Material is not classified as flammable according to GHS criteria. Material will not burn.
Flash Point: Not applicable
Method: Not applicable
Flammability Limits:
Lower Explosion Limits: Not applicable
Upper Explosion Limits: Not applicable
Autoignition Temperature: Not applicable
Explosive Properties:
Not classified according to GHS criteria.
Oxidizing Properties:
Not classified according to GHS criteria.
Reactivity Properties:
Not classified as self-reactive, pyrophoric, self-heating or emitting flammable gases in contact with water according to GHS criteria.
Gas under Pressure:
Not classified according to GHS criteria.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability: Stable when stored under proper conditions.
Mechanical Impact: None reported
Static Discharge: None reported.
Reactivity / Incompatibility: May react violently in contact with: calcium hypochlorite strong acids strong bases
Hazardous Decomposition: Toxic fumes of: sodium oxides sulfur oxides
Conditions to Avoid: Evaporation Extreme temperatures Excessive heat Contact with acid or acid fumes

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicokinetics, Metabolism and Distribution: No information available for mixture.
Toxicologically Synergistic Products: None reported
Acute Toxicity: Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE) - Calculated from Ingredient Toxicity Data Practically Non-toxic
Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure (STOT-SE): Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeat Exposure (STOT-RE): Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
Eye Damage: Corrosive to eyes.
Sensitization: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
CMR Effects/Properties (carcinogenic, mutagenic or toxic to reproduction): Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
This product does NOT contain any IARC listed chemicals.
This product does NOT contain any NTP listed chemicals.
This product does NOT contain any OSHA listed carcinogens.
Symptoms/Effects:
Ingestion: May cause: gastrointestinal tract irritation nausea diarrhea vomiting
Inhalation: No effects anticipated
Skin Absorption: None Reported
Chronic Effects: Chronic overexposure may cause irritation
Medical Conditions Aggravated: Pre-existing: Eye conditions

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Ecological Information: --

No ecological data available for this product. Based on classification principles, not classified as hazardous to the environment. No bioaccumulation potential. Mobility in soil: Highly mobile.

Ingredient Ecological Information: --

Ecological data for ingredients is not indicative of likely ecological harm.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

EPA Waste ID Number: Not applicable

Special Instructions (Disposal): Dilute to 3 to 5 times the volume with cold water. Adjust to a pH between 6 and 9 with an alkali, such as soda ash or sodium bicarbonate. If permitted by regulation, Open cold water tap completely, slowly pour the reacted material to the drain. Otherwise, Check with national, local municipal and state authorities and waste contractors for pertinent local information on the disposal of this article.

Empty Containers: Working in a well-ventilated area, Rinse three times with an appropriate solvent. Collect rinsate and dispose of according to local, state or federal regulations. In the US, rinsate from empty containers is classified as hazardous waste and should be disposed of at an E.P. A. approved facility. Rinsate from empty containers may contain sufficient product to require disposal as hazardous waste. Dispose of empty container as normal trash.

NOTICE (Disposal): These disposal guidelines are based on federal regulations and may be superseded by more stringent state or local requirements. Please consult your local environmental regulators for more information. In Europe: Chemical and analysis solutions must be disposed of in compliance with the respective national regulations. Product packaging must be disposed of in compliance with the country-specific regulations or must be passed to a packaging return system.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

D.O.T.:

D.O.T. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA

Subsidiary Risk: NA

ID Number: NA

Packing Group: NA

T.D.G.:

Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA

Subsidiary Risk: NA

UN Number/PIN: NA

Packing Group: NA

I.C.A.O.:

I.C.A.O. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA

Subsidiary Risk: NA

ID Number: NA

Packing Group: NA

I.M.O.:

Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA

Subsidiary Risk: NA

ID Number: NA

Packing Group: NA

Marine Pollutant:

Additional Information: There is a possibility that this product could be contained in a reagent set or kit composed of various compatible dangerous goods. If the item is NOT in a set or kit, the classification given above applies. If the item IS part of a set or kit, the classification would change to the following: UN3316 Chemical Kit, Class 9, PG II or III. If the item is not regulated, the Chemical Kit classification does not apply.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. Federal Regulations:

O.S.H.A.: This product meets the criteria for a hazardous substance as defined in the Hazard Communication Standard. (29 CFR 1910.1200)

E.P.A.:

S.A.R.A. Title III Section 311/312 Categorization (40 CFR 370): Immediate (Acute) Health Hazard

S.A.R.A. Title III Section 313 (40 CFR 372): This product does NOT contain any chemical subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of SARA.

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302 (EHS) TPQ (40 CFR 355): Not applicable

304 CERCLA RQ (40 CFR 302.4): Not applicable

304 EHS RQ (40 CFR 355): Not applicable

Clean Water Act (40 CFR 116.4): Not applicable

RCRA: Contains RCRA regulated substances. See Section 13, EPA Waste ID Number.

State Regulations:

California Prop. 65: No Prop. 65 listed chemicals are present in this product.

Identification of Prop. 65 Ingredient(s): None

California Perchlorate Rule CCR Title 22 Chap 33: Not applicable

Trade Secret Registry: Not applicable

National Inventories:

U.S. Inventory Status: All ingredients in this product are listed on the TSCA 8(b) Inventory (40 CFR 710).

CAS Number: Not applicable

Canadian Inventory Status: All ingredients of this product are DSL Listed.

EEC Inventory Status: All ingredients used to make this product are listed on EINECS / ELINCS.

Australian Inventory (AICS) Status: All ingredients are listed.

New Zealand Inventory (NZIoC) Status: All components either listed or exempt.

Korean Inventory (KECI) Status: All components of this product are either listed, listed as the anhydrous compound or exempt.

Japan (ENCS) Inventory Status: All components either listed or exempt.

China (PRC) Inventory (MEP) Status: All components either listed or exempt.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

References: 29 CFR 1900 - 1910 (Code of Federal Regulations - Labor). Air Contaminants, Federal Register, Vol. 54, No. 12. Thursday, January 19, 1989. pp. 2332-2983. TLV's Threshold Limit Values and Biological Exposure Indices for 1992-1993. American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, 1992. Technical Judgment. Fire Protection Guide on Hazardous Materials, 10th Ed. Quincy, MA: National Fire Protection Association, 1991. In-house information.

Complete Text of H phrases referred to in Section 3: H318 Causes serious eye damage. Not applicable

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CCOHS Evaluation Note: It is offered under the interim policy that was established by Health Canada permitting use of GHS-formatted safety data sheets in Canada prior to revision of CPR to GHS. This product has been classified and labeled in accordance with the requirements of GHS (ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.3).

Legend:

NA - Not Applicable	w/w - weight/weight
ND - Not Determined	w/v - weight/volume
NV - Not Available	v/v - volume/volume

USER RESPONSIBILITY: Each user should read and understand this information and incorporate it in individual site safety programs in accordance with applicable hazard communication standards and regulations.

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