

**Safety Data Sheet**

according to 29CFR1910/1200 and GHS Rev. 3

**Initial preparation date:** : 01.12.2015**Fehlings Solution B****SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the supplier****Product name:** Fehlings Solution B**Manufacturer/Supplier Article number:** FE9010SS**Recommended uses of the product and restrictions on use:** Laboratory Chemicals**Manufacturer Details:**

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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****Classification of the substance or mixture:****Corrosive**

Serious eye damage, category 1  
Skin corrosion, category 1A

**Health hazard**

Carcinogenicity, category 2

Skin Corr. 1.

Corrosive to metals. 1.

Eye corr. 1.

**Signal word:** Danger**Hazard statements:**

May be corrosive to metals.

Causes serious eye damage.

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Very toxic to aquatic life.

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary statements:**

If medical advice is needed have product container or label at hand.

Keep out of reach of children.

Read label before use.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Use personal protective equipment as required.

Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing.

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

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IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/container.

**Other Non-GHS Classification:** None**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****Ingredients:**

| <b>Ingredients:</b>       |                                |        |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|--------|
| CAS 7732-18-5             | Deionized Water                | 40.4 % |
| CAS 1310-58-3             | Potassium Hydroxide            | 25 %   |
| CAS 6381-59-5             | Potassium Sodium Tartrate, ACS | 34.6 % |
| Percentages are by weight |                                |        |

**SECTION 4: First aid measures****Description of first aid measures****After inhalation:**

Move exposed individual to fresh air. Loosen clothing as necessary and position individual in a comfortable position. Seek medical advice if discomfort or irritation persists.

**After skin contact:**

Wash hands and exposed skin with soap and plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Immediately get medical assistance if irritation occurs.

**After eye contact:**

Protect unexposed eye. Immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes. Immediately get medical assistance. Remove contact lens(es) if able to do so during rinsing.

**After swallowing:**

Rinse mouth thoroughly. Do not induce vomiting. Dilute mouth with water. Immediately get medical assistance.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:**

Irritation. Nausea. Headache. Shortness of breath.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:**

If seeking medical attention, provide SDS document to physician.

**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing agents:**

If in laboratory setting, follow laboratory fire suppression procedures. Use appropriate fire suppression agents for adjacent combustible materials or sources of ignition. Use water, dry chemical, chemical foam, carbon dioxide, or alcohol-resistant foam.

**Unsuitable extinguishing agents:**

Do NOT use water directly on fire.

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Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

**Advice for firefighters:****Protective equipment:**

Use normal procedures. Use protective clothing. Use NIOSH approved breathing equipment.

**Additional information (precautions):**

Move product containers away from fire or keep cool with water spray as a protective measure, where feasible. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:**

Wear protective equipment. Use respiratory protective device against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol. Keep unprotected persons away. Ensure adequate ventilation.

**Environmental precautions:**

Prevent from reaching drains, sewer or waterway. Collect contaminated soil for characterization per Section 13.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**

If in a laboratory setting, follow Chemical Hygiene Plan procedures. Always obey local regulations. Neutralize with suitable material. Place into properly labeled containers for recovery or disposal. If necessary use trained response staff or contractor. Wear protective eyewear, gloves, and clothing. Absorb with suitable material and containerize for disposal.

**Reference to other sections:** None**SECTION 7: Handling and storage****Precautions for safe handling:**

Prevent formation of aerosols. Use only in well ventilated areas. Avoid splashes or spray in enclosed areas. Wash hands after handling. Follow good hygiene procedures when handling chemical materials. Refer to Section 8.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:**

Store away from oxidizing agents. Protect from freezing and physical damage. Provide ventilation for containers. Avoid storage near extreme heat, ignition sources or open flame. Store away from foodstuffs. Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers. Store with like hazards.

**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection****Control parameters:**

**Appropriate engineering controls:** Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of use/handling. Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapor or mists below the applicable workplace exposure limits (Occupational Exposure Limits-OELs) indicated above.

**Respiratory protection:** Not required under normal conditions of use. Use suitable respiratory protective device when high concentrations are present. Use suitable respiratory protective device when aerosol or mist is formed. For spills, respiratory protection may be advisable. Use under a fume hood.

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| <b>Protection of skin:</b>        | The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation being used/handled. Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation.   |
| <b>Eye protection:</b>            | Safety glasses with side shields or goggles.   |
| <b>General hygienic measures:</b> | The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals. Before re-wearing, wash contaminated clothing. Keep away from food, beverages and feed sources. Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Do not inhale gases/fumes/dust/mist/vapor/aerosols. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin. Wash hands and exposed skin with soap and plenty of water. Perform routine housekeeping to prevent dust generation. |

**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

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| <b>Appearance (physical state, color):</b> | Clear, colorless liquid | <b>Explosion limit lower:</b>                   | Not determined   |
|  |                         | <b>Explosion limit upper:</b>                   | Not determined   |
| <b>Odor:</b>                               | Odorless                | <b>Vapor pressure at 20°C:</b>                  | Not determined   |
| <b>Odor threshold:</b>                     | Not determined          | <b>Vapor density:</b>                           | >1   |
| <b>pH-value:</b>                           | Strongly basic          | <b>Relative density:</b>                        | Not determined   |
| <b>Melting/Freezing point:</b>             | Approx 0° C             | <b>Solubilities:</b>                            | Soluble in water.  |
| <b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b>        | Approx 100° C           | <b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b> | Not determined   |
| <b>Flash point (closed cup):</b>           | Not determined          | <b>Auto/Self-ignition temperature:</b>          | Not determined   |
| <b>Evaporation rate:</b>                   | Not determined          | <b>Decomposition temperature:</b>               | Not determined   |
| <b>Flammability (solid, gaseous):</b>      | Not determined          | <b>Viscosity:</b>                               | a. Kinematic: Not determined<br>b. Dynamic: Not determined |
| <b>Density at 20°C:</b>                    | 1.24                    |   |  |
| <b>Hydrochloric Acid</b>                   | MW is36.46              |   |  |

**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity****Reactivity:**

None under normal processing.

**Chemical stability:**

No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.

**Possible hazardous reactions:**

None under normal processing.

**Conditions to avoid:**

Incompatible materials. Excess heat.

**Incompatible materials:**

Oxides of potassium, oxides of sodium, oxides of carbon.

**Hazardous decomposition products:**

Fumes of hydrogen chloride and hydrogen in contact with metals. Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Hydrogen Chloride gas. Ammonia (NH3). Oxides of carbon.

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May cause irritation, redness, pain, itching. Hydrochloric acid.

**Serious eye damage/irritation:**

May cause irritation, redness, pain, itching, and damage. Hydrochloric acid.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** No additional information.**Carcinogenicity:****Hydroxylammonium Chloride:** Suspected human carcinogens.**Germ cell mutagenicity:**

Rat: Embryo Morphological transformation.

Hamster: Lungs Sister chromatid exchange

**Reproductive Toxicity:** No additional information.**STOT-single and repeated exposure:** No additional information.**Additional toxicological information:**

No additional information.

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****Ecotoxicity:** No additional information.**Persistence and degradability:**

Readily degradable in the environment.

**Bioaccumulative potential:**

Not expected to bio accumulate.

**Mobility in soil:**

Aqueous solution has high mobility in soil.

**Other adverse effects:** No additional information.**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****Waste disposal recommendations:**

Cover spill with soda ash or calcium carbonate. Mix and add water to form slurry. Decant to drain. Treat the solid residue as normal refuse. All chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as hazardous waste. Comply with all local, state, and federal regulations. Do not allow product to reach sewage system or open water. Consult federal state/ provincial and local regulations regarding the proper disposal of waste material that may incorporate some amount of this product. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

**SECTION 14: Transport information****US DOT**

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**Limited Quantity Exception:**

None

**Bulk:****RQ (if applicable):** None**Proper shipping Name:** Potassium Hydroxide Solution.**Hazard Class:** 8**Packing Group:** II.**Marine Pollutant (if applicable):** No additional information.**Comments:** None**Non Bulk:****RQ (if applicable):** None**Proper shipping Name:** Potassium Hydroxide Solution.**Hazard Class:** 8**Packing Group:** II.**Marine Pollutant (if applicable):** No additional information.**Comments:** None**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****United States (USA)****SARA Section 311/312 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

None of the ingredients are listed.

**SARA Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

None of the ingredients are listed.

**RCRA (hazardous waste code):**

None of the ingredients are listed.

**TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) :**

All ingredients are listed.

**CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act):**

1310-58-3 Potassium Hydroxide 1000 lbs.

**Proposition 65 (California):****Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

**Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

**Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

**Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

**Canada****Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) :**

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This product has been classified in accordance with hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations. The responsibility to provide a safe workplace remains with the user. The user should consider the health hazards and safety information contained herein as a guide and should take those precautions required in an individual operation to instruct employees and develop work practice procedures for a safe work environment. The information contained herein is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, accurate. However, since the conditions of handling and use are beyond our control, we make no guarantee of results, and assume no liability for damages incurred by the use of this material. It is the responsibility of the user to comply with all applicable laws and regulations applicable to this material. Note. The responsibility to provide a safe workplace remains with the user. The user should consider the health hazards and safety information contained herein as a guide and should take those precautions required in an individual operation to instruct employees and develop work practice procedures for a safe work environment. The information contained herein is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, accurate. However, since the conditions of handling and use are beyond our control, we make no guarantee of results, and assume no liability for damages incurred by the use of this material. It is the responsibility of the user to comply with all applicable laws and regulations applicable to this material. This product has been classified in accordance with hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations. Note.

**NFPA:** 3-0-0**HMIS:** 3-0-0**GHS Full Text Phrases:** None**Abbreviations and Acronyms:**

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| IMDG  | International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods.                         |
| PNEC. | Predicted No-Effect Concentration (REACH).                               |
| CFR   | Code of Federal Regulations (USA)  |
| SARA  | Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (USA).                      |
| RCRA. | Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (USA).                            |
| TSCA. | Toxic Substances Control Act (USA).                                      |
| NPRI  | National Pollutant Release Inventory (Canada).                           |
| DOT   | US Department of Transportation.   |
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| IATA  | International Air Transport Association.                                 |
| SARA  | Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (USA).                      |
| RCRA. | Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (USA).                            |
| TSCA. | Toxic Substances Control Act (USA).                                      |
| NPRI  | National Pollutant Release Inventory (Canada).                           |
| DOT   | US Department of Transportation.   |
| IATA  | International Air Transport Association.                                 |
| GHS   | Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals. |
| ACGIH | American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists                |
| CAS   | Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society).  |
| NFPA  | National Fire Protection Association (USA).                              |
| GHS   | Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals. |
| HMIS  | Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA).                         |

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DNEL Derived No-Effect Level (REACH).

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