

**Safety Data Sheet**  
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**1 Identification**

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** VMA by Column Test, REAG 3
- **Article number:** 1896054
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** In-Vitro-laboratory reagent or component
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
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**2 Hazard(s) identification**

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
Ox. Sol. 2 H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer.  
Acute Tox. 3 H301 Toxic if swallowed.  
Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.  
Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
The product is classified and labeled according to the CLP regulation.
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS03 GHS06 GHS07

- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**  
sodium periodate
- **Hazard statements**  
H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer.  
H301 Toxic if swallowed.  
H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
H335 May cause respiratory irritation.
- **Precautionary statements**  
P221 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles.  
P210 Keep away from heat.

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P301+P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P305+P351+P338 If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

## · Classification system:

## · NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)



Health = 2

Fire = 3

Reactivity = 0

The substance possesses oxidizing properties.

## · HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)



Health = 2

Fire = 3

Reactivity = 0

## · 2.3 Other hazards

## · Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

· PBT: Not applicable.

· vPvB: Not applicable.

## 3 Composition/information on ingredients

## · 3.2 Chemical characterization: Mixtures

· Description: Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

## · Dangerous components:

7790-28-5 sodium periodate

50-100%

## 4 First-aid measures

## · 4.1 Description of first aid measures

## · General information:

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

· After inhalation: In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

· After skin contact: Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

## · After eye contact:

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

· After swallowing: Immediately call a doctor.

· 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.

· 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No further relevant information available.

## 5 Fire-fighting measures

## · 5.1 Extinguishing media

· Suitable extinguishing agents: Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

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- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

### 6 Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**  
Wear protective clothing.  
Ensure adequate ventilation
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

- **PAC-1:**

7790-28-5 sodium periodate

0.19 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

- **PAC-2:**

7790-28-5 sodium periodate

2.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

- **PAC-3:**

7790-28-5 sodium periodate

13 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

### 7 Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**  
Keep receptacles tightly sealed.  
Provide suction extractors if dust is formed.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Store away from flammable substances.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

### 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**  
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

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### · 8.2 Exposure controls

#### · Personal protective equipment:

#### · General protective and hygienic measures:

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

#### · Breathing equipment:

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.

#### · Protection of hands:



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

#### · Material of gloves

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

#### · Penetration time of glove material

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

#### · Eye protection:



Tightly sealed goggles

#### · Body protection: Protective work clothing

## 9 Physical and chemical properties

### · 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### · General Information

#### · Appearance:

Form: Crystalline

Color: Colorless

· Odor: Odorless

· Odor threshold: Not determined.

· pH-value: Not applicable.

#### · Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: 175 °C (347 °F)

Boiling point/Boiling range: 300 °C (572 °F)

· Flash point: Not applicable.

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· <b>Flammability (solid, gaseous):</b>	Contact with combustible material may cause fire.
· <b>Ignition temperature:</b>	
· <b>Decomposition temperature:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Auto igniting:</b>	Product is not selfigniting.
· <b>Danger of explosion:</b>	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· <b>Explosion limits:</b>	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· <b>Vapor pressure:</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Density at 20 °C (68 °F):</b>	3.87 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (32.29515 lbs/gal)
· <b>Bulk density at 20 °C (68 °F):</b>	2.000-2,400 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
· <b>Relative density</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Vapor density</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Solubility in / Miscibility with Water at 20 °C (68 °F):</b>	91 g/l
· <b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Viscosity:</b>	
Dynamic:	Not applicable.
Kinematic:	Not applicable.
· <b>9.2 Other information</b>	No further relevant information available.

## 10 Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** Reacts with flammable substances.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

## 11 Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**  
Toxic if swallowed.
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:**  
Causes skin irritation.
- **on the eye:**  
Causes serious eye irritation.
- **Sensitization:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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· **Additional toxicological information:**· **Carcinogenic categories**· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

## 12 Ecological information

· **12.1 Toxicity**· **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.· **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.· **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.· **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.· **Additional ecological information:**· **General notes:**

Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

· **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**· **PBT:** Not applicable.· **vPvB:** Not applicable.· **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

## 13 Disposal considerations

· **13.1 Waste treatment methods**· **Recommendation:**

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

· **Uncleaned packagings:**· **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.· **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

## 14 Transport information

· **14.1 UN-Number**· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA** Void· **14.2 UN proper shipping name**· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA** Void· **14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**· **Class** Void· **14.4 Packing group**· **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA** Void

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| <b>· 14.5 Environmental hazards:</b>   |                 |
| <b>· Marine pollutant:</b>   | No              |
| <b>· 14.6 Special precautions for user</b>   | Not applicable. |
| <b>· Stowage Category</b>  | B               |
| <b>· 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code</b> | Not applicable. |
| <b>· UN "Model Regulation":</b>  | Void            |

### 15 Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Sara**

- **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredient is listed.

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

None of the ingredients is listed.

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

All ingredients are listed.

- **Proposition 65**

- **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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

None of the ingredients is listed.

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

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Carcinogenicity categories**

- **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.**

### 16 Other information

*This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.*

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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation

ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organisation" (ICAO)

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

Ox. Sol. 2: Oxidizing solids – Category 2

Acute Tox. 3: Acute toxicity – Category 3

Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2

Eye Irrit. 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2A

STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3

· **\* Data compared to the previous version altered.**