

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

Product identifier

Foresight Nuvia HR-S Media (Columns, Plates, Robocolumn units) **Product Name**

Catalogue Number(s) 7324723, 7324743, 7324707, 7324831, 7324832, 10040962

Other means of identification

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Laboratory chemicals

Uses advised against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

GHS Classification

Flammable liquids Category 3 (HSNO - 3.1C)

Label elements



Signal word Warning

Hazard statements

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapour

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Ground and bond container and receiving equipment

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Use non-sparking tools

Take action to prevent static discharges

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking

Keep container tightly closed

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

Precautionary Statements - Response

Skin

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower]

Fire

In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Other hazards which do not result in classification

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%
Ethyl alcohol	64-17-5	10 - 20
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Non-hazardous ingredients Proprietary Balance

SECTION 4: First aid measures

Description of first aid measures

General advice No hazards which require special first aid measures.

Inhalation Remove to fresh air.

Eye contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep

eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area.

Skin contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes.

Ingestion Rinse mouth thoroughly with water.

Self-protection of the first aider Remove all sources of ignition. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s)

involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Use

personal protective equipment as required. See section 8 for more information.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to doctors Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Water spray. Alcohol resistant foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

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chemical

Risk of ignition. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

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Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. See

section 8 for more information. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Pay attention to flashback. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. All equipment used when handling the

product must be grounded. Do not touch or walk through spilled material.

Other information Ventilate the area.

For emergency responders

Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8. Prevent further leakage or spillage

if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containmentStop leak if you can do it without risk. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. A

vapour suppressing foam may be used to reduce vapours. Dyke far ahead of spill to collect run-off water. Keep out of drains, sewers, ditches and waterways. Absorb with earth, sand

or other non-combustible material and transfer to containers for later disposal.

Methods for cleaning up Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Dam up. Soak up with inert

absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers.

Precautions to prevent secondary hazards

Prevention of secondary hazards Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

vapours or mists. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Use grounding and bonding connection when transferring this material to prevent static discharge, fire or explosion. Use with local exhaust ventilation. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Keep in an area equipped with

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sprinklers. Use according to package label instructions.

General hygiene considerations Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Contaminated work clothing should not

be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from

heat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Keep in properly labelled containers. Do not store near combustible materials. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Store in accordance with the particular national regulations. Store in accordance with local regulations. Store according to product and label

instructions.

Incompatible materialsNone known based on information supplied.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

Exposure Limits

Chemical name	New Zealand	ACGIH TLV	United Kingdom	Australia
Ethyl alcohol 64-17-5	TWA: 1000 ppm	STEL: 1000 ppm	TWA: 1000 ppm	1000 ppm
04-17-5	TWA: 1880 mg/m ³		TWA: 1920 mg/m ³ STEL: 3000 ppm	1880 mg/m ³
			STEL: 5760 mg/m ³	

Biological occupational exposure

limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Tight sealing safety goggles.

Hand protection Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

Skin and body protection Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Chemical resistant apron.

Antistatic boots.

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

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No information available. **Environmental exposure controls**

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Liquid **Appearance** Suspension Colour white Odour Odourless.

Odour threshold No information available

Property Values Remarks • Method

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Melting point / freezing point No data available None known Boiling point / boiling range No data available None known

Flash point 36 °C

No data available **Evaporation rate** None known Flammability (solid, gas) No data available None known Flammability Limit in Air None known

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Vapour pressure No data available None known Vapour density No data available None known Relative density No data available None known

Partially miscible Water solubility Solubility(ies) No data available

None known Partition coefficient No data available None known **Autoignition temperature** No data available None known **Decomposition temperature** None known

Kinematic viscosity No data available **Dynamic viscosity** No data available

Explosive properties Not applicable. **Oxidising properties** Not applicable.

Other information

Molecular weight Not applicable **VOC Content (%)** Not applicable

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

Reactivity No information available.

Chemical stability

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None. Sensitivity to static discharge Yes.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known

None known

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Possibility of hazardous reactions
None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Heat, flames and sparks.

Incompatible materials

Incompatible materialsNone known based on information supplied.

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Acute toxicity

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

Inhalation Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Eye contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Skin contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Ingestion Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Symptoms No information available.

Acute toxicity

Numerical measures of toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral) 36,205.10 mg/kg ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist) 639.50 mg/l

Component Information

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Ethyl alcohol	= 7060 mg/kg (Rat)	-	= 124.7 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritationBased on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity .

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical name	New Zealand	IARC
Ethyl alcohol - 64-17-5	-	Group 1

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Legend

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans

Reproductive toxicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT - single exposure Respiratory irritation Narcotic effects Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT - repeated exposure Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

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Aquatic ecotoxicity

Unknown aquatic toxicity 0 % of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic

environment.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Ethyl alcohol	-	LC50: 12.0 - 16.0mL/L (96h,	LC50: 9268 - 14221mg/L (48h,
·		Oncorhynchus mykiss)	Daphnia magna)
		LC50: 13400 - 15100mg/L (96h,	EC50: =10800mg/L (24h, Daphnia
		Pimephales promelas)	magna)
		LC50: >100mg/L (96h, Pimephales	EC50: =2mg/L (48h, Daphnia
		promelas)	magna)

Terrestrial ecotoxicty

Chemical name	Earthworm	Avian	Honeybees
Ethyl alcohol	Acute Toxicity: LC50 0.1 - 1	-	-
	mg/cm2 (Eisenia foetida, 48 h		
	filter paper)		

Persistence and degradability No information available.

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation There is no data for this product.

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Ethyl alcohol	-0.32

Mobility in soil

Other adverse effects

No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

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Contaminated packaging

For packages that have been in direct contact with hazardous substances, the person must ensure that the package is rendered incapable of containing any substance. It must be disposed of in a manner that is consistent with the requirements for disposal of the substance that it contained, taking into account the material the package is manufactured

Packages may only be reused or recycled if the package has been treated to remove any residual contents of the hazardous substance (class 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5); or the contents of the residue in the package are below the threshold for the substance to be classified as hazardous (class 6, 8, or 9 substance)

SECTION 14: Transport information

Not regulated IATA

IMDG Not regulated

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

No information available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

National regulations

New Zealand

Chemical name	New Zealand HSNO Chemical Classification
Ethyl alcohol - 64-17-5	3.1B,6.4A
·	3 1C 6 4A

National regulations

See Section 8 for any applicable tolerable exposure limits and environmental exposure limits

Certified handlers, tracking and controlled substance license requirements

Certified handlers are required for some substances. This includes for substances requiring a controlled substance license, including Class 1 explosives, vertebrate toxic agents (9.3A, B, C), and certain fumigants. Class 6.1A and 6.1B substances such as pesticides also require Certified handlers. Please check the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 for further information

Tracking is required for some highly hazardous substances. These substances need to be under the control of an appropriately trained person or appropriately secured. Please check the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 for further information

Controlled substance licenses are required to possess certain class 1 (explosive) and class 6 (vertebrate toxic agents or fumigants) substances. See Part 7 of the Health and Safety at Work Regulation 2017 for more information

EPA New Zealand HSNO approval code or group standard

Not applicable

International Inventories

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

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International Regulations

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The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

SECTION 16: Other information

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Revision Note

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value * Skin designation

C Carcinogen

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)

World Health Organization

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