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1 Identification

· **1.1 Product identifier**

· **Trade name: VMA/HVA/5-HIAA by HPLC, MP**

· **Article number:** 1956583
· **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**
Flam. Liq. 3 H226 Flammable liquid and vapor.
Acute Tox. 5 H333 May be harmful if inhaled.

· **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**

GHS02

· **Signal word** Warning

· **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**
acetonitrile
· **Hazard statements**
H226 Flammable liquid and vapor.
H333 May be harmful if inhaled.
· **Precautionary statements**

P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P240	Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
P303+P361+P353	If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

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· **Classification system:**
· **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

Health = 0
Fire = 2
Reactivity = 0

· **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

Health = 0
Fire = 2
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:**		
75-05-8	acetonitrile	1-<10%

4 First-aid measures

· **4.1 Description of first aid measures**
· **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
· **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
· **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
· **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult 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:**
CO2, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
· **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
Hydrogen cyanide (HCN)
Carbon monoxide (CO)
· **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
· **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

· **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.

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· **6.2 Environmental precautions:**
Dilute with plenty of water.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
· **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
· **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:**		
75-05-8	acetonitrile	13 ppm
64-19-7	acetic acid	5 ppm
6131-90-4	sodium acetate trihydrate	11 mg/m3
6381-92-6	Titriplex III (ethylendinitrilotetraacetic acid disodium salt dihydrat)	30 mg/m3

· **PAC-2:**		
75-05-8	acetonitrile	50 ppm
64-19-7	acetic acid	35 ppm
6131-90-4	sodium acetate trihydrate	120 mg/m3
6381-92-6	Titriplex III (ethylendinitrilotetraacetic acid disodium salt dihydrat)	330 mg/m3

· **PAC-3:**		
75-05-8	acetonitrile	150 ppm
64-19-7	acetic acid	250 ppm
6131-90-4	sodium acetate trihydrate	690 mg/m3
6381-92-6	Titriplex III (ethylendinitrilotetraacetic acid disodium salt dihydrat)	2,000 mg/m3

7 Handling and storage

· **7.1 Precautions for safe handling** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
· **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 oxidizing agents.
· **Further information about storage conditions:** None.
· **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:**	
75-05-8 acetonitrile	
PEL	Long-term value: 70 mg/m³, 40 ppm

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REL	Long-term value: 34 mg/m³, 20 ppm
TLV	Long-term value: 34 mg/m³, 20 ppm Skin

· **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

· **8.2 Exposure controls**
· **Personal protective equipment:**
· **General protective and hygienic measures:**
Do not eat, drink, smoke or sniff while working.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
· **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
· **Protection of hands:**
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**
Butyl rubber, BR
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 trough time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
· **Eye protection:** Goggles recommended during refilling.
· **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

9 Physical and chemical properties

· **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**	
· **General Information**	
· **Appearance:**	
Form:	Fluid
Color:	Colorless
· **Odor:**	Characteristic
· **Odor threshold:**	Not determined.
· **pH-value at 20 °C (68 °F):**	4.1
· **Change in condition**	
Melting point/Melting range:	0 °C (32 °F)
Boiling point/Boiling range:	100 °C (212 °F)
· **Flash point:**	55 °C (131 °F)
· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):**	Not applicable.
· **Ignition temperature:**	
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
· **Auto igniting:**	Product is not selfigniting.
· **Danger of explosion:**	Not determined.

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· **Explosion limits:**	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· **Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):**	23 hPa (17 mm Hg)
· **Density at 20 °C (68 °F):**	1 g/cm³ (8.345 lbs/gal)
· **Relative density**	Not determined.
· **Vapor density**	Not determined.
· **Evaporation rate**	Not determined.
· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**	
Water:	Fully miscible.
· **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):**	Not determined.
· **Viscosity:**	
Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
VOC content:	0.8 % 195.8 g/l / 1.63 lb/gl
· **9.2 Other information**	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 acids, alkalis and oxidizing agents.
· **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
· **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
· **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:**
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Hydrogen cyanide (prussic acid)

11 Toxicological information

· **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
· **Acute toxicity:**
May be harmful if inhaled.
· **Primary irritant effect:**
· **on the skin:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
· **on the eye:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
· **Sensitization:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
· **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.

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· **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:**
Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste.
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
· **14.5 Environmental hazards:** · **Marine pollutant:**	No
· **14.6 Special precautions for user**	Not applicable.
· **14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code**	Not applicable.

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· **UN "Model Regulation":** 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):**

75-05-8	acetonitrile

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

75-05-8	acetonitrile
64-19-7	acetic acid
32503-27-8	tetrabutylammonium hydrogen sulphate
7732-18-5	water, distilled, conductivity or of similar purity

· **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.

· **Cancerogenity categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

75-05-8	acetonitrile	CBD, D

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

75-05-8	acetonitrile	A4

· **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)
VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)
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
Flam. Liq. 3: Flammable liquids – Category 3
Acute Tox. 5: Acute toxicity – Category 5

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