



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Canada WHMIS 2015 which includes the amended Hazardous Products Act (HPA) and the Hazardous Products Regulation (HPR)

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1. Identification

Product identifier

Product Name Development Buffer Concentrate

Other means of identification

Catalog Number(s) 1610479, 1610482, 9704658

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Laboratory chemicals

Restrictions on use No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification

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| Skin corrosion/irritation | Category 2 |
| Serious eye damage/eye irritation | Category 2A |
| Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) | Category 3 |

Label elements

Warning

Hazard statements

Causes skin irritation
Causes serious eye irritation
May cause respiratory irritation

**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

Skin

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap
If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse

Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing
Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable

Other information**3. Composition/information on ingredients****Substance**

Not applicable.

Mixture

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration, are considered to be hazardous to health

4. First-aid measures**Description of first aid measures****General advice**

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

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| Eye contact | Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Do not rub affected area. |
| Skin contact | Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. |
| Ingestion | Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician. |
| Self-protection of the first aider | Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8). |

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

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| Symptoms | May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Burning sensation. |
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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

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| Note to physicians | Treat symptomatically. |
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5. Fire-fighting measures

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| Suitable Extinguishing Media | Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. |
| Unsuitable extinguishing media | No information available. |
| Specific hazards arising from the chemical | None known. |
| Explosion data | |
| Sensitivity to mechanical impact | None. |
| Sensitivity to static discharge | None. |
| Special protective equipment for fire-fighters | Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment. |

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

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| Personal precautions | Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. |
| Other information | Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8. |

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

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| Methods for containment | Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. |
| Methods for cleaning up | Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. |

7. Handling and storage**Precautions for safe handling**

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store according to product and label instructions.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

Exposure Limits This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure 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 If splashes are likely to occur, wear safety glasses with side-shields.

Hand protection Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

Skin and body protection Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing.

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

General hygiene considerations Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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| Physical state | Liquid |
| Appearance | aqueous solution |
| Color | colorless |
| Odor | Odorless |
| Odor threshold | No information available |

| <u>Property</u> | <u>Values</u> | <u>Remarks • Method</u> |
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| pH | 12.5 | |
| Melting point / freezing point | No data available | None known |
| Boiling point / boiling range | > 100 °C / 212 °F | |
| Flash point | No data available | None known |
| Evaporation rate | No data available | None known |
| Flammability (solid, gas) | No data available | None known |
| Flammability Limit in Air | | None known |
| Upper flammability or explosive | No data available | |

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| limits | | |
| Lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available | |
| Vapor pressure | No data available | None known |
| Vapor density | No data available | None known |
| Relative density | No data available | None known |
| Water solubility | Miscible in water | |
| Solubility in other solvents | 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 | None known |
| Dynamic viscosity | No data available | None known |

Other information

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| Explosive properties | Not applicable. |
| Oxidizing properties | Not applicable. |
| Softening point | Not applicable |
| Molecular weight | Not applicable |
| VOC content | Not applicable |

10. Stability and reactivity

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| Reactivity | No information available. |
| Chemical stability | Stable under normal conditions. |
| Possibility of hazardous reactions | None under normal processing. |
| Conditions to avoid | None known based on information supplied. |
| Incompatible materials | Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents. |
| Hazardous decomposition products | None known based on information supplied. |

11. Toxicological information**Information on likely routes of exposure****Product Information**

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| Inhalation | Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of respiratory tract. |
| Eye contact | Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Irritating to eyes. (based on components). Causes serious eye irritation. |
| Skin contact | Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes skin irritation. (based on components). |
| Ingestion | Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. |

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

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| Symptoms | Redness. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. |
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Acute toxicity**Numerical measures of toxicity**

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

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| Skin corrosion/irritation | Classification based on data available for ingredients. Irritating to skin. |
| Serious eye damage/eye irritation | Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes serious eye irritation. |
| Respiratory or skin sensitization | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. |
| Germ cell mutagenicity | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. |
| Carcinogenicity | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. |
| Reproductive toxicity | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. |
| STOT - single exposure | May cause respiratory irritation. |
| 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. |

12. Ecological information**Ecotoxicity**

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| Persistence and degradability | No information available. |
| Bioaccumulation | No information available. |
| Other adverse effects | No information available. |

13. Disposal considerations**Waste treatment methods**

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| Waste from residues/unused products | Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation. |
| Contaminated packaging | Do not reuse empty containers. |

14. Transport information

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| <u>TDG</u> | Not regulated |
| <u>DOT</u> | Not regulated |

15. Regulatory information**Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****International Regulations**

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

International Inventories

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

16. Other information

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| NFPA | Health hazards 2 | Flammability 0 | Instability 0 | Physical and chemical properties - |
| HMIS | Health hazards 2 | Flammability 0 | Physical hazards 0 | Personal protection X |

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet**Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

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| TWA | TWA (time-weighted average) | STEL | STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) |
| Ceiling | Maximum limit value | * | Skin designation |

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
 Australia 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)
 Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications
 Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program
 Organization 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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