Material Safety Data Sheet



Alcohol Indicator Reagent

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Section 1 - Product Description

Product Name: Alcohol Indicator Reagent

Product Code(s): 69-9772

Size: 30ml (1oz)

Chemical Name: N/A, product is a mixture

CAS Number: See Section 3 **Formula:** See Section 3

Synonyms: Alcohol Indicator Solution

Distributor: Carolina Biological Supply Company, 2700 York Road, Burlington, NC 27215

Chemical Information: 800-227-1150 (8am-5pm (ET) M-F) Chemtrec 800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24

hours)

Section 2 - Hazard Identification

Emergency Overview: DANGER - Causes severe burns. Harmful by inhalation. Certain components or species of this product are considered potential carcinogens.

Potential Health Effects:

Eyes: Causes severe burns and eye damage upon direct

contact. Vapor is irritating.

Ingestion: May severely irritate or damage digestive tract.

Skin: May cause severe irritation or chemical burns.

Inhalation: May severely irritate or damage mucous

membranes and respiratory tract.

Section 3 - Composition / Information on Ingredients

Principal Hazardous Components: Sulfuric Acid (CAS # 7664-93-9) 49%; Potassium Dichromate (CAS # 7778-50-9) 0.5%;

Silver Nitrate (CAS # 7761-88-8) 0.1% **TLV units:** (Sulfuric Acid) 0.2 mg/m3 TWA

(Potassium Dichromate) 0.5 mg/m3 TWA (for CrVI compounds)

PEL units: (Sulfuric Acid) 1 mg/m3 TWA

(Potassium Dichromate) 0.5 mg/m3 TWA (for CrVI compounds)

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Emergency and First Aid Procedures:

Eves - In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

Skin - After contact with skin, take off immediately all contaminated clothing, and wash immediately with plenty of water.

Ingestion - If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

Inhalation - In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest.

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Section 5 - Firefighting Procedures

Flash Point (Method Used): N/A

NFPA Rating: Health: 3 Fire: 0 Reactivity: 2

Extinguisher Media: Use dry chemical, CO2 or appropriate foam.

Flammable Limits in Air % by Volume: N/A

Autoignition Temperature: N/A

Special Firefighting Procedures: Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained

breathing apparatus.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Never add water to this product.

Section 6 - Spill or Leak Procedures

Steps to Take in Case Material Is Released or Spilled: Ventilate area of spill. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Remove all non-essential personnel from area. Clean-up personnel should wear proper protective equipment and clothing. Absorb material with suitable absorbent and containerize for disposal.

Section 7 - Special Precautions

Precautions to Take in Handling or Storing: Keep locked up and out of the reach of children.

Never add water to this product.

Causes severe burns. Suitable for any general chemical storage.

Section 8 - Protection Information

Respiratory Protection (Specify Type): None needed under normal conditions of use with adequate ventilation. A

NIOSH/MSHA chemical cartridge respirator should be worn if PEL or TLV is exceeded.

Ventilation:

Local Exhaust: Yes Mechanical(General): Yes

Special: No **Other:** No

Protective Gloves: Natural rubber, Neoprene, PVC or equivalent. **Eye Protection:** Splash proof chemical safety goggles should be worn.

Other Protective Clothing or Equipment: Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

Section 9 - Physical Data

Molecular Weight:N/AMelting Point:N/ABoiling Point:N/AVapor Pressure:N/A

Vapor Density(Air=1):N/ASpecific Gravity (H2O=1):1.4Percent Volatile by Volume:N/AEvaporation Rate (BuAc=1):N/A

Solubility in Water: Soluble **Appearance and Odor:**

Section 10 - Reactivity Data

Stability: Stable

Conditions to Avoid: Water; Product is water reactive.

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid): Oxidizers, Metals, Bases, **Hazardous Decomposition Products:** SOx, Chromium compounds,

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

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Section 11 - Toxicity Data

Toxicity Data: ORL LD50 - Rat: 2140 mg/kg (Sulfuric Acid)

INH LC50 - Rat: 347 ppm/1 hr (Sulfuric Acid)

INH LC50 - Rat: male 35 mg/m3/4 hr, female 29 mg/m3/4 hr (Potassium Dichromate)

ORL LD50 - Rat: male 26 mg/kg, female 17 mg/kg (Potassium Dichromate)

Effects of Overexposure: Acute: See Section 2

Chronic: Certain components or species of this product are considered potential carcinogens.

Conditions Aggravated by Overexposure: Eye disorders, Cardiovascular system, Respiratory disorders,

Target Organs: Teeth Cardiovascular system, Respiratory system, **Primary Route(s) of Entry:** Inhalation, ingestion, eye or skin contact.

Section 12 - Ecological Data

EPA Waste Numbers: D002 (Corrosive)

Section 13 - Disposal Information

Waste Disposal Methods: Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.

Section 14 - Transport Information

DOT Proper Shipping Name: UN 2796, SULFURIC ACID, Class 8, P.G. II

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

EPA TSCA Status: Not on TSCA Inventory

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer, or birth defects or other

reproductive harm.

Hazard Category for SARA Section 311/312 Reporting: Acute Chronic

Name List:

Potassium Dichromate - No

Sulfuric Acid - No

Chemical Category:

Potassium Dichromate - Chromium Compounds Sulfuric Acid - No

CERCLA Section 103 RQ(lb.): Potassium Dichromate - 10 lbs (4.54 kg)

Sulfuric Acid - 1000 lbs (454 kg)

RCRA Section 261.33: Potassium Dichromate - No

Sulfuric Acid - No

Section 16 - Additional Information

The information provided in this Material Safety Data Sheet represents a compilation of data drawn directly from various sources available to us. Carolina Biological Supply makes no representation or guarantee as to the suitability of this information to a particular application of the substance covered in the Material Safety Data Sheet. Any employer must carefully assess the applicability of any information contained herein in regards to the particular use to which the employer puts the material.

Glossary

ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

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CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

DOT U.S. Department of Transportation

IARC International Agency of Research on Cancer

N/A Not Available

NTP National Toxicology Program

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEL Permissible Exposure Limit

ppm Parts per million

RCRA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
SARA Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act

TLV Threshold Limit Value

TSCA Toxic Substances Control Act

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