

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

According to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200

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**FOR CHEMICAL SPILLS, FIRES, OR EXPOSURE:**  
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**SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name: Assay pH Indicator  
 Code number: CH0002

CAS number: N/A; a blend

**SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

NFPA: 1,3,0 (Health, Flammability, Reactivity)  
 HMIS: 1,3,0 (Health, Flammability, Reactivity)  
 See Section 5 for additional information

**GHS Label element** Hazard pictograms



Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)  
 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.  
 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

**SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Chemical Name	CAS #	Concentration
Ethanol	64-17-5	80.0 % (v/v)
Water	-----	19.9 % (v/v)
Thymolphthalein	114553	0.1 % (w/v)

All physical and chemical data refer to ethanol

**SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES**



- Eye Exposure: Flush eyes with copious amounts of water and separate eyelids to assure adequate flushing; slightly irritating, but does not injure eye tissue.
- Skin exposure: Flush with copious amounts of water; may aggravate an existing dermatitis.
- Oral exposure: If swallowed, wash mouth with water provided that person is conscious; do not induce vomiting; call a physician; minimal toxicity.
- Inhalation: Remove to fresh air; if breathing becomes difficult, call a physician; may cause headache, dizziness, anesthesia, drowsiness, unconsciousness, and death by asphyxiation.

#### **SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

- Flammability: Flash point 57 °F (closed cup); container explosion may occur under fire conditions.
- Extinguishing media: Water spray, foam, dry chemical powder, or carbon dioxide.
- Protective equipment: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with eyes and skin.
- Specific hazards: Can emit toxic fumes under fire conditions.

#### **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

- Precautions: Avoid contact with eyes and skin, and avoid inhalation of aerosols.
- Clean up: Absorb with an inert material; place in closed containers; ventilate area; clean spill site and dispose of waste according to applicable Federal, State and Local regulations.

#### **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

- Handling: Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing, and avoid inhalation of aerosols.
- Storage: Keep containers tightly closed and store at room temperature.

#### **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION**

- Exposure Limits, USA: OSHA: PEL: 8 TWA 1000 PPM (1900 MG/M3)  
ACGIH: TWA: 1000 PPM  
MSHA Standard-air: 1000 PPM (1900 MG/M3)
- Protective Equipment: Protective gloves and safety goggles.
- Hygiene Measures: Wash thoroughly after handling.
- Engineering Controls: Safety shower, eye bath and ventilation exhaust

#### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

- Appearance: Clear liquid.
- Boiling point: 78-80 °C
- Specific gravity: 0.79 at 20 °C (H<sub>2</sub>O = 1.0)

#### **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

- Stability: Stable
- Materials to avoid: Alkali metals, ammonia, oxidizing agents and peroxides



Hazardous polymerization: Does not occur

#### **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Exposure: May cause irritation of eyes, nasal membranes, mucous membranes, upper respiratory tract and skin. If ingested, might be harmful.

Signs and symptoms: Can cause CNS depression and chronic exposure to high levels may cause damage to the heart and liver

#### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Data is not yet available.

#### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

See Section 6. In all cases, disposal should follow all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations.

#### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

DOT: Proper shipping name: Ethanol Solutions, or Ethyl Alcohol Solutions  
UN # 1170 Class: 3 Packing Group II Flammable Liquid Not PIH

IATA: Same as DOT

#### **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION:**

United States: SARA listed: No TSCA Inventory Item: Yes

Canada: WHMIS: Classified in accordance with the CPR, and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR. DSL: Yes NDSL: No

#### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Disclaimer: For commercial and laboratory uses only. Not for drug, or other uses.

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