

Kit Name: VitroView™ Bielschowsky's Silver Stain Kit

Catalog #: VB-3015

Components:

VB-3015-1	Silver Nitrate Solution
VB-3015-2	Developer Stock Solution A
VB-3015-3	Developer Stock Solution B
VB-3015-4	Concentrated ammonium hydroxide
VB-3015-5	5% Sodium Thiosulfate

VB-3015-1 Silver Nitrate Solution

1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and Company

Product Name	Silver Nitrate Solution
Catalog#	VB-30015-1
Product Description	Kit Component
Manufacturer/Supplier	GeneCopoeia, Inc. 9620 Medical Center Dr., Rockville, MD 20850
Tel and Fax Number	Phone: 301-762-0888; Toll free: 1-866-360-9531; Fax: 301-762-3888

2. Hazards Identification

Signal word: Danger

Hazard-determining components of labeling: silver nitrate

Hazard statements Toxic if swallowed. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statements If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand. Keep out of reach of children. Read label before use. IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Classification system:

NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4) Health = 2; Fire = 0; Reactivity = 0;

HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4) Health = 2; Fire = 0; Reactivity = 0

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable. vPvB: Not applicable.

3. Composition

Chemical characterization:

Mixtures Description: Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Dangerous components: silver nitrate (<10%), CAS: 7761-88-8 EINECS: 231-853-9 Ox. Sol. 2, H272; Skin Corr. 1B, H314; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1, H410

4. First Aid Measures

General information: Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

After inhalation: In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

After skin contact: Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

After eye contact: Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

After swallowing: Drink copious amounts of water and provide fresh air. Immediately call a doctor.

Information for doctor: Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: No further relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No further relevant information available.

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5. Firefighting Measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents: CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: No further relevant information available.

Advice for fire fighter's protective equipment: No special measures required.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Environmental precautions: Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course. Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system. Dilute with plenty of water. Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust). Use neutralizing agent. Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13. Ensure adequate ventilation.

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.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling

Precautions for safe handling: Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace. Prevent formation of aerosols.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: No special measures required.

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: Not required.

Further information about storage conditions: Keep receptacle tightly sealed.

Specific end use(s): No further relevant information available.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Control parameters

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

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

Exposure controls:**Personal protective equipment:**

General protective and hygienic measures: Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Breathing equipment: In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.

Protection of hands

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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 The glove material must be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation. Due to lack of testing, no recommendation for the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture. Selection of the glove material requires consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation material of gloves.

Material of gloves: The selection of suitable gloves depends on the material and quality, and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material cannot be calculated in advance and must therefore be checked prior to the application.

Penetration time of glove material: The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Eye protection: Tightly sealed goggles.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

General Information	
Appearance	
Form:	Fluid
Color: Colorless	Colorless
Odor:	Odorless
Odor threshold	Not determined.
pH-value	Not determined
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	100°C (212 °F)
Flash point:	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gaseous)	Not applicable
Ignition temperature:	
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
Auto igniting:	Product is not selfigniting.
Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
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):	1.67 g/cm ³ (13.936 lbs/gal)
Relative density:	Not determined.
Vapour density:	Not determined.
Evaporation rate:	Not determined.
Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Fully miscible.
Segregation coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not determined
Dynamic:	Not determined
Kinematic:	Not determined

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Other information

No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

Chemical stability

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: No dangerous reactions known.

Conditions to avoid: No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials: No further relevant information available.

Hazardous decomposition products: No dangerous decomposition products known

11. Toxicology Information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity: LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

7761-88-8 silver nitrate : Oral LD50 50 mg/kg (mouse)

Primary irritant effect:

On the skin: Caustic effect on skin and mucous membranes.

in the eye: Strong caustic effect.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

Additional toxicological information: The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations: Corrosive Swallowing will lead to a strong caustic effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach.

Carcinogenic categories IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer): None of the ingredients are listed.

NTP (National Toxicology Program): None of the ingredients are listed.

12. Ecological Information

Toxicity:

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

Persistence and degradability: No further relevant information available.

Behavior in environmental systems:

Bioaccumulative potential: No further relevant information available.

Mobility in soil: No further relevant information available.

Ecotoxicological effects:

Remark: Toxic for fish.

Additional ecological information:

General notes:

- Water hazard class 3 (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water
- Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.
- Must not reach bodies of water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralized.
- Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.
- Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.

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- Toxic for aquatic organisms Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.

Other adverse effects: No further relevant information available.

13. Disposal Considerations

Uncleaned packaging:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Recommended cleansing agent: Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14. Transport Information

UN-Number DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
UN proper shipping name DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
Transport hazard class(es) DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Class	Void
Packing group DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
Environmental hazards Marine pollutant	No
Special precautions for user	Not applicable
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable
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15. Regulatory Information

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

Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances)	None of the ingredients are listed
Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings)	7761-88-8 silver nitrate
TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act)	All ingredients are listed
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 are listed
Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males	None of the ingredients are listed
Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity	None of the ingredients are listed
Carcinogenic categories EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)	None of the ingredients are listed
TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)	None of the ingredients are listed
NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)	None of the ingredients are listed.
OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)	None of the ingredients are listed

16. Other Information

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

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

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

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VB-3015-2 Developer Stock Solution A

1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and Company

Product Name	Developer Stock Solution A
Catalog#	VB-3015-2
Product Description	Kit Component
Manufacturer/Supplier	GeneCopoeia, Inc. 9620 Medical Center Dr., Rockville, MD 20850
Tel and Fax Number	Phone: 301-762-0888; Toll free: 1-866-360-9531; Fax: 301-762-3888

2. Hazards Identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

The product is not classified according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC: Not applicable.

Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:

The product does not have to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of international guidelines.

Classification system:

The classification was made according to the latest editions of international substances lists, and expanded upon from company and literature data.

Label elements

GHS label elements Void

Hazard pictograms Void

Signal word Void

Hazard statements Void

Classification system:

NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)

Health = 1

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)

Health = 1

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable. vPvB: Not applicable.

3. Composition

Chemical characterization: Mixtures

Description: Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Dangerous components: Void

4. First Aid Measures

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Description of first aid measures

General information: No special measures required.

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.

Information for doctor:

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: No further relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No further relevant information available.

5. Firefighting Measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents: CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: No further relevant information available. **Advice for firefighters**

Protective equipment: No special measures required.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Not required.

Environmental precautions: Dilute with plenty of water.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

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.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling

Precautions for safe handling: No special measures required.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: No special measures required.

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: Not required.

Further information about storage conditions: None.

Specific end use(s): No further relevant information available.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data

Control parameters

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

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

Exposure controls

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Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures: The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed

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. The glove material must be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation. Due to lack of testing, no recommendation for the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture. Selection of the glove material requires consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation material of gloves.

Material of gloves: The selection of suitable gloves depends on the material and quality, and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material cannot be calculated in advance and must therefore be checked prior to the application.

Penetration time of glove material: The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Eye protection: Goggles recommended during refilling.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

General Information	
Appearance	
Form:	Fluid
Color: Colorless	Colorless
Odor:	Pungent
Odor threshold	Not determined.
pH-value	Not determined
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	100°C (212 °F)
Flash point:	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gaseous)	Not applicable
Ignition temperature:	
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
Auto igniting:	Product is not selfigniting.
Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
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):	1.00217 g/cm ³ (8.363 lbs/gal)
Relative density:	Not determined.
Vapour density:	Not determined.
Evaporation rate:	Not determined.

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Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Fully miscible.
Segregation coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not determined
Dynamic:	Not determined
Kinematic:	Not determined
Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity: Chemical stability:

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: No dangerous reactions known.

Conditions to avoid: No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials: No further relevant information available.

Hazardous decomposition products: No dangerous decomposition products known.

11. Toxicology Information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Primary irritant effect

On the skin: No irritant effect.

On the eye: No irritating effect.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

Additional toxicological information:

The product is not subject to classification according to internally approved calculation

methods for preparations: When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects according to our experience and the information provided to us.

Carcinogenic categories IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) : None of the ingredients are listed.

NTP (National Toxicology Program): None of the ingredients are listed.

12. Ecological Information

Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

Persistence and degradability: No further relevant information available.

Behavior in environmental systems

Bioaccumulative potential: No further relevant information available.

Mobility in soil: No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information

General notes: Generally not hazardous for water

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

Other adverse effects: No further relevant information available.

13. Disposal Considerations

Waste treatment methods:

Recommendation: Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste. Disposal must be according to official regulations.

Uncleaned packaging:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Recommended cleansing agent: Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

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14. Transport Information

UN-Number DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
UN proper shipping name DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
Transport hazard class(es) DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Class	Void
Packing group DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
Environmental hazards Marine pollutant	No
Special precautions for user	Not applicable
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable
UN "Model Regulation"	-

15. Regulatory Information

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

Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances)	None of the ingredients are listed.
Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings)	None of the ingredients is listed.
TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act)	All ingredients are listed
Proposition 65 Chemicals known to cause cancer	All ingredients are listed.
Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females	None of the ingredients are listed
Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males	None of the ingredients are listed
Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity	None of the ingredients are listed
Carcinogenic categories EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)	None of the ingredients are listed
TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)	None of the ingredients are listed
NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)	None of the ingredients are listed
OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)	None of the ingredients are listed

GHS label elements Void

Hazard pictograms Void

Signal word Void

Hazard statements Void

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16. Other Information

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IATA: International Air Transport Association

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NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

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VB-3015-3 Developer Stock Solution B

1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and Company

Product Name	Developer Stock Solution B
Catalog#	VB-3015-3
Product Description	Kit Component
Manufacturer/Supplier	GeneCopoeia, Inc. 9620 Medical Center Dr., Rockville, MD 20850
Tel and Fax Number	Phone: 301-762-0888; Toll free: 1-866-360-9531; Fax: 301-762-3888

2. Hazards Identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS08: Health hazard

Carc. 2 H351: Suspected of causing cancer.

GHS07

Skin Irrit.

2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

STOT SE 3 H335+H336 May cause respiratory irritation. May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

Acute Tox.

5 H303 May be harmful if swallowed.

Acute Tox. 5 H333 May be harmful if inhaled.

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC Xn: Harmful

R20/21/22-40: Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect.

Xi; Irritant

R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

Xi; Sensitizing

R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact.

Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment: The product must be labelled due to the calculation procedure of international guidelines.

Classification system: The classification was made according to the latest editions of international substances lists, and expanded upon from company and literature data.

Label elements

GHS label elements: The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Signal word: Warning

Hazard-determining components of labeling: formaldehyde

Hazard statements :

- May be harmful if swallowed.
- May be harmful if inhaled.
- Causes skin irritation.

- Causes serious eye irritation.
- May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- Suspected of causing cancer.
- May cause respiratory irritation.
- May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

Precautionary statements:

- If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
- Keep out of reach of children.
- Read label before use.
- Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
- Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
- IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
- Specific treatment (see on this label).
- Store locked up.
- Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Classification system:

NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)

- Health = 3
- Fire = 0
- Reactivity = 0

HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)

- Health = 3
- Fire = 0
- Reactivity = 0

Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable.

3. Composition

Chemical characterization: Mixtures Description: Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Dangerous components:

CAS: 50-00-0 EINECS: 200-001-8	formaldehyde	<37%
	Acute Tox. 3, H301; Acute Tox. 3, H311; Acute Tox. 3, H331; Carc. 2, H351; Skin Corr. 1B, H314; Skin Sens. 1, H317	

4. First Aid Measures

Description of first aid measures

General information: Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

After inhalation: Supply fresh air and to be sure call for a doctor. In case of unconsciousness, place patient stably in side position for transportation.

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After skin contact: Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

After eye contact: Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

After swallowing: Immediately call a doctor.

Information for doctor:

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: No further relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No further relevant information available.

5. Firefighting Measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents: CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: No further relevant information available.

Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment: Mouth respiratory protective device.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Not required.

Environmental precautions: Dilute with plenty of water. Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust). Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13. Ensure adequate ventilation.

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.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling

Precautions for safe handling: Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Prevent formation of aerosols.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: No special measures required.

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: Not required.

Further information about storage conditions: Keep receptacle tightly sealed.

Specific end use(s): No further relevant information available.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data

Control parameters: 50-00-0 formaldehyde

PEL	Short-term value: 2 ppm Long-term value: 0.75 ppm see 29 CFR 1910.1048(c)

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REL	Short-term value: C 0.1* ppm Long-term value: 0.016 ppm *15-min; See Pocket Guide App. A
TLV	Short-term value: C 0.37 mg/m ³ , C 0.3 ppm SEN

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures: Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Breathing equipment: In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.

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. The glove material must be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation. Due to lack of testing, no recommendation for the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture. Selection of the glove material requires consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation material of gloves.

Material of gloves: The selection of suitable gloves depends on the material and quality, and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material cannot be calculated in advance and must therefore be checked prior to the application.

Eye protection

Safety glasses: Tightly sealed goggles

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

General Information	
Appearance	
Form:	Fluid
Color: Colorless	Colorless
Odor:	Pungent
Odor threshold	Not determined.
pH-value	Not determined
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	100°C (212 °F)
Flash point:	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gaseous)	Not applicable
Ignition temperature:	
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
Auto igniting:	Product is not selfigniting.
Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
Explosion limits:	
Lower	7.0 Vol %.
Upper	73.0 Vol %
Vapor pressure at 20°C (68 °F)	23 hPa (17 mm Hg
Density at 20°C (68 °F):	0.9696 g/cm ³ (8.091 lbs/gal)
Relative density:	Not determined.
Vapour density:	Not determined.
Evaporation rate:	Not determined.
Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Fully miscible.
Segregation coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not determined
Dynamic:	Not determined
Kinematic:	Not determined
Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

Chemical stability

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: No dangerous reactions known.

Conditions to avoid: No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials: No further relevant information available.

Hazardous decomposition products: No dangerous decomposition products known.

11. Toxicology Information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: 50-00-0 formaldehyde Oral LD50 >200 mg/kg (rat)

Primary irritant effect

On the skin: Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.

On the eye: Irritating effect.

Sensitization: Sensitization possible through skin contact.

Additional toxicological information:

The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations: Harmful Irritant

Carcinogenic categories IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer):50-00-0 formaldehyde 1

NTP (National Toxicology Program): 50-00-0 formaldehyde R

12. Ecological Information

Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

Persistence and degradability: No further relevant information available.

Behavior in environmental systems:

Bioaccumulative potential: No further relevant information available.

Mobility in soil: No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information

General notes

Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment):

- Hazardous for water
- Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
- Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

Other adverse effects: No further relevant information available.

13. Disposal Considerations

Uncleaned packaging

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Recommended cleansing agent: Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14. Transport Information

UN-Number DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
UN proper shipping name DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
Transport hazard class(es) DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Class	Void
Packing group DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
Environmental hazards Marine pollutant	No
Special precautions for user	Not applicable
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable
UN "Model Regulation"	-

15. Regulatory Information

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

Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances)	50-00-0 formaldehyde
Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings)	50-00-0 formaldehyde
TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act)	All ingredients are listed
Proposition 65 Chemicals known to cause cancer	50-00-0 formaldehyde
Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females	None of the ingredients are listed
Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males	None of the ingredients are listed
Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity	None of the ingredients are listed
Carcinogenic categories EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)	50-00-0 formaldehyde B2
TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)	50-00-0 formaldehyde A2
NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)	50-00-0 formaldehyde
OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)	50-00-0 formaldehyde

16. Other Information

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

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

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

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VB-3015-4 Concentrated ammonium hydroxide

1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and Company

Product Name Concentrated ammonium hydroxide
Catalog# VB-3015-4
Product Description Kit Component
Manufacturer/Supplier GeneCopoeia, Inc. 9620 Medical Center Dr., Rockville, MD 20850
Tel and Fax Number Phone: 301-762-0888; Toll free: 1-866-360-9531; Fax: 301-762-3888

2. Hazards Identification

Potential Acute Health Effects: Very hazardous in case of skin contact (corrosive, irritant, permeator), of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion. Liquid or spray mist may produce tissue damage particularly on mucous membranes of eyes, mouth and respiratory tract. Skin contact may produce burns. Inhalation of the spray mist may produce severe irritation of respiratory tract, characterized by coughing, choking, or shortness of breath. Severe over-exposure can result in death. Inflammation of the eye is characterized by redness, watering, and itching. Skin inflammation is characterized by itching, scaling, reddening, or, occasionally, blistering.

Potential Chronic Health Effects:

CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available.

MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Mutagenic for bacteria and/or yeast. [Ammonia, anhydrous].

TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available.

DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available.

The substance is toxic p. 2 to upper respiratory tract, skin, and eyes. Repeated or prolonged exposure to the substance can produce target organs damage. Repeated or prolonged contact with spray mist may produce chronic eye irritation and severe skin irritation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to spray mist may produce respiratory tract irritation leading to frequent attacks of bronchial infection. Repeated exposure to a highly toxic material may produce general deterioration of health by an accumulation in one or many human organs.

3. Composition

Composition:

Name	CAS #	% by Weight
Ammonia, anhydrous	7664-41-7	27-31
Water	7732-18-5	69-73

4. First Aid Measures

Eye Contact: Check for and remove any contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with running water for at least 15 minutes, keeping eyelids open. Cold water may be used. Get medical attention immediately. Finish by rinsing thoroughly with running water to avoid a possible infection.

Skin Contact: In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Cold water may be used. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention immediately.

Serious Skin Contact: Wash with a disinfectant soap and cover the contaminated skin with an anti-bacterial cream. Seek immediate medical attention.

Inhalation: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention immediately.

Serious Inhalation: Evacuate the victim to a safe area as soon as possible. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. **WARNING:** It may be hazardous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation when the inhaled material is toxic, infectious or corrosive. Seek medical attention.

Ingestion: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention immediately.

Serious Ingestion: Not available.

5. Firefighting Measures

Flammability of the Product: Non-flammable.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Not applicable.

Flash Points: Not applicable.

Flammable Limits: Not applicable.

Products of Combustion: Hazardous decomposition include Nitric oxide, and ammonia fumes

Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances: Not applicable.

Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances: Non-explosive in presence of open flames and sparks, of shocks.

Fire Fighting Media and Instructions: Not applicable.

Special Remarks on Fire Hazards: Not available.

Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards: Forms explosive compounds with many heavy metals such as silver, lead, zinc and their halide salts. Can form shock sensitive compounds with halogens, mercury oxide, and silver oxide.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Small Spill: Dilute with water and mop up, or absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. If necessary: Neutralize the residue with a dilute solution of acetic acid.

Large Spill: Corrosive liquid. Poisonous liquid. Stop leak if without risk. Absorb with DRY earth, sand or other non-combustible material. Do not get water inside container. Do not touch spilled material. Use water spray curtain to divert vapor drift. Use water spray to reduce vapors. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed. Call for assistance on disposal. Neutralize the residue with a dilute solution of acetic acid. Be careful that the product is not present at a concentration level above TLV. Check TLV on the MSDS and with local authorities

7. Handling and Storage

Precautions: Keep locked up. Keep container dry. Do not ingest. Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapor/spray. Never add water to this product. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Keep away from incompatibles such as metals, acids.

Storage: Keep container tightly closed. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Do not store above 25°C (77°F).

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective threshold limit value. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are proximal to the work-station location.

Personal Protection: Face shield. Full suit. Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Gloves. Boots.

Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill: Splash goggles. Full suit. Vapor respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

General Information	
Appearance	
Form:	Fluid
Color: Colorless	Colorless
Odor:	Ammonia-like (Strong.)
Odor threshold	5 - 50 ppm as ammonia
pH-value	pH (1% soln/water): 11.6 [Basic.] This is the actual pH in a 1 N solution.
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	-69.2°C (-92.6°F)
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Not available
Flash point:	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gaseous)	Not applicable
Ignition temperature:	
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
Auto igniting:	Product is not selfigniting.
Exposure Limits:	TWA: 25 (ppm) from ACGIH (TLV) [United States] TWA: 50 STEL: 35 (ppm) from OSHA (PEL) [United States] TWA: 25 STEL: 35 from NIOSH Consult local authorities for acceptable exposure limits.
Vapor pressure at 20°C (68 °F)	287.9 kPa (@ 20°C)
Density at 20°C (68 °F):	0.898 (Water = 1)
Relative density:	Not determined.
Vapour density:	Not determined.
Evaporation rate:	Not determined.
Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Easily soluble in cold water
Segregation coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not determined
Dynamic:	Not determined
Kinematic:	Not determined
Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and Reactivity

Stability: The product is stable.

Instability Temperature: Not available.

Conditions of Instability: Incompatible materials, high temperatures

Incompatibility with various substances: Highly reactive with metals.

Reactive with acids. Slightly reactive to reactive with oxidizing agents.

Corrosivity: Extremely corrosive in presence of zinc, of copper. Corrosive in presence of aluminum. Non-corrosive in presence of glass, of stainless steel(304), of stainless steel(316).

Special Remarks on Reactivity: Incompatible with the following: Organic acids, amides, organic anhydrides, isocyanates, vinyl acetate, epichlorhydrin, aldehydes, Acrolein, Acrylic acid, chlorosulfonic acid, dimethyl sulfate, fluorine, gold + aqua regia, hydrochloric acid, hydrofluoric acid, hydrogen peroxide, iodine, nitric acid, oleum, propiolactone, propylene oxide, silver nitrate, silver oxide, silver oxide + ethyl alcohol, nitromethane, silver permanganate, sulfuric acid, halogens. Forms explosive compounds with many heavy metals (silver, lead, zinc) and halide salts.

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: Dissolves copper and zinc. Corrosive to aluminum and its alloys. Corrosive to galvanized surfaces. Severe corrosive effect on brass and bronze

Polymerization: Will not occur.

11. Toxicology Information

Routes of Entry: Absorbed through skin. Dermal contact. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Toxicity to Animals: Acute oral toxicity (LD50): 350 mg/kg [Rat].

Chronic Effects on Humans

MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Mutagenic for bacteria and/or yeast.

[Ammonium hydroxide]. May cause damage to the following organs: mucous membranes, skin, eyes.

Other Toxic Effects on Humans: Very hazardous in case of skin contact (corrosive, irritant, permeator), of ingestion.

Hazardous in case of eye contact (corrosive), of inhalation (lung corrosive).

Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals: Highly toxic to aquatic organisms.

Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans: May affect genetic material based on tests with microorganisms and animals. May cause cancer (tumorigenic) based on animal data. No human data found at this time. (Ammonia, anhydrous) p. 5

Special Remarks on other toxic Effects on Humans: Acute Potential Health Effects: Skin: Causes severe irritation. Causes skin burns. May cause deep, penetrating ulcers of the skin. Contact with skin may cause staining, inflammation, and thickening of the skin. Eye: Contact with liquid or vapor causes severe burns and possible irreversible eye damage including corneal injury and cataracts.

Inhalation: Causes severe irritation of the upper respiratory tract with coughing, burns, breathing difficulty. May cause acute pulmonary edema, pneumoconiosis, fibrosis, and even coma. It is a respiratory stimulant when inhaled at lower concentrations. It may also affect behavior/ central nervous system (convulsions, seizures, ataxia, tremor), cardiovascular system (increase in blood pressure and pulse rate). Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. Affects the Gastrointestinal tract (burns, swelling of the lips, mouth, and larynx, throat constriction, nausea, vomiting, convulsions, shock, and may cause severe and permanent damage), liver, and urinary system (kidneys)

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May affect behavior (convulsions, seizures, ataxia, excitement).

Chronic Potential Health Effects

Ingestion: May cause effects similar to those of acute ingestion. Inhalation: Repeated exposure to low concentrations may cause bronchitis with cough, phlegm, and/or shortness of breath. May also cause liver and kidney damage, and affect the brain, and blood. Eye: May cause corneal damage and the development of cataracts and glaucoma. Skin: Repeated skin contact to low concentrations may cause dryness, itching, and redness (dermatitis).

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity

Ecotoxicity in water (LC50): 0.1 ppm 24 hours [Rainbow trout]. 8.2mg/l 96 hours [Fathead minnow]. 0.1 ppm 48 hours [Bluegill].

BOD5 and COD: Not available.

Products of Biodegradation: Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation: The products of degradation are less toxic than the product itself.

Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation: Not available.

13. Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

14. Transport Information

DOT Classification: Class 8: Corrosive material

Identification: Ammonia Solution UNNA: 2672 PG: III

Special Provisions for Transport: Not available.

15. Regulatory Information

Federal and State Regulations:

Connecticut hazardous material survey.: Ammonium hydroxide Illinois toxic substances disclosure to employee act: Ammonium hydroxide Illinois chemical safety act: Ammonium hydroxide New York release reporting list: Ammonium hydroxide Pennsylvania RTK: Ammonium hydroxide Massachusetts RTK: Ammonium hydroxide Massachusetts spill list: Ammonium hydroxide New Jersey: Ammonium hydroxide New Jersey spill list: Ammonium hydroxide New Jersey toxic catastrophe prevention act: Ammonium hydroxide Louisiana spill reporting: Ammonium hydroxide California Director's List of Hazardous Substances (8 CCR 339): Ammonium hydroxide TSCA 8(b) inventory: Ammonium hydroxide CERCLA: Hazardous substances.: Ammonium hydroxide: 1000 lbs. (453.6 kg)

Other Regulations: p. 6 OSHA: Hazardous by definition of Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). EINECS: This product is on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances.

Other Classifications:

WHMIS (Canada): CLASS D-1B: Material causing immediate and serious toxic effects (TOXIC). CLASS E: Corrosive liquid.

DSCL (EEC):

HMIS (U.S.A.):

Health Hazard: 3

Fire Hazard: 0

Reactivity: 0

Personal Protection:

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):

Health: 2

Flammability: 0

Reactivity: 0

Specific hazard:

Protective Equipment: Gloves. Full suit. Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Face shield.

16. Other Information

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

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IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

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1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and Company

Product Name 5% Sodium Thiosulfate
Catalog# VB-3015-5
Product Description Kit Component
Manufacturer/Supplier GeneCopoeia, Inc. 9620 Medical Center Dr., Rockville, MD 20850
Tel and Fax Number Phone: 301-762-0888; Toll free: 1-866-360-9531; Fax: 301-762-3888

2. Hazards Identification

Classification of the substance or mixture: The product is not classified according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC: Not applicable.

Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment: The product does not need to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of international guidelines.

Classification system: The classification was made according to the latest editions of international substances lists, and expanded upon from company and literature data.

Label elements

GHS label elements Void

Hazard pictograms Void

Signal word Void

Hazard statements Void

Classification system:

NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)

- Health = 1
- Fire = 0
- Reactivity = 0

HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)

- Health = 1
- Fire = 0
- Reactivity = 0

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

3. Composition

Chemical characterization: Mixtures Description: Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Dangerous components: Void

4. First Aid Measures

Description of first aid measures

General information: No special measures required.

After inhalation: Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

After skin contact: Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

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After eye contact: Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

After swallowing: If symptoms persist consult doctor.

Information for doctor: Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: No further relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No further relevant information available.

5. Firefighting Measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents: CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: No further relevant information available. **Advice for firefighters**

Protective equipment: No special measures required.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Not required.

Environmental precautions: Dilute with plenty of water. Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Reference to other sections

- No dangerous substances are released.
- See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
- See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
- See Section 13 for disposal information.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling

Precautions for safe handling: No special measures required.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: No special measures required.

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: Not required.

Further information about storage conditions: None.

Specific end use(s): No further relevant information available.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data.

Control parameters

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

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

Exposure controls:

Personal protective equipment:

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General protective and hygienic measures: The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

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. The glove material must be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation. Due to lack of testing, no recommendation for the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture. Selection of the glove material requires consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation material of gloves.

Material of gloves: The selection of suitable gloves depends on the material and quality, and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material cannot be calculated in advance and must therefore be checked prior to the application.

Penetration time of glove material: The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Eye protection: Goggles recommended during refilling.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

General Information	
Appearance	
Form:	Fluid
Color: Colorless	Colorless
Odor:	Thymol-like
Odor threshold	Not determined.
pH-value	Not determined
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	100°C (212 °F)
Flash point:	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gaseous)	Not applicable
Ignition temperature:	
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
Auto igniting:	Product is not selfigniting.
Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
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):	1.02348 g/cm ³ (8.541 lbs/gal)
Relative density:	Not determined.
Vapour density:	Not determined.
Evaporation rate:	Not determined.
Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Fully miscible.
Segregation coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not determined
Dynamic:	Not determined

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Kinematic:	Not determined
Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity**Chemical stability**

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specification

Possibility of hazardous reactions: No dangerous reactions known.

Conditions to avoid: No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials: No further relevant information available.

Hazardous decomposition products: No dangerous decomposition products known

11. Toxicology Information

Information on toxicological effects**Acute toxicity:**

- Primary irritant effect:
- On the skin: No irritant effect.
- On the eye: No irritating effect.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

Additional toxicological information: The product is not subject to classification according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations: When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects according to our experience and the information provided to us.

12. Ecological Information

Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

Persistence and degradability: No further relevant information available.

Behavior in environmental systems:

Bioaccumulative potential: No further relevant information available.

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.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

Other adverse effects: No further relevant information available

13. Disposal Considerations

Waste treatment methods

Recommendation: Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste. Disposal must be according to official regulations.

Uncleaned packagings:

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Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Recommended cleansing agent: Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14. Transport Information

UN-Number DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
UN proper shipping name DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
Transport hazard class(es) DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Class	Void
Packing group DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
Environmental hazards Marine pollutant	No
Special precautions for user	Not applicable
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable
UN "Model Regulation"	-

15. Regulatory Information

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

Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances)	None of the ingredients are listed
Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings)	None of the ingredients is listed.
TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act)	All ingredients are listed
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 are listed
Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males	None of the ingredients are listed
Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity	None of the ingredients are listed
Carcinogenic categories EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)	None of the ingredients are listed
TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)	None of the ingredients are listed
NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)	None of the ingredients are listed.
OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)	None of the ingredients are listed

16. Other Information

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reasonable safety procedures are not adhered to as stipulated in the data sheet. Furthermore, vendor assumes no responsibility for injury caused by abnormal use of the material even if reasonable safety procedures are followed. Any questions regarding this product should be directed to the manufacturer of the product as described in Section 1.

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