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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

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EMERGENCY NUMBER (SPILLS, EXPOSURES): 301/431-8585 (24 HOUR) 800/451-8346 (24 HOUR)

NON-EMERGENCY INFORMATION: 800/955-6288

Product Name: PHOSPHATE-BUFFERED SALINE (PBS) 7.4 (1X), LIQUID - 10010

Stock Number: 10010023

NOTE: If this product is a kit or is supplied with more than one material, please refer to the MSDS for each component for hazard information.

Product Use:

These products are for laboratory research use only and are not intended for human or animal diagnostics, therpeutic, or other clinical uses.

Synonyms:

Not available.

2. COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

The following list shows components of this product classified as hazardous based on physical properties and health effects:

Component No hazardous components CAS No.

Percent

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3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**** EMERGENCY OVERVIEW ***

Occupational exposure presents little or no health hazard.

Potential Health Effects:

Eve:

May cause irritation of the eye.

Skin:

May cause skin irritation.

Inhalation:

No toxicity expected from inhalation.

Ingestion:

May cause nausea or vomiting.

Chronic:

No data on cancer.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye:

Flush with water in an eyewash for at least 15 minutes, holding eyelids open. Remove contact lenses, clean before re-use. Obtain medical attention if symptoms develop (redness, itching, etc.).

Skin:

Wash with plenty of soap and water. Obtain medical attention if symptoms develop (redness, itching, etc.). Remove contaminated clothes, wash before re-use.

Inhalation:

Remove person to fresh air. Obtain medical attention unless effects are mild and temporary.

Ingestion:

Give plenty of water, if conscious. If vomiting occurs naturally, wash mouth out. Be prepared to induce vomiting upon a physician's advice. Obtain medical attention if symptoms develop.

Note To Physician:

Treat symptomatically.

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5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flashpoint Deg C:

Not available.

Upper Flammable Limit %:

Not available.

Lower Flammable Limit %:

Not available.

Autoignition Temperature Deg C:

Not available.

Extinguishing Media:

Use means appropriate for surrounding materials.

Firefighting Techniques/Equipment: Standard turnout gear ("bunker gear"). Positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

Hazardous Combustion Products:

Includes carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, dense smoke.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Accidental releases may be subject to special reporting requirements and other regulatory mandates. Refer to Section 8 for personal protection equipment recommendations.

Spill Cleanup:

Absorb spill. Common absorbent materials should be effective. Deposit in appropriate containers for removal and disposal.

HANDLING AND STORAGE

Storage of some materials is regulated by federal, state, and/or local laws.

Storage Pressure:

Ambient

Handling Procedures:

Keep closed or covered when not in use.

Storage Procedures:

Suitable for most general chemical storage areas.

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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Limits:

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Component (ppm) (ppm)

No hazardous components

Engineering Controls:

Area ventilation is generally adequate.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Eye:

Safety glasses should be the minimum eye protection.

Skin:

Gloves should be used as minimum hand protection.

Respiratory:

No respiratory protection will be needed under normal industrial operating conditions.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance/physical state: Liquid solution / suspension

Odor: No odor.

Not established. Not established. Not established. Not established. Not established.

Specific Gravity/Density: Not established.
Octanol/water Partition Coeff: Not established.
Volatiles: Not established.
Evaporation Rate: Not established.
Viscosity: Not established.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:

Stable under ordinary conditions of use and storage.

Conditions to Avoid:

Strong oxidizers.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY (CONT.)

None known.

Hazardous Polymerization: Not expected to occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity:

Dermal/Skin:
Not determined.

Inhalation/Respiratory:
Not determined.

Oral/Ingagtion

Oral/Ingestion: Not determined.

Target Organs: No data found.

Carcinogenicity:

NTP:

Not tested.

IARC:

Not listed.

OSHA:

Not regulated.

Other Toxicological Information

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicological Information: No ecological information available.

Environmental Fate (Degradation, Transformation, and Persistence): Bioconcentration is not expected to occur.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Regulatory Information: Not applicable.

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DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS (CONT.)

Disposal Method:

Clean up and dispose of waste in accordance with all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

> TRANSPORT INFORMATION 14.

Proper Shipping Name: Not Determined. Hazard Class:

Subsidiary Hazards:

ID Number: Packing Group:

REGULATORY INFORMATION

UNITED STATES:

This product is solely for research and development purposes only and may not be used, processed or distributed for a commercial purpose. It may only be handled by technically qualified individuals.

Prop 65 Listed Chemicals:

PROP 65 PERCENT

No Prop 65 Chemicals.

No 313 Chemicals

CANADA:

DSL/NDSL:

Not determined.

WHMIS Classification COMPONENT

No hazardous components

EUROPEAN UNION:

PRODUCT RISK PHRASES:

None assigned.

PRODUCT SAFETY PHRASES:

Not applicable.

PRODUCT CLASSIFICATION:

Not classified as hazardous

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION (CONT.)

Component

Number

No hazardous components

16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS Rating 0-4:

FIRE: Not determined. HEALTH: Not determined. REACTIVITY: Not determined.

Abbreviations

N/A - Data is not applicable or not available

SARA - Superfund and Reauthorization Act

HMIS - Hazard Material Information System

WHMIS - Workplace Hazard Materials Information System

NTP - National Toxicology Program

OSHA - Occupational Health and Safety Administration

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

PROP 65 - California Safe Drinking Water and

Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986

EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial

Chemical Substances

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