



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### **SECTION 1** identification

#### 1.1. Product Identifier

Trade Name or Designation: Buffer Solution pH 12.0

Product Number: B16018

#### 1.2. Recommended Use and Restrictions on Use

General Laboratory Reagent

## 1.3. Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

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# 1.4. Emergency Telephone Number (24 hours)

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## **SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification**

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

**GHS-US** classification

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1C H314 Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1 H318

Full text of H statements : see section 16

#### 2.2. Label elements

#### **GHS-US** labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US)



Signal word (GHS-US) : Danger

Hazard statements (GHS-US) : H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P260 - Do not breathe mist, vapors, spray

P264 - Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling P280 - Wear protective gloves, eye protection

P301+P330+P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

P303+P361+P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated

clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P310 - Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician

P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

P405 - Store locked up

P501 - Dispose of contents/container to comply with local, state and federal regulations

If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

#### 2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards not contributing to the : None.

classification

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

## **SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients**

#### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixture

Name	Product identifier	%
Water	(CAS No) 7732-18-5	99.58
Sodium Phosphate, Dibasic, Anhydrous	(CAS No) 7558-79-4	0.35
Sodium Hydroxide	(CAS No) 1310-73-2	0.07

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical

advice (show the label where possible).

First-aid measures after inhalation : Allow victim to breathe fresh air. Allow the victim to rest. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at

rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a poison center or

doctor/physician.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

First-aid measures after eye contact : 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.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

## 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No additional information available

## **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

## 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

# 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Reactivity : Thermal decomposition generates : Corrosive vapors.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any

chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Safety glasses. Gloves.

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

## 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Collect

spillage. Store away from other materials.

## 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or

smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation

of vapor. Do not breathe mist, vapors, spray.

Hygiene measures : Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

## 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures : Comply with applicable regulations.

Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use.

Incompatible products : Strong oxidizers, silver nitrate. Strong acids.

Incompatible materials : incompatible materials.

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1. Control parameters

Sodium Phosphate, Dibasic, Anhydrous (7558-79-4)
Not applicable

# Water (7732-18-5)

Not applicable

Sodium Hydroxide (1310-73-2)		
ACGIH	ACGIH Ceiling (mg/m³)	2 mg/m³ (Sodium hydroxide; USA; Momentary value; TLV - Adopted Value)
OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m³)	2 mg/m³
IDLH	US IDLH (mg/m³)	10 mg/m³
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (ceiling) (mg/m³)	2 mg/m³

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate

vicinity of any potential exposure.

Personal protective equipment : Safety glasses. Gloves. Protective clothing.







Hand protection : Wear protective gloves.

Eye protection : Chemical goggles or face shield.
Skin and body protection : Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection : Respiratory protection not required in normal conditions.

Other information : Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

#### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid
Color : Colorless
Odor : None.

Odor threshold : No data available

pH : 12

Melting point : No data available
Freezing point : No data available
Boiling point : No data available
Flash point : No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : Non flammable.

Vapor pressure : No data available

Relative vapor density at 20 °C : No data available

Relative density : No data available

Specific gravity / density : 1 g/ml

Solubility : Miscible with water. Log Pow : No data available : No data available Auto-ignition temperature Decomposition temperature : No data available : No data available Viscosity, kinematic Viscosity, dynamic : No data available **Explosion limits** : No data available Explosive properties : Not applicable. : None. Oxidizing properties

# 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

## 10.1. Reactivity

Thermal decomposition generates: Corrosive vapors.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

## 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

## 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible materials. Extremely high or low temperatures.

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

silver nitrate. Strong oxidizers. Strong acids.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Phosphine. Phosphorus oxides. Phosgene. Thermal decomposition generates: Corrosive vapors.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Likely routes of exposure : Skin and eye contact

Acute toxicity : Not classified

Sodium Phosphate, Dibasic, Anhydrous (7558-79-4)		
LD50 oral rat	5950 mg/kg	
LD50 dermal rabbit	≥ 7940 mg/kg	
ATE US (oral)	5950.000 mg/kg body weight	
ATE US (dermal)	7940.000 mg/kg body weight	
Water (7732-18-5)		
LD50 oral rat	≥ 90000 mg/kg	
ATE US (oral)	90000.000 mg/kg body weight	
Sodium Hydroxide (1310-73-2)		
ATE US (dermal)	1350.000 mg/kg body weight	
Ckin correction/irritation	Course sovers skip burns and ove demose	

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

pH: 12

Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.

pH: 12

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified Carcinogenicity : Not classified

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated

exposure)

: Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Potential Adverse human health effects and

symptoms

: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

## 12.1. Toxicity

Sodium Phosphate, Dibasic, Anhydrous (7558-79-4)		
LC50 fish 1	≥ 100 mg/l	
EC50 Daphnia 1	≥ 100 mg/l	

Sodium Hydroxide (1310-73-2)	
LC50 fish 1	45.4 mg/l (LC50; Other; 96 h; Salmo gairdneri; Static system; Fresh water; Experimental value)

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Buffer Solution pH 12.00		
Persistence and degradability	Not established.	
Sodium Phosphate, Dibasic, Anhydrous (7558-79-4)		
Persistence and degradability	Not established.	
Water (7732-18-5)		
Persistence and degradability	Not established.	
Sodium Hydroxide (1310-73-2)		
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable. No test data on mobility of the substance available.	
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	Not applicable	
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable	
ThOD	Not applicable	

# 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Buffer Solution pH 12.00		
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.	
Sodium Phosphate, Dibasic, Anhydrous (7558-79-4)		
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.	
Water (7732-18-5)		
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.	
Sodium Hydroxide (1310-73-2)		
Bioaccumulative potential	No bioaccumulation data available.	

# 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

## 12.5. Other adverse effects

Effect on the global warming : No known effects from this product.

GWPmix comment : No known effects from this product.

Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

#### **Department of Transportation (DOT)**

In accordance with DOT

Not regulated

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

Buffer Solution pH 12.00	
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory

This product or mixture does not contain a toxic chemical or chemicals in excess of the applicable de minimis concentration as specified in 40 CFR §372.38(a) subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

Sodium Phosphate, Dibasic, Anhydrous (7558-79-4)		
RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists)	5000 lb	
Sodium Hydroxide (1310-73-2)		
RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists)	1000 lb	

Immediate (acute) health hazard

## 15.2. International regulations

SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes

## **CANADA**

Buffer Solution pH 12.00		
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects	
Sodium Phosphate, Dibasic, Anhydrous (7558-79-4)		
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substanc	es List)	
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects	
Water (7732-18-5)		
WHMIS Classification	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria	
Sodium Hydroxide (1310-73-2)		
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)		
WHMIS Classification	Class E - Corrosive Material	

## **EU-Regulations**

No additional information available

## **National regulations**

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Sodium Phosphate, Dibasic, Anhydrous (7558-79-4)	
Not listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List	

# 15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

Other information : None.

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16:

H312	Harmful in contact with skin
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H320	Causes eye irritation
H402	Harmful to aquatic life

NFPA health hazard : 1 - Exposure could cause irritation but only minor residual

NFPA fire hazard : 0 - Materials that will not burn.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions,

and are not reactive with water.

injury even if no treatment is given.

HMIS III Rating

Health : 1 Slight Hazard - Irritation or minor reversible injury possible

Flammability : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn

Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT

react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.

Personal protection : B - Safety glasses, Gloves

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#### **DISCLAIMER**

When handled properly by qualified personnel, the product described herein does not present a significant health or safety hazard. Alteration of its characteristics by concentration, evaporation, addition of other substances, or other means may present hazards not specifically addressed herein and which must be evaluated by the user. The information furnished herein is believed to be accurate and represents the best data currently available to us. No warranty, expressed or implied, is made and Dawn scientific Inc assumes no legal responsibility or liability whatsoever resulting from its

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