

Material Safety Data Sheet pH Storage Solution

Section 1: Product and Company Identification

pH Storage Solution Synonyms/General Names: pH Storage Solution Product Use: For device calibration Manufacturer: Atlas-Scientific

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Section 2: Hazards Identification

Clear liquid; no odor. CAUTION! Body tissue irritant. Target organs: None known

This material is not considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) if used properly.

Section 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients

Potassium Acid Phthalate: (877-24-7), 1-2% **Sodium Hydroxide:** (1310-73-2), <1%

Water: (7732-18-5), 97-99%

Section 4: First Aid Measures

Always seek professional medical attention after first aid measures are provided.

Eyes: Immediately flush eyes with excess water for 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally. **Skin:** Immediately flush skin with excess water for 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing. **Ingestion:** Call Poison Control immediately. Rinse mouth with cold water. Give victim 1-2 cups of water or milk to drink.

Induce vomiting immediately.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

Noncombustible solution. When heated to decomposition, emits acrid fumes. **Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters:** Use foam or dry chemical to extinguish fire. Firefighters should wear full fire fighting turn-out gear and respiratory protection (SCBA). Cool container with water spray. Material is not sensitive to mechanical impact or static discharge.



Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Isolate the hazard area and deny entry to unnecessary and unprotected personnel. Contain spill with sand or absorbent material and place in sealed bag or container for disposal. Ventilate and wash spill area after pickup is complete. See Section 13 for disposal information.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

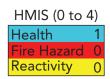
Handling: Use with adequate ventilation and do not breathe dust or vapor. Avoid contact with skins, eyes, or clothing. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Storage: Store in General Storage Area with other items with no specific storage hazards. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated, locked store room away from incompatible materials.

Section 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Use ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits. Have approved eyewash facility, safety shower, and fire extinguishers readily available. Wear chemical splash goggles and chemical resistant clothing such as gloves and aprons. Wash hands thoroughly after handling material and before eating or drinking. Exposure guidelines: Sodium Hydroxide: OSHA PEL: 2 mg/m³, ACGIH: TLV: N/A, STEL: 2 mg/m³ ceiling.





Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Molecular formula:	N/A	Appearance:
Molecular weight:	N/A	Odor:
Specific Gravity:	1.00 g/mL @ 20°C	Odor Threshold:
Vapor Density (air=1):	0.7 (water)	Solubility:
Melting Point Freezes:	@ ~0 °C	Evaporation rate:
Boiling Point/Range:	~100°C	Partition Coefficient:
Vapor Pressure (20°C):	N/A	pH:
Flash Point:	N/A	LEL:
Autoignition Temp:	N/A	UEL:

Clear liquid No odor N/A Complete N/A (Butyl acetate = 1) N/A (log POW) 4.0 N/A N/A

N/A = Not available or applicable

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Avoid heat and moisture. **Stability:** Stable under normal conditions of use and storage. **Incompatibility:** Acids, alkalis, **Shelf life:** Indefinite if stored properly.

Section 11: Toxicology Information

Acute Symptoms/Signs of exposure: Eyes: Redness, tearing, itching, burning, conjunctivitis. Skin: Redness, itching.
Ingestion: Irritation and burning sensations of mouth and throat, nausea, vomiting and abdominal pain.
Inhalation: Irritation of mucous membranes, coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath,
Chronic Effects: No information found.
Sensitization: none expected
Sodium Hydroxide: LD50 [oral, rabbit]; N/A; LC50 [rat]; N/A; LD50 Dermal [rabbit]; N/A
Material has not been found to be a carcinogen nor produce genetic, reproductive, or developmental effects.

Section 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity (aquatic and terrestrial): Not considered an environmental hazard.

Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Check with all applicable local, regional, and national laws and regulations. Local regulations may be more stringent than regional or national regulations. Small amounts of this material may be suitable for sanitary sewer or trash disposal.

Section 14: Transport Information

DOT Shipping Name: Not regulated by DOT DOT Hazard Class: Identification Number: Canada TDG: Not regulated by TDG Hazard Class: UN Number:

Section 15: Regulatory Information

EINECS: Not listed **TSCA:** All components are listed or are exempt WHMIS Canada: Not WHMIS Controlled California Proposition 65: Not listed

The product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

Section 16: Other Information

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