



MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Section 1 Chemical Product and Company Name		
Product	METHYLENE BLUE STAIN	ITEM No: 160-1EA
Synonyms	Methylene blue water-alcohol stain	
CHEMTREC	24 Hour Emergency Phone Number (800) 424-9300	

Section 2 Composition/Ingredients Information			
Chemical Name	CAS#	%	TLV Units
Water	7732-18-5	>70%	None established
Ethanol (denatured)	64-17-5	<30%	TWA: 1000ppm
Methylthioninium chloride hydrate	122965-43-9	<1%	None established
*Denaturants			
Isopropanol	67-63-0		TWA: 400ppm STEL: 500ppm
Methanol	67-56-1		TWA: 200ppm STEL: 250ppm
Methyl isobutyl ketone	108-10-1		TWA: 205ppm STEL: 300ppm
Section 3 Hazards Identification			

WARNING!
FLAMMABLE. HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. HARMFUL IF
INHALED HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. CAUSES EYE
IRRITATION. **Target organs:** liver, kidneys, CNS depressant

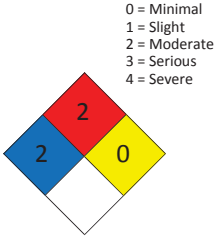
0 = Minimal
1 = Slight
2 = Moderate
3 = Serious
4 = Severe

Health	2
Flammability	2
Physical Hazard	0
Personal Protection	C

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Section 4 First Aid Measures	
INGESTION: Never give anything by mouth to unconscious person. Rinse mouth and get conscious person drink a glass of milk or water. Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get immediate medical attention.	
INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if necessary.	
EYE CONTACT: Wash immediately with plenty of water, and continue washing for at least 15min., occasionally lifting upper and lower eyelids. Seek medical attention if irritation develops.	
SKIN CONTACT: Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. Get medical attention if	

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures	
Flammable liquid and vapor.	
Extinguishing Media: Use TriClass, dry chemical extinguisher or water spray for small fires. Water spray to cool fire-exposed containers and structures. Firefighters should use self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.	
Flash point: 58°F Autoignition temperature: 683°F Explosion limits: Lower: 3.3% Upper: 19.0%	



Section 6 Accidental Release Measures	
Restrict unprotected personnel from the area. Contain the spill with an inert absorbent material and deposit in a sealed bag or container. For small spill use paper towel. Place the wet medium under the hood or outside the building to minimize a vapor concentration in the area. Do not leave it unattended. Dry material place in trash. Ventilate and wash spill area with soap and water.	
Section 7 Handling and Storage	

Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep container tightly closed. For laboratory use only. Not for drug, food, or household use. Use only under adult supervision. Vapor forms from this product and may travel, or be moved by air currents and ignited by pilot lights, static discharges, flames, sparks, heaters or other ignition sources.
Handling: Use hood or with adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Avoid breathing vapor. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
Storage: Flammable cabinet. Keep container in cool, well-ventilated area.

Section 8 Exposure Controls/ Personal Protection	
Engineering controls: Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wear chemical splash goggles, chemical-resistant gloves and chemical-resistant apron. Use ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits. Respiratory protection: Non should be needed if normal laboratory handling at room temperature. Use NIOSH approved respiratory protection in high vapor concentrations.	

Section 9 Physical and Chemical Properties	
Physical state: Liquid Appearance: Blue. Odor: Slight alcohol odor. pH: Not available Vapor Pressure (mm Hg): Not available Vapor Density: Not available Evaporation Rate: Not available Viscosity: Not available	Boiling point: Not available Melting point: Not available Freezing point: Not available Decomposition temp: Not available Solubility: Miscible in water. Specific gravity (H₂O = 1): Not available Percent volatile (%): 100 Wt% Molecular formula: Mixture Molecular weight: N/A

Section 10 Stability and Reactivity	
Chemical Stability: Stable Conditions to Avoid: High temperatures, sparks open flames and incompatible materials. Incompatibilities: Strong oxidizing agents, acids, peroxides, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides, alkali metals, ammonia. Hazardous decomposition: N/A Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.	

Section 11 Toxicological Information	
Effects of overexposure: Eyes: May irritate eyes. Skin: May cause skin irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Will stain body tissue temporarily. Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Ingestion: Depending on amount ingested, this product may result in gastrointestinal irritation with nausea, headache and diarrhea. Harmful if swallowed. It will temporally stain body tissue.	
ORAL LD ₅₀ Ethanol: 7060mg/kg [Rat]. 3450mg/kg [Mouse] VAPOR LC ₅₀ Ethanol: 20000ppm 8h [Rat]. 39000 mg/m ³ 4h [Mouse] ORAL LD ₅₀ Isopropyl alcohol: 5045mg/kg [Rat]. 3600mg/kg [Mouse]. 6410 mg/kg [Rabbit] DERMAL LD ₅₀ Isopropyl alcohol: 12800 mg/kg 4h [Rabbit]. ORAL LD ₅₀ Methyl alcohol: 5628mg/kg [Rat]. VAPOR LC ₅₀ Methyl alcohol: 64000ppm 4h [Rat]. DERMAL LD ₅₀ Methyl alcohol: 15800mg/kg [Rabbit]	

Section 12 Ecological Information	
Data not available.	

Section 13 Disposal Considerations	
Disposal of in accordance with all local, state, and federal regulations, or contact with a licensed chemical disposal agency.	

Section 14 Transport Information	
UN number: 1987 NA: N/A Shipping name: ALCOHOLS, NOS Hazard Class: 3 Packing group: PG II Exceptions: Lty Qty ≤1L	

Section 15 Regulatory Information	
TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (200-578-6)	

Section 16 Other Information	
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