



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product Identifier

Product Description:

Benedict's reagent (quantitative)

Cat No.

Q35565

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use

Laboratory chemicals

Uses advised against

No Information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

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Chemtrec EU: 001 (202) 483-7616

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Chronic aquatic toxicity

Category 3

Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

For the full text of the R-phrases and H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

R-phrases(s)

Risk Combination Phrases

R52/53 - Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

Label Elements

Hazard Statements

H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

EUH032 - Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas

Other Hazards

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No information available.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	EC-No.	Weight %	CAS-No	67/548/EEC Classification	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	REACH No.
Water 7732-18-5	EEC No 231-791-2	70.5	7732-18-5	-	-	-
Citrate, sodium, dihydrate 6132-04-3	EEC No 200-675-3	14.1	6132-04-3	-	-	-
Potassium thiocyanate 333-20-0	EEC No. 206-370-1	8.8	333-20-0	Xn; R20/21/22 R32 R52-53	Acute Tox. 4 (H302) Acute Tox. 4 (H312) Acute Tox. 4 (H332) Aquatic Chronic 3 (H412) (EUH032)	-
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	EEC No. 207-838-8	5.3	497-19-8	Xi; R36	Eye Irrit. 2 (H319)	01-2119485498-19
Cupric sulfate 7758-98-7	EEC No. 231-847-6	1.27	7758-98-7	Xn; R22 Xi; R36/38 N; R50-53	Acute Tox. 4 (H302) Skin Irrit. 2 (H315) Eye Irrit. 2 (H319) Aquatic Acute 1 (H400) Aquatic Chronic 1 (H410)	-
Potassium ferrocyanide 14459-95-1		0.03	14459-95-1	R52/53	Aquatic Chronic 3 (H412)	-

For the full text of the R-phrases and H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Eye Contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.

Ingestion

Do not induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water.

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Inhalation	Move to fresh air
Notes to Physician	Treat symptomatically

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors

Advice for fire-fighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Refer to Section 8.

Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Should not be released into the environment.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Keep container tightly closed. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Specific End Uses

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SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure limits

Component

	European Union	The United Kingdom	France	Belgium	Spain
Potassium thiocyanate		STEL: 15 mg/m ³ 15 min TWA: 5 mg/m ³ 8 hr Skin	VME: 5 mg/m ³ 8 heures. CN Skin		
Potassium ferrocyanide		STEL: 15 mg/m ³ 15 min TWA: 5 mg/m ³ 8 hr Skin	VME: 5 mg/m ³ 8 heures. CN Skin		VLA-ED: 1 mg/m ³ 8 horas

Component

	Italy	Germany	Portugal	The Netherlands	Finland
Potassium thiocyanate		MAK: 2 mg/m ³ 8 Stunden. inhalable fraction Skin Peak: 2 mg/m ³			
Cupric sulfate		MAK: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 Stunden. inhalable fraction Peak: 0.2 mg/m ³			TWA: 1 mg/m ³ 8 tunteina
Potassium ferrocyanide		MAK: 2 mg/m ³ 8 Stunden. inhalable fraction Skin Peak: 2 mg/m ³	TWA: 1 mg/m ³ 8 horas		

Component

	Austria	Denmark	Switzerland	Poland	Norway
Potassium thiocyanate					TWA: 5 mg/m ³ 8 timer Skin
Cupric sulfate	STEL: 4 mg/m ³ 15 Minuten STEL: 0.4 mg/m ³ 15 Minuten MAK: 1 mg/m ³ 8 Stunden MAK: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 Stunden		STEL: 0.2 mg/m ³ 15 Minuten MAK: 0.1 mg/m ³ 8 Stunden		
Potassium ferrocyanide			MAK: 1 mg/m ³ 8 Stunden		TWA: 5 mg/m ³ 8 timer Skin

Component

	Bulgaria	Croatia	Ireland	Cyprus	Czech Republic
Potassium thiocyanate			Skin		
Sodium carbonate					TWA: 5 mg/m ³ 8 hodinách. Ceiling: 10 mg/m ³
Potassium ferrocyanide			Skin		

Component

	Latvia	Lithuania	Luxembourg	Malta	Romania
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Component	Latvia	Lithuania	Luxembourg	Malta	Romania
Sodium carbonate					TWA: 1 mg/m ³ 8 ore STEL: 3 mg/m ³ 15 minute
Potassium ferrocyanide	TWA: 4 mg/m ³				

Component	Russia - TWA	Slovak Republic	Slovenia	Sweden	Turkey
Cupric sulfate	TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ Cu STEL: 1.5 mg/m ³ aerosol				

Biological limit values

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

No information available.

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

No information available.

Exposure controls

Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas

Personal protective equipment

Eye Protection

Safety glasses with side-shields

Hand Protection

Protective gloves

Skin and body protection

Long sleeved clothing

Respiratory Protection

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

Environmental exposure controls

No information available.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State

Liquid

Appearance

No information available

odor

No information available

Boiling Point/Range

No information available.

Melting Point/Range

No information available.

Flash Point

No information available.

Autoignition Temperature

No information available.

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Chemical Stability

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Stable under normal conditions

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Hazardous Polymerization
Hazardous Reactions .

No information available
No information available.

Conditions to Avoid

Excess heat, Incompatible products.

Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

None under normal use conditions

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute Toxicity

Product Information

No acute toxicity information is available for this product

Component Information

Component

Potassium thiocyanate
Sodium carbonate
Cupric sulfate

LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
854 mg/kg (Rat)		
4090 mg/kg (Rat)		
300 mg/kg (Rat)	1000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	

Chronic Toxicity

Carcinogenicity

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

Sensitization

Mutagenic Effects

Reproductive Effects

Developmental Effects

Target Organs

Endocrine Disruptor Information

No information available.

No information available

No information available.

No information available.

Liver Respiratory system Eyes Kidney Skin

None known

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SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

Ecotoxicity effects

Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea
Potassium thiocyanate		Oncorhynchus mykiss: LC50: >100 mg/L/96h		Dahnia Magna: EC50: 11mg/L/48h
Sodium carbonate	242 mg/L EC50 = 120 h	Lepomis macrochirus: LC50: 300 mg/L/96h Gambusia affinis: LC50: 740 mg/L/96h		265 mg/L EC50 = 48 h
Cupric sulfate		0.1 mg/L LC50 96 h		EC50 = 0.024 mg/L/48h

Persistence and degradability

No information available

Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

Mobility in soil

No information available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Other adverse effects

No information available

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues / Unused Products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

Contaminated Packaging

Empty containers should be taken to local recyclers for disposal

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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IMDG/IMO

Not regulated

ADR

Not regulated

IATA

Not regulated

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

International Inventories

Component	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	CHINA	AICS	KECL
Water	231-791-2	-		X	X	-	X	-	X	X	X
Citrate, sodium, dihydrate	-	-		-	-	-	X	X	X	X	-
Potassium thiocyanate	206-370-1	-		X	X	-	X	X	X	X	X
Sodium carbonate	207-838-8	-		X	X	-	X	X	X	X	X
Cupric sulfate	231-847-6	-		X	X	-	X	X	X	X	X
Potassium ferrocyanide	-	-		-	-	-	X	X	X	X	-

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

CHINA - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

AICS - Inventory of Chemical Substances

KECL - Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

Chemical Safety Assessment

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3

R32 - Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas

R36 - Irritating to eyes

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SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

R20/21/22 - Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed

R36/38 - Irritating to eyes and skin

R50/53 - Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

R52/53 - Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

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Revision Summary

SDS section 1 updated and update to Format.

This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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