

SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixture
Product name : Buffer Solution A for Sulfate
Product code : LC12570

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

Use of the substance/mixture : For laboratory and manufacturing use only.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 or 011-703-527-3887

SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS-US classification

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2 H315
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A H319
Full text of H statements : see section 16

2.2. Label elements

GHS-US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US) :



GHS07

Signal word (GHS-US) : Warning
Hazard statements (GHS-US) : H315 - Causes skin irritation
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation
Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P264 - Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling
P280 - Wear protective gloves, eye protection
P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
P321 - Specific treatment (see ... on this label)
P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention
P362+P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse

2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards not contributing to the classification : None under normal conditions.

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

3.1. Substance

Not applicable

3.2. Mixture

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Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Water	(CAS No) 7732-18-5	94.4	Not classified
Magnesium Chloride, Hexahydrate	(CAS No) 7791-18-6	3	Not classified
Acetic Acid	(CAS No) 64-19-7	2	Flam. Liq. 3, H226 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Aquatic Acute 3, H402
Sodium Acetate, Trihydrate	(CAS No) 6131-90-4	0.5	Not classified
Potassium Nitrate	(CAS No) 7757-79-1	0.1	Ox. Sol. 3, H272 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319 STOT SE 3, H335

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.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash with plenty of soap and water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.

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

- Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Causes skin irritation.
- Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.

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

Obtain medical assistance.

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

No additional information available

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.

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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.
- Hygiene measures : Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use.
- Incompatible products : Strong bases.
- Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Magnesium Chloride, Hexahydrate (7791-18-6)

Not applicable

Potassium Nitrate (7757-79-1)

Not applicable

Sodium Acetate, Trihydrate (6131-90-4)

Not applicable

Acetic Acid (64-19-7)

ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (ppm)	10 ppm (Acetic acid; USA; Time-weighted average exposure limit 8 h; TLV - Adopted Value)
ACGIH	ACGIH STEL (ppm)	15 ppm (Acetic acid; USA; Short time value; TLV - Adopted Value)
OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m ³)	25 mg/m ³
OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	10 ppm
IDLH	US IDLH (ppm)	50 ppm
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (TWA) (mg/m ³)	25 mg/m ³
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (TWA) (ppm)	10 ppm
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (STEL) (mg/m ³)	37 mg/m ³
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (STEL) (ppm)	15 ppm

Water (7732-18-5)

Not applicable

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. Ensure adequate ventilation.
- Personal protective equipment : Safety glasses. Gloves.



- Hand protection : Wear protective gloves.
- Eye protection : Chemical goggles or safety glasses.
- 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.

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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	: No data available
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
Solubility	: Soluble in water.
Log Pow	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong bases.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Nitrogen oxides. Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Likely routes of exposure	: Skin and eye contact
Acute toxicity	: Not classified

Potassium Nitrate (7757-79-1)	
LD50 oral rat	3750 mg/kg (Rat)
ATE US (oral)	3750.000 mg/kg body weight

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Acetic Acid (64-19-7)	
LD50 oral rat	3310 mg/kg body weight (Rat; Other; Read-across)
ATE US (oral)	3310.000 mg/kg body weight
Water (7732-18-5)	
LD50 oral rat	≥ 90000 mg/kg
ATE US (oral)	90000.000 mg/kg body weight
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes skin irritation.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye irritation.
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 skin contact	: Causes skin irritation.
Symptoms/injuries after eye contact	: Causes serious eye irritation.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Potassium Nitrate (7757-79-1)	
LC50 fish 2	1378 mg/l (LC50; 96 h; Poecilia reticulata)
LC50 other aquatic organisms 2	490 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna)

12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	Not established.
Magnesium Chloride, Hexahydrate (7791-18-6)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.
Potassium Nitrate (7757-79-1)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	Not applicable
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable
ThOD	Not applicable
Sodium Acetate, Trihydrate (6131-90-4)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.
Acetic Acid (64-19-7)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. Biodegradable in the soil. Highly mobile in soil.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.6 - 0.74 g O ₂ /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.03 g O ₂ /g substance
ThOD	1.07 g O ₂ /g substance
Water (7732-18-5)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.
Magnesium Chloride, Hexahydrate (7791-18-6)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.
Potassium Nitrate (7757-79-1)	
Bioaccumulative potential	No bioaccumulation data available.
Sodium Acetate, Trihydrate (6131-90-4)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.
Acetic Acid (64-19-7)	
BCF fish 1	3.16 (BCF; Pisces)
Log Pow	-0.17 (Experimental value; 25 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (Log Kow < 4).
Water (7732-18-5)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Acetic Acid (64-19-7)	
Surface tension	0.028 N/m (20 °C)
Log Koc	log Koc,0.06; QSAR
Ecology - soil	May be harmful to plant growth, blooming and fruit formation.

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 A for Sulfate		
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 except for:		
Magnesium Chloride, Hexahydrate	CAS No 7791-18-6	3%
Sodium Acetate, Trihydrate	CAS No 6131-90-4	0.5%

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 13 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

Potassium Nitrate (7757-79-1)	
SARA Section 313 - Emission Reporting	1 % Nitrate compounds (water dissociable)

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Acetic Acid (64-19-7)

RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists)	5000 lb
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15.2. International regulations

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WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects
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Magnesium Chloride, Hexahydrate (7791-18-6)

Not listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

WHMIS Classification	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria
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Potassium Nitrate (7757-79-1)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

WHMIS Classification	Class C - Oxidizing Material Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects
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Sodium Acetate, Trihydrate (6131-90-4)

Not listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

WHMIS Classification	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria
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Acetic Acid (64-19-7)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

WHMIS Classification	Class B Division 3 - Combustible Liquid Class E - Corrosive Material
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Water (7732-18-5)

WHMIS Classification	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria
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EU-Regulations

No additional information available

National regulations

Magnesium Chloride, Hexahydrate (7791-18-6)

Not listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)

Potassium Nitrate (7757-79-1)

Not listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)

Acetic Acid (64-19-7)

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

Revision date : 12/20/2016

Other information : None.

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16:

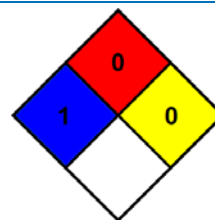
H226	Flammable liquid and vapor
H272	May intensify fire; oxidizer
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H315	Causes skin irritation
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H335	May cause respiratory irritation
H402	Harmful to aquatic life

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- NFPA health hazard : 1 - Exposure could cause irritation but only minor residual injury even if no treatment is given.
- 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.



- 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
- B - Safety glasses, Gloves

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