

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture

Product name : Water Hardness Buffer, Odorless

Product code : LC26800

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: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (GHS-US)

Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:dust,mist) H332 Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Aquatic Acute 3 H402 Full text of H-phrases: 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

H332 - Harmful if inhaled

H402 - Harmful to aquatic life

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P261 - Avoid breathing mist, vapors, spray

P264 - Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P273 - Avoid release to the environment
P280 - Wear protective gloves, eye protection

P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

P304+P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
P312 - Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell
P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention
P362 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

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

2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards not contributing to the

classification

: None under normal conditions

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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	%	Classification (GHS-US)
Water	(CAS No) 7732-18-5	64	Not classified
Ethanolamine	(CAS No) 141-43-5	30	Flam. Liq. 4, H227 Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal), H311 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation), H332 Skin Corr. 1C, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Aquatic Acute 3, H402
Hydrochloric Acid	(CAS No) 7647-01-0	5.5	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 STOT SE 3, H335 Aquatic Acute 3, H402
EDTA, Magnesium Disodium Salt	(CAS No) 14402-88-1	0.5	Not classified

Full text of H-phrases: 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. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you

feel unwell.

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 inhalation : Danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation. Harmful if

inhaled.

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

Treat symptomatically.

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.

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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. Avoid release to the environment.

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. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid breathing mist.

Hygiene measures : Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : Heat sources.,

Ignition sources, incompatible materials. Keep container closed when not in use.

Incompatible products : Strong oxidizers.

Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Water Hardness Buffer, Odorless	
ACGIH	Not applicable
OSHA	Not applicable
Ethanolamine (141-43-5)	
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Ethanolamine (141-43-5) ACGIH	Not applicable

EDTA, Magnesium Disodium Salt (14402-88-1)	
ACGIH	Not applicable
OSHA	Not applicable

Water (7732-18-5)	
ACGIH	Not applicable
OSHA	Not applicable

8.2. Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment : Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

Hand protection : Wear protective gloves.

Eye protection : Chemical goggles or safety glasses.

Skin and body protection : Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection : Wear appropriate mask.

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 : mild

Odor threshold : No data available

pH : ≤ 11

Melting point : No data available : No data available Freezing point Boiling point No data available Flash point No data available Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) No data available Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available **Explosion limits** : No data available No data available Explosive properties : No data available Oxidizing properties Vapor pressure No data available Relative density No data available Relative vapor density at 20 °C : No data available

Solubility : Water: Solubility in water of component(s) of the mixture :

· Hydrochloric Acid, 37% w/w:

Log Pow : No data available
Log Kow : No data available
Auto-ignition temperature : No data available
Decomposition temperature : No data available
Viscosity : No data available
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available
Viscosity, dynamic : 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 oxidizers.

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 : Inhalation; Skin and eye contact

Acute toxicity : Inhalation:dust,mist: Harmful if inhaled.

Water Hardness Buffer, Odorless	
ATE US (dust, mist)	5.000 mg/l/4h
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Ethanolamine (141-43-5)	
LD50 oral rat	1720 mg/kg
LD50 dermal rabbit	1000 mg/kg
ATE US (oral)	1720.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE US (dermal)	1000.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE US (gases)	4500.000 ppmV/4h
ATE US (vapors)	11.000 mg/l/4h
ATE US (dust, mist)	1.500 mg/l/4h
Hydrochloric Acid, 37% w/w (7647-01-0)	
LD50 oral rat	700 mg/kg
LD50 dermal rabbit	5010 mg/kg
ATE US (oral)	700.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE US (dermal)	5010.000 mg/kg body weight
Water (7732-18-5)	
LD50 oral rat	≥ 90000 mg/kg
ATE US (oral)	90000.000 mg/kg body weight
kin corrosion/irritation	: Causes skin irritation.
	pH: ≤ 11
erious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye irritation.
	pH: ≤ 11
espiratory or skin sensitization	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Hydrochloric Acid, 37% w/w (7647-01-0)	
IARC group	3 - Not classifiable
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	: Not classified
pecific target organ toxicity (repeated xposure)	: Not classified
spiration hazard	: Not classified
otential Adverse human health effects and ymptoms	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Harmful if inhaled.
symptoms/injuries after inhalation	: Danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation. Harmful if inhaled.
symptoms/injuries after skin contact	: Causes skin irritation.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - water : Harmful to aquatic life.

Ethanolamine (141-43-5)		
LC50 fish 1	150 mg/l 96 h	
EC50 Daphnia 1	65 mg/l 48 h	
EC50 other aquatic organisms 1	15 mg/l 72 h	
Hydrochloric Acid, 37% w/w (7647-01-0)		
LC50 fish 1	282 mg/l (96 h; Gambusia affinis; Pure substance)	
EC50 Daphnia 1	< 56 mg/l (72 h; Daphnia magna; Pure substance)	
LC50 fish 2	862 mg/l (Leuciscus idus; Pure substance)	
TLM fish 1	282 ppm (96 h; Gambusia affinis; Pure substance)	

: Causes serious eye irritation.

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12.2.	Persistence ar	nd degradability
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Water Hardness Buffer, Odorless		
Persistence and degradability	Not established.	
Hydrochloric Acid, 37% w/w (7647-01-0)		
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable. No test data on mobility of the components available.	
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	Not applicable	
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable	
ThOD	Not applicable	
BOD (% of ThOD)	Not applicable	
Water (7732-18-5)		
Persistence and degradability	Not established.	

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Water Hardness Buffer, Odorless		
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.	
Ethanolamine (141-43-5)		
Log Pow	-1.91	
Hydrochloric Acid, 37% w/w (7647-01-0)		
Log Pow	0.25 (QSAR)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (Log Kow < 4).	
Water (7732-18-5)		
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.	

12.4. Mobility in soil

Hydrochloric Acid, 37% w/w (7647-01-0)	
Ecology - soil	May be harmful to plant growth, blooming and fruit formation.

12.5. Other adverse effects

Effect on the global warming : No known ecological damage caused by 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. Dispose of

contents/container to comply with local, state and federal regulations.

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT Not regulated for transport

Additional information

Other information : No supplementary information available.

ADR

No additional information available

Transport by sea

No additional information available

Air transport

No additional information available

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SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

Water Hardness Buffer, Odorless	
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.

Ethanolamine (141-43-5)		
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard	
Hydrochloric Acid, 37% w/w (7647-01-0)		
RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists)	5000 lb	
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard	

15.2. International regulations

CANADA

CANADA		
Ethanolamine (141-43-5)		
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)		
Hydrochloric Acid, 37% w/w (7647-01-0)		
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)		
WHMIS Classification	Class E - Corrosive Material	
Water (7732-18-5)		
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)		

Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria

WHMIS Classification

EU-RegulationsNo additional information available

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

No additional information available

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC [DSD] or 1999/45/EC [DPD]

Not classified

National regulations

Hydrochloric Acid, 37% w/w (7647-01-0) Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)

Water (7732-18-5)

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 and/or reproductive harm

SECTION 16: Other information

Other information : None.

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Full text of H-phrases: see section 16:

Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal)	Acute toxicity (dermal) Category 3
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Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation)	Acute toxicity (inhalation) Category 4
Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:dust,mist)	Acute toxicity (inhalation:dust,mist) Category 4
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral) Category 4
Aquatic Acute 3	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard Category 3
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1
Eye Irrit. 2A	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A
Flam. Liq. 4	Flammable liquids Category 4
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1B
Skin Corr. 1C	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1C
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3
H227	Combustible liquid
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H311	Toxic in contact with skin
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H315	Causes skin irritation
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H332	Harmful if inhaled
H335	May cause respiratory irritation
H402	Harmful to aquatic life

NFPA health hazard : 2 - Intense or continued exposure could cause temporary incapacitation or possible residual injury unless prompt

medical attention is given.

NFPA fire hazard : 1 - Must be preheated before ignition can occur.

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

and are not reactive with water.



HMIS III Rating

Health : 2 Moderate Hazard - Temporary or minor injury may occur

Flammability : 1 Slight Hazard - Materials that must be preheated before ignition will occur. Includes liquids,

solids and semi solids having a flash point above 200 F. (Class IIIB)

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 : E

B - Safety glasses, Gloves

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