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Material Safety Data Sheet

Material Name: Light Green Counterstain

MSDS ID: 00231581

*** Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification ***

Manufacturer Information

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Product Number(s)

860-010, 1504030, 05279267001, 06038182001, 860-007, 1504021, 05279232001, 06038123001, 860-024, 1562500, 5412749001, 06042457001

Product Use

clinical/research

*** Section 2 - Hazards Identification ***

NFPA Ratings: Health: 2 Fire: 0 Reactivity: 0

Hazard Scale: 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe

Preparation

This material is not classified.

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Color: green to blue

Physical Form: liquid

Odor: mild odor, vinegar odor

Major Health Hazards: harmful if inhaled, respiratory tract irritation, skin irritation, eye irritation

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

Inhalation

Short Term: irritation, cough, difficulty breathing, loss of voice, lung congestion, changes in blood pressure

Long Term: irritation, digestive disorders

Skin

Short Term: irritation, skin disorders

Long Term: irritation, skin disorders

Eye

Short Term: irritation, tearing, eye damage, blindness

Long Term: irritation, tearing, eye damage, blindness

Ingestion

Short Term: irritation, vomiting, diarrhea, stomach pain, changes in body temperature, irregular heartbeat, difficulty breathing, loss of voice, lung congestion, blood disorders, convulsions

Long Term: irritation, vomiting, diarrhea, stomach pain, changes in body temperature, irregular heartbeat, difficulty breathing, loss of voice, lung congestion, blood disorders, convulsions

OSHA Regulatory Status

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

*** Section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients ***

CAS #	Component / EU Number	Percent	Symbol(s)	Risk Phrase(s)
Not Available	NON-HAZARDOUS	60-100	---	---
64-19-7	ACETIC ACID 200-580-7	0.5-1.5	C	R:10-35

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*** Section 4 - First Aid Measures ***

Inhalation

If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. Get immediate medical attention.

Skin

Wash contaminated areas with soap and water. Thoroughly clean and dry contaminated clothing before reuse. Get medical attention, if needed.

Eyes

Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Then get immediate medical attention.

Ingestion

If a large amount is swallowed, get medical attention.

*** Section 5 - Fire-Fighting Measures ***

See Section 9 for Flammability Properties

Flammable Properties

Negligible fire hazard.

Extinguishing Media

Use extinguishing agents appropriate for surrounding fire.

Fire Fighting Measures

Move container from fire area if it can be done without risk. Avoid inhalation of material or combustion by-products.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Thermal decomposition or combustion products: oxides of carbon, oxides of nitrogen, oxides of sulfur

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact

Not sensitive

Sensitivity to Static Discharge

Not sensitive

*** Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures ***

Occupational Spill/Release

Absorb with sand or other non-combustible material. Collect spilled material in appropriate container for disposal.

*** Section 7 - Handling and Storage ***

Handling Procedures

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Storage Procedures

Store and handle in accordance with all current regulations and standards. Store between 2 C and 30 C. See original container for storage recommendations. Keep separated from incompatible substances.

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*** Section 8 - Exposure Controls/Personal Protection ***

Exposure Limits

ACETIC ACID (64-19-7)

ACGIH:	10 ppm TWA 15 ppm STEL
NIOSH:	10 ppm TWA; 25 mg/m3 TWA 15 ppm STEL; 37 mg/m3 STEL 50 ppm IDLH
OSHA:	10 ppm TWA; 25 mg/m3 TWA 10 ppm TWA; 25 mg/m3 TWA
EEC:	10 ppm TWA; 25 mg/m3 TWA
Austria:	20 ppm STEL (8 X 5 min); 50 mg/m3 STEL (8 X 5 min) 10 ppm MAK; 25 mg/m3 MAK
Belgium:	15 ppm STEL; 38 mg/m3 STEL 10 ppm TWA; 25 mg/m3 TWA
Denmark:	10 ppm TWA; 25 mg/m3 TWA
Finland:	10 ppm STEL; 25 mg/m3 STEL 5 ppm TWA; 13 mg/m3 TWA
France:	10 ppm VLCT; 25 mg/m3 VLCT
Germany:	10 ppm TWA (exposure factor 2); 25 mg/m3 TWA (exposure factor 2) 10 ppm MAK; 25 mg/m3 MAK 20 ppm Peak; 50 mg/m3 Peak
Greece:	15 ppm STEL; 37 mg/m3 STEL 10 ppm TWA; 25 mg/m3 TWA
Ireland:	15 ppm STEL; 37 mg/m3 STEL 10 ppm TWA; 25 mg/m3 TWA
Japan	10 ppm OEL; 25 mg/m3 OEL
Portugal:	10 ppm TWA 15 ppm STEL
Spain:	15 ppm VLA-EC; 37 mg/m3 VLA-EC 10 ppm VLA-ED; 25 mg/m3 VLA-ED
Sweden:	5 ppm LLV; 13 mg/m3 LLV 10 ppm STV; 25 mg/m3 STV

Ventilation

Provide adequate ventilation. Ensure compliance with applicable exposure limits.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Eyes/Face

Safety glasses or goggles are recommended when there is a potential for eye contact. Provide an emergency eye wash fountain and quick drench shower in the immediate work area.

Protective Clothing

Lab coat or apron.

Glove Recommendations

Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

Protective Materials

latex, nitrile, vinyl

Respiratory Protection

No respirator is required under normal conditions of use.

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*** Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties ***

Physical State:	Liquid	Appearance:	Clear, green to blue liquid
Color:	green to blue	Physical Form:	liquid
Odor:	mild odor, vinegar odor	Odor Threshold:	Not available
pH:	2.0-3.0	Melting/Freezing Point:	Not available
Boiling Point:	Not available	Decomposition:	Not available
Flash Point:	not flammable	Evaporation Rate:	Not available
LEL:	Not available	UEL:	Not available
Vapor Pressure:	Not available	Vapor Density (air = 1):	Not available
Density:	Not available	Specific Gravity (water = 1):	Not available
Water Solubility:	miscible	Log KOW:	Not available
Coeff. Water/Oil Dist.:	Not available	Auto Ignition:	Not available
Viscosity:	Not available	Volatility:	Not available

*** Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity ***

Chemical Stability

Stable at normal temperatures and pressure.

Conditions to Avoid

None reported.

Materials to Avoid

acid anhydrides, acids, alcohols, amines, bases, carbonates, hydroxides, oxides, oxidizing materials, permanganates, peroxides, phosphates, sulfur

Decomposition Products

Thermal decomposition or combustion products: oxides of carbon, oxides of nitrogen, oxides of sulfur

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Will not polymerize.

*** Section 11 - Toxicological Information ***

Acute and Chronic Toxicity

Component Analysis - LD50/LC50

The components of this material have been reviewed in various sources and the following selected endpoints are published:

ACETIC ACID (64-19-7)

Inhalation LC50 Rat 11.4 mg/L 4 h; Oral LD50 Rat 3310 mg/kg; Dermal LD50 Rabbit 1060 mg/kg

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Oral LD50 Rat >2 g/kg

RTECS Acute Toxicity (selected)

The components of this material have been reviewed, and RTECS publishes the following endpoints:

ACETIC ACID (64-19-7)

Inhalation: 11000 mg/m³/4 hour Inhalation Rat LC50

Oral: 3310 mg/kg Oral Rat LD50

Skin: 1060 mg/kg Skin Rabbit LD50; 1060 uL/kg Skin Rabbit LD50

Acute Toxicity Level

ACETIC ACID (64-19-7)

Toxic: inhalation.

Moderately Toxic: dermal absorption, ingestion.

Irritation/Corrosivity

RTECS Irritation

The components of this material have been reviewed, and RTECS publishes the following endpoints:

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50 mg/24 hour Skin Human mild; 5 mg/30 second(s) Eyes Rabbit mild; 50 mg/24 hour Skin Rabbit mild; 525 mg/open Skin Rabbit severe

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Local Effects

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Corrosive: inhalation, skin, eye, ingestion.

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Irritant: inhalation, skin.

Target Organs

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blood.

Carcinogenicity

Component Carcinogenicity

ACETIC ACID (64-19-7)

Denmark: Present

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IARC: Supplement 7 [1987]; Monograph 16 [1978] (Group 3 (not classifiable))

Mutagenic

No data available for the mixture.

RTECS Mutagenic

The components of this material have been reviewed, and RTECS publishes data for one or more components.

Reproductive Effects

No data available for the mixture.

RTECS Reproductive Effects

The components of this material have been reviewed, and RTECS publishes data for one or more components.

Tumorigenic

No data available for the mixture.

RTECS Tumorigenic

The components of this material have been reviewed, and RTECS publishes data for one or more components.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure

eye disorders, respiratory disorders, skin disorders and allergies

*** Section 12 - Ecological Information ***

Component Analysis - Aquatic Toxicity

ACETIC ACID (64-19-7)

Fish: 96 Hr LC50 Pimephales promelas: 79 mg/L [static]; 96 Hr LC50 Lepomis macrochirus: 75 mg/L [static]

Invertebrate: 24 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: 47 mg/L; 48 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: 65 mg/L [Static]

Mobility

No data available for the mixture.

Persistence & Degradation

No data available for the mixture.

Bioaccumulative Potential

No data available for the mixture.

*** Section 13 - Disposal Considerations ***

Disposal Methods

Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. Subject to disposal regulations: U.S. EPA 40 CFR 262.

Hazardous Waste Number(s): D002.

Component Waste Numbers

The U.S. EPA has not published waste numbers for this product's components.

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*** Section 14 - Transport Information ***

US DOT Information

Not regulated.

TDG Information

Not regulated.

ADR Information

Not regulated.

RID Information

Not regulated.

IATA Information

Not regulated.

ICAO Information

Not regulated.

IMDG Information

Not regulated.

*** Section 15 - Regulatory Information ***

U.S. Federal Regulations

This material contains one or more of the following chemicals required to be identified under SARA Sections 302/304 (40 CFR 355 Appendix A), SARA Section 313 (40 CFR 372.65), CERCLA (40 CFR 302.4), TSCA 12(b), and/or require an OSHA process safety plan.

ACETIC ACID (64-19-7)

CERCLA: 5000 lb final RQ; 2270 kg final RQ

SARA 311/312

Acute Health: Yes Chronic Health: No Fire: No Pressure: No Reactive: No

U.S. State Regulations

The following components appear on one or more of the following state hazardous substances lists:

Component / EC Number	CAS	CA	MA	MN	NJ	PA	RI
ACETIC ACID	64-19-7	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
LIGHT GREEN SF, YELLOWISH	5141-20-8	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No

California Proposition 65

Not regulated under California Proposition 65

Canadian Regulations

Canada WHMIS

The following components are identified under the Canadian Hazardous Products Act Ingredient Disclosure List:

ACETIC ACID (64-19-7)

1 %

WHMIS Classification

D2B.

European Regulations

This preparation has been classified for the European Union according to Annex VI Directives 67/548/EEC and 99/45/EC.

Germany Water Classification

ACETIC ACID (64-19-7)

Number 93, hazard class 1 - low hazard to waters

EU Marking and Labelling

This material is not classified.

Japanese Regulations

Japan Designated Chemical Substances (PRTR Law)

No components of this material are subject to reporting requirements as specified by the "Law Concerning Reporting, etc. of Releases to the Environment of Specific Chemical Substances and Promoting Improvements in Their Management" nor are they included in the "Pollutant Release and Transfer Register (PRTR)" of designated chemicals.

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Japan Poisonous and Deleterious Substances

No components of this material are specified as poisonous or deleterious substances, as regulated by Japan under the Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law.

Industrial Safety and Health Law - Flammable Materials

The following components are identified in Table 6-2 of the Enforcement Order of the Industrial Safety and Health Law which, if used in the workplace, require designation of an Operations Chief during confined space work and periodic machine inspections.

ACETIC ACID (64-19-7)

Flammable substance

Industrial Safety and Health Law - Label Disclosure

No components of this material are specifically required to be indicated on a container label as specified by Article 18 of the Enforcement Order of the Industrial Safety and Health Law.

Industrial Safety and Health Law - Organic Solvents

No components of this material are specifically identified in Table 6-2 of the Enforcement Order of the Industrial Safety and Health Law which, if used in the workplace, require designation of an Operations Chief during confined space work and periodic machine inspections.

*** Section 16 - Other Information ***

Key / Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists; ADR - European Road Transport; AU - Australia; BOD - Biochemical Oxygen Demand; C - Celsius; CA - Canada; CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service; CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; CN - China; CPR - Controlled Products Regulations; DFG - Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft; DOT - Department of Transportation; DSL - Domestic Substances List; EEC - European Economic Community; EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances; EPA - Environmental Protection Agency; EU - European Union; F - Fahrenheit; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IDL - Ingredient Disclosure List; IDLH - Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; JP - Japan; Kow - Octanol/water partition coefficient; KR - Korea; LEL - Lower Explosive Limit; LOLI - List Of Lists™ - ChemADVISOR's Regulatory Database; MAK - Maximum Concentration Value in the Workplace; MEL - Maximum Exposure Limits; NFPA - National Fire Protection Agency; NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; NJTSR - New Jersey Trade Secret Registry; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZ - New Zealand; OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration; PH - Philippines; RCRA - Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; RID - European Rail Transport; RTECS - Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances®; SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; STEL - Short-term Exposure Limit; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act; TWA - Time Weighted Average; UEL - Upper Explosive Limit; US - United States

Full text of R phrases in Section 3

R10 Flammable.

R35 Causes severe burns.

R37 Irritating to respiratory system.

R38 Irritating to skin.

Other Information

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