FOR SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS.

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

MAY BE USED TO COMPLY WITH

OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION

STANDARD, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

STANDARD MUST BE CONSULTED

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NOTE: BLANK SPACES ARE NOT PERMITTED. IF ANY ITEM IS NOT APPLICABLE, OR NO INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE, THE SPACE MUST BE MARKED TO INDICATE THAT.

SECTION I

MANUFACTURER'S NAME: CAMBRIDGE DIAGNOSTIC PRODUCTS, INC.

ADDRESS (NUMBER, STREET, CITY,

STATE, AND ZIP CODE): 6880 NW 17TH AVENUE

FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER: (954) 971-4040 OR FOR EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

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DATE PREPARED: JULY 1, 1996

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SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS/IDENTITY INFORMATION

HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS (SPECIFIC OSHA PEL ACGIH TLV OTHER % (OPTIONAL)

CHEMICAL IDENTITY; COMMON NAME(S))

LIMITS METHYL ALCOHOL CAS 67-56-1 200 PPM 200 PPM N/A

SECTION III - PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

BOILING POINT: 148 F

VAPOR PRESSURE (MM HG.): 96

VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1): 1.1

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: VERY GOOD, HOWEVER WATER CAUSES PARTIAL PRECIPITATION. APPEARANCE AND ODOR: DARK BLUE, LOW VISCOSITY LIQUID WITH CHARACTERISTIC

METHANOL ODOR.

SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H2O=1): 0.82 - 0.92

MELTING POINT: N/A

EVAPORATION RATE (BUTYL ACETATE): 5.9

PH 10% SOLUTION IN H20: 6.0 - 9.0

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT (METHOD USED): 52 F TAG CLOSED CUP FLAMMABLE LIMITS: LEL - 6.0 UEL - 36.5

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: CO2, DRY CHEMICAL FOAM.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: DO NOT INHALE FUMES OR SMOKE. WEAR FULL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND NIOSH APPROVED SELF CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS. UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: ABOVE FLASH POINT VAPOR-AIR MIXTURES ARE EXPLOSIVE. FUMES ARE HIGHLY TOXIC AND REPRESENT FIRE HAZARD WHEN EXPOSED TO SPARK OR FLAME.

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SECTION V - REACTIVITY

STABILITY: UNSTABLE

STABLE [XXX]

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: NONE EXPECTED.

INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIALS TO AVOID): STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BYPRODUCTS: HEAT AND FIRE MAY OCCUR. SOME TOXIC FUMES CAN FORM.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: MAY OCCUR

WILL NOT OCCUR [XXX]

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: NONE.

SECTION VI - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY:

INHALATION?: XX

SKIN?: XX

INGESTION?: XX

HEALTH HAZARDS (ACUTE AND CHRONIC): NO HEALTH HAZARDS ARE EXPECTED OR REPORTED WHEN USED AS DIRECTED BY MEDICAL LABORATORIES IN SMALL VOLUME; LEVEL OF EXPOSURE IS USUALLY VERY SMALL. IN CASE OF UNEXPECTED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE:

SKIN: DEFATTING, MAY CAUSE DERMATITIS.

EYE: IRRITANT, CAUSES CORNEAL DAMAGE.

INGESTION: TOXIC, LETHAL DOSE 100-125 ML. CAUSES BLINDNESS AND RENAL DYSFUNCTION.

INHALATION: PROLONGED OVEREXPOSURE CAUSES DIZZINESS, HEADACHE, NARCOTIC EFFECT AND IS TOXIC TO THE NERVOUS SYSTEM, ESPECIALLY THE OPTIC NERVE.

CARCINOGENICITY: NONE

IARC MONOGRAPHS?: N/A OSHA REGULATED?: N/A NTP?: N/A

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:

INHALATION: PROLONGED OVEREXPOSURE CAUSES DIZZINESS, HEADACHE, NARCOTIC EFFECT.

SKIN: OVEREXPOSURE CAUSES EXCESSIVE DRYNESS AND MAY CAUSE DERMATITIS.

EYES: CAUSES CORNEAL DAMAGE.

INGESTION: MAY BE FATAL. CAUSES BLINDNESS AND RENAL DYSFUNCTION.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: ASTHMA, EMPHYSEMA OR DERMATITIS.

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURE:

SKIN: WASH OFF WITH SOAP AND WATER, APPLY EMOLLIENT CREAM. IN CASE ANY IRRITATION PERSISTS GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

EYES: IRRIGATE WITH WATER OR EYEWASH FOR 15 MINUTES, GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

INGESTION: GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

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SECTION VII - PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING AND USE

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: ABSORB WITH A

SUITABLE COMMERCIAL ABSORBENT. IN CASE NO ABSORBENT IS AVAILABLE OR THERE IS A POSSIBLE FIRE HAZARD, WASH DIRECTLY TO SEWER WITH PLENTY COLD WATER. ELIMINATE ALL SOURCES OF IGNITION TO PREVENT FIRE. CLEAN AREA WELL.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: OBSOLETE MATERIAL MAY BE INCINERATED.

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING: STORE AT CONTROLLED ROOM TEMPERATURE (15-30 C) IN CLOSED CONTAINERS AWAY FROM ANY SOURCE OF HEAT OR OPEN FLAME.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: AVOID ALL BODILY CONTACT. REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND WASH AND TREAT AFFECTED AREAS OF THE BODY. DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT NEAR OPEN FLAME.

SECTION VIII - CONTROL MEASURES

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (SPECIFY TYPE): NIOSH APPROVED DISPOSABLE DUST AND MIST RESPIRATORS (DM).

VENTILATION:

LOCAL EXHAUST: XXX [MINIMUM RATE]

MECHANICAL (GENERAL): XXX [MINIMUM RATE]

SPECIAL: N/A OTHER: N/A

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: THIN POLYETHYLENE EYE PROTECTION: CHEMICAL GOGGLES

OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT: LAB COAT

WORK/HYGIENIC PRACTICES: AVOID PROLONGED BODILY CONTACT AND INHALATION OF FUMES. EYEWASH: SHOULD BE AVAILABLE AT WORK PLACE. DO NOT CONTAMINATE

FOODSTUFF WITH THIS PRODUCT.

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