Section 1 Chemical Product and Company Information

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Phone Number (800) 424-9300

CHEMTREC 24 Hour Emergency

(585)764-5400 For laboratory use only. Not for drug, food or household use

Product	Buffer Solution pH10
Synonyms	"Rapid Flu Test Solution"

Section 2 Hazards Identification

This substance or mixture has not been classified at this time according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS) of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.

Signal word: WARNING Pictograms: None required Target organs: None known

GHS Classification:Skin irritation (Category 3)
Eye irritation (Category 2B)

GHS Label information: Hazard statement(s):

H316: Causes mild skin irritation. H320: Causes eye irritation.

Precautionary statement(s):

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P332+P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.

P337+P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.

Ca Prop 65 - This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients **Chemical Name** CAS# **EINECS** % Water 7732-18-5 99.77% 231-791-2 Potassium chloride 7447-40-7 0.10% 231-211-8 Boric acid 0.08% 10043-35-3 233-139-2 Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2 0.05% 215-185-5

Section 4 First Aid Measures

INGESTION: Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire.

Protective Actions for Fire-fighters: In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Specific Hazards: During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

Containment and Cleanup: Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Section 7 Handling and Storage

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

Section 8 Exposure controls / Personal Protection Exposure Limits: Chemical Name ACGIH (TLV) OSHA (PEL) NIOSH (REL) Potassium chloride None established None established None established

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If misty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: Clear, colorless liquid.

Odor: No odor.

Odor threshold: Data not available.

pH: 10.0

Melting/Freezing point: Approx. 0°C (32°F) (water) Boiling point: Approx. 100°C (212°F) (water)

Flash point: Data not available

Evaporation rate (Water = 1): <1

Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available. Explosion limits: Lower/Upper: Data not available

Vapor pressure (mm Hg): 14 (water) Vapor density (Air = 1): 0.7 (water)

Relative density (Specific gravity): Approx. 1.0 (water)

Solubility(ies): Complete in water.

Partition coefficient: Data not available Auto-ignition temp.: Data not available Decomposition temp.: Data not available

Viscosity: Data not available. Molecular formula: Mixture Molecular weight: Mixture

Section 10 Stability and Reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: Excessive temperatures which cause evaporation.

Incompatibilities with other materials: Acids, alkalies, and air will change the buffer's ability.

Hazardous decomposition products: Boron oxide and chlorine gas.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: Data not available

Serious eye damage/irritation: Data not available

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available

Skin corrosion/irritation: Data not available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available

Carcinogenity: Data not available

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP. IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity: Data not available Aspiration hazard: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: Data not available **STOT-repeated exposure**: Data not available

Potential health effects:

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed. Skin: May cause mild irritation.

Eyes: May cause mild irritation.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: To the best of our knowledge the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Specific data is not available. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

Additional information: RTECS #: Data not available

Section 12 Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish: No data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: No data available

Toxicity to algae: No data available

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Other adverse effects: An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

Section 14 Transport Information

UN/NA number: Not applicable
Hazard class: Not applicable
Shipping name: Not Regulated
Packing group: Not applicable

Exceptions: Not applicable 2012 ERG Guide # Not applicable

Reportable Quantity: No Marin

Marine pollutant: No

Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	WHMIS Classification
Potassium Chloride	Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Listed	Not Listed	Uncontrolled Product
Sodium hydroxide	Listed	1,000 lbs (454 kg)	D002	Listed	Not Listed	E

Section 16 Additional Information

The information contained herein is furnished without warranty of any kind. Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them and must make independent determinations of suitability and completeness of information from all sources to assure proper use of these materials and the safety and health of employees.

NTP: National Toxicology Program, IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer, OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity, SE: Single Exposure, RE: Repeated Exposure, ERG: Emergency Response Guidebook.