

R-1003J

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

CATALOG NO.: R-1003J

PRODUCT NAME: pH Indicator Solution (Phenol Red)

CHEMICAL FAMILY: Sulfonphthalein dye solution

## 2. INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENT	CAS NO.	%	NATURE OF HAZARD
Phenolsulfonphthalein (phenol red)	143-74-8	<1	irritant
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	<1	alkali
Deionized water	7732-18-5	to 100	

## 3. PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

STATE: Liquid APPEARANCE: Clear, red-orange ODR: Sulfidic  
BOILING PT (F): 212 pH: 7.6 SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1  
VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg): 17 VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1): 4  
PERCENT VOLATILE BY VOLUME: 99 SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Soluble

## 4. FIRE, EXPLOSION HAZARD AND REACTIVITY DATA

FLASH PT: NA METHOD: NA

FLAMMABLE LIMITS: LEL: NA UEL: NA

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: NA

SPECIAL PROCEDURES: Wear self-contained (positive pressure if available)  
breathing apparatus and full-protective clothingFIRE/EXPLOSION HAZARDS AND HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: May emit toxic  
fumes of carbon oxides, sulfur oxides.

NFPA CODE: Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Specific: NA

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Extreme heat, temperatures.

## 5. HEALTH HAZARD DATA

INGREDIENT: Sodium hydroxide

TOXICITY: LD50(oral-rat): 140-340 mg/kg

PEL: 2 mg/m3

TLV: 2 mg

STEL: NE

ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY: Inhalation Ingestion X Skin X

TARGET ORGAN(S): Eyes, skin

CARCINOGENICITY: NTP No IARC No OSHA No

HEALTH HAZARDS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:

EYES: Irritant

SKIN: Irritant. Contact may cause staining.

INGESTION: Irritant. May cause gastrointestinal irritation.

INHALATION: NA

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: Eye and skin conditions

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#### 6. PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: General purpose gloves, safety glasses, lab coat  
HANDLING: Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid breathing chemical. Wash thoroughly after handling.  
STORAGE: Cool, dry area. Avoid direct sunlight.

#### 7. EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

EYE AND SKIN CONTACT: Immediately flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Call physician. Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water.  
INGESTION: Give large amounts of water. Call physician. Induce vomiting under direction of physician.  
INHALATION: NA

#### 8. SPILL AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

SPILL OR RELEASE: Absorb with vermiculite or other inert material. Containerize for later disposal.  
DISPOSAL: Incineration or other method to comply with local, state, and federal regulations.

NA = Not applicable  
ND = Not determined  
NE = Not established

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