



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Section 1 Identification of the Substance/mixture and of the Company/undertaking

1.1 Product Identifier

Product Name pH4.00 Buffer

Part Number 3005

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Product Use For laboratory use. See product literature for details.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Telephone number (24H) Chemtrec Emergency Tel No. U.S.A. 800-424-9300, International (001) 703-527-3887

Distributor and Emergency Phone No.

Refer to attached list, Document ID: [472050](#), for local distributor and emergency phone numbers.

Section 2 Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of substance or mixture

Product Description Mixture

White; Opaque; Crystalline powder or small crystals; Odorless

Classification according to EC 1272/2008 (CLP/GHS)

Not classified as hazardous per EC 1272/2008 (CLP/GHS)

Classification according to EC Directives 1999/45/EC and 67/548/EEC

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Classification according to US-OSHA (HCS 29 CFR 1910.1200) and UN GHS

Not classified as hazardous per US-OSHA HCS 2012 and UN GHS

2.2 Label Elements

According to EC 1272/2008 (CLP/GHS), US-OSHA and UN GHS

Not classified as hazardous per EC 1272/2008 (CLP/GHS)

Section 2 Hazards Identification (Continued)

- 2.3 Other hazards** Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.

See Section 11 Toxicological Information for more detailed health information.

Section 3 Composition and Information on Ingredients

3.2 Mixtures

Hazardous Ingredients:		Hazard Classification of Pure Ingredients			
Chemical Name	% by wt.	EU-67/548/EEC	EU 1272/2008 CLP/GHS	GHS	
Potassium Biphthalate CAS # 877-24-7 EINECS # 212-889-4 Index # Not available	> 90	Xi;R36/37/38	No	No	

See section 8 for available Occupational exposure limits

See Section 15 for additional regulatory information

See Section 16 for hazard class, hazard statements and risk phrase description

Section 4 First Aid Measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

- Inhalation** If product is inhaled, move exposed individual to fresh air. If individual is not breathing, begin artificial respiration immediately and obtain medical attention.
- Eye Contact** If product enters eyes, wash eyes gently under running water for 15 minutes or longer, making sure that the eyelids are held open. If pain or irritation occur, obtain medical attention.
- Skin Contact** In case of skin contact, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. If pain or irritation occur, obtain medical attention.
- Ingestion** If ingested, wash mouth out with water. If irritation or discomfort occurs, seek medical attention.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No adverse symptoms or effects have been identified.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No specific medical attention or treatment required.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Flammable Properties Nonflammable

- 5.1 Extinguishing Media** For large fires use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding fire.
In case of fire use carbon dioxide (CO₂), dry chemical, water spray or foam.
- 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures (Continued)

Special Fire and Explosion Hazards

No special hazards determined.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Oxides of carbon

5.3 Advice for fire fighters

Protective Equipment

Self-contained breathing apparatus is recommended for firefighters in all chemical fire situations.

5.4 Additional information

No further relevant information available.

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions

Use good laboratory procedures; avoid eye and skin contact.

6.2 Environmental Precautions

Contain spill to prevent migration.

Do not allow the undiluted product to enter sewers/surface or ground water.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Spill and Leak Procedures

Absorb spilled material with an appropriate inert, non-flammable absorbent and dispose according to local regulations.

6.4 Reference to other sections

Refer sections 8 and 13.

Section 7 Handling and Storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid inhaling, ingesting, and contact with eyes and skin.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

To maintain product quality, store according to the instructions in the product labeling.

Store away from strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizers and incompatible materials (section 10).

7.3 Specific end uses

No further relevant information available.

Section 8 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

Exposure Limits

US OSHA

None established

ACGIH

None established

DFG MAK

None established

Ireland

None established

Section 8 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection (Continued)

IOELVs	None established
NIOSH	None established
Japan	None established
8.2 Exposure controls	
Engineering Controls	No special engineering controls are required. Use with good general ventilation.
Eye Protection	Safety glasses or chemical goggles should be worn to prevent eye contact. Refer U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.133, European Standard EN166 or appropriate government standards.
Skin Protection	Impervious gloves, such as Nitrile or equivalent, should be worn to prevent skin contact. Refer U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.138, European Standard EN374 or appropriate government standards.
Respiratory Protection	Under normal conditions, the use of this product should not require respiratory protection.

Section 9 Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Crystalline powder or small crystals	Specific Gravity (Water=1.0)	≈1.6
Color	White	Solubility	
Transparency	Opaque	Water	Soluble
Odor	Odorless	Organic	Slightly soluble in alcohol
pH	Not applicable	Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not applicable
Melting Point	Not determined	Auto-ignition Temp.	Not determined
Boiling Point	Not applicable	Decomposition Temperature	Not determined
Flash Point	Not applicable	Percent Volatiles	Not applicable
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable	Vapor Pressure	Not applicable
Flammability (Solid, Gas)	Not determined	Viscosity	Not applicable
Flammability Limits	Not determined	Explosive Properties	Not applicable
Vapor Density	Not applicable	Oxidizing Properties	Not applicable
Odor Threshold	Not applicable		

9.2 Other Information No further relevant information available.

Section 10 Stability and Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity	No further relevant information available.
10.2 Chemical Stability	The product is stable in accordance with recommended storage conditions.
10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions	No further relevant information available.
10.4 Conditions to Avoid	To maintain product performance keep away from strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizers. Avoid exposure to heat and direct sunlight.
10.5 Incompatible materials	No further relevant information available.
10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Products	No decomposition products posing significant hazards would be expected from this product.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Toxicity Data for Hazardous Ingredients

Not applicable

Primary Routes of Exposure Eye contact, ingestion, inhalation, and skin contact.

Skin Corrosion/Irritation No data available.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation No data available.

Respiratory/skin sensitization No data available.

Carcinogenicity No ingredients in this product are listed as carcinogens by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, OSHA or 1272/2008 EC regulation.

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available.

Reproductive Toxicity No data available.

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure

No data available.

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure

No data available.

Aspiration hazard No data available.

Other Information No further relevant information available.

Section 12 Ecological Information

- 12.1 Ecotoxicity**
- Fresh Water Species** No information available.
- Microtox** No information available.
- Water Flea** No information available.
- Fresh Water Algae** No information available.
- 12.2 Persistence and degradability** Not determined for the product.
- 12.3 Bioaccumulation** Not determined for the product.
- 12.4 Mobility in soil** Not determined for the product.
- 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
Not determined for the product. PBT: Not applicable, vPvB: Not applicable.
- 12.6 Other Adverse Effects** No further relevant information available.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

- 13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- Product Waste Disposal** Chemical residues and remains should be routinely handled as special waste. This must be disposed of in compliance with anti-pollution and other laws of the country concerned. To ensure compliance we recommend that you contact the relevant (local) authorities and/or an approved waste-disposal company for information.
- Package disposal** Dispose of waste product, unused product and contaminated packaging in compliance with federal, state and local regulations. If unsure of the applicable requirements, contact the authorities for information.
- 13.2 Additional information** Suggested European waste catalogue 18 01 07 - chemicals other than those mentioned in 18 01 06. Dispose in accordance with national, state and local waste regulations.

Section 14 Transport Information

Transportation of this product is not regulated under ICAO, IMDG, US DOT, European ADR or Canadian TDG.

Section 15 Regulatory Information

- 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- US Federal and State Regulations**
- SARA 313** No ingredients listed.
- California Proposition 65** No ingredients listed.
- Massachusetts MSL** No ingredients listed.
- New Jersey Dept. of Health RTK List**
No ingredients listed.

Section 15 Regulatory Information (Continued)

Pennsylvania RTK No ingredients listed.

EU Regulations

This SDS complies with EC Regulations 1907/2006 (REACH) and amendments.

REACH 1907/2006 EC - Annex XIV - list of substances subject to authorization.

No ingredients listed.

According to EC Directives (1999/45/EC and 67/548 EEC)

Irritant
Xi



Risk and Safety Phrases

R36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

S22 Do not breathe dust.

S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

S46 If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

Canada

WHMIS Classification:

D2B - Poisonous and Infectious Material: Division 2 - Other Toxic Effects: Toxic (Chronic Toxic Effects)

D2B - Poisonous and Infectious Material: Division 2 - Other Toxic Effects: Toxic (Skin Irritation)

D2B - Poisonous and Infectious Material: Division 2 - Other Toxic Effects: Toxic (Eye Irritation)

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Not applicable

Ingredients on Ingredient Disclosure List

None

Ingredients with unknown toxicological properties

None

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

Some hazardous ingredients listed in Section 15 are below OSHAs and WHMIS' 1.0% w/w (0.1% for carcinogens) or EU's ingredient specific concentrations required for reporting in Section 3.

Section 16 Other Information

Beckman Coulter Safety Rating	Flammability: 0 Health: 1 Reactivity with Water: 0 Contact: 1	Code 0=None 1=Slight 2=Caution 3=Severe
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Revision Changes Updated to GHS.

Hazard Class, hazard statements and risk phrase description from section 3

Xi - Irritant

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Section 16 Other Information (Continued)

Abbreviations and Acronyms

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
ADR - European Agreement Concerning The International Carriage Of Dangerous Goods By Road
CERCLA - The Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
CLP - Classification, Labeling and Packaging
DFGMAK - Republic Germany's maximum exposure limit
GHS - Globally Harmonized System
HCS - Hazard Communication Standard
IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA - International Air Transport Association
ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization
IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods
IOELVs - European Unions' Indicative Occupational Exposure Limit Values
NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
NTP - National Toxicology Program
OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PBT - Persistent bioaccumulative and toxic substances
SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
TDG - Canadian Transportation Of Dangerous Goods Regulations.
UN GHS - United Nations Globally Harmonized System
US DOT - United States Department of Transportation
WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Material Information System
vPvB - Very persistent and very bioaccumulative substances

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