# Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)

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# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTRANCE/PREPARATION AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

SKU# VB-3000, VB-3000s

Product name VitroView<sup>TM</sup> H&E Stain Kit

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# 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Chemical Name** CAS-No Aluminum potassium sulfate dodecahydrate (Hematoxylin solution only) 7784-24-9 Hematoxylin (Hematoxylin solution only) 517-28-2 Sodium iodate (Hematoxylin solution only) 7681-55-2 Glycerol (Hematoxylin solution only) 56-81-5 Eosin Y (Eosin solution only) 15086-94-9 Phloxine B (Eosin solution only) 18472-87-2 Ethanol (Eosin solution only) 64-17-5

## 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## GHS - Classification

# Signal Word





### **HealthHazards**

Acute oral toxicity	Category 4
Skin irritation	Category 2
Eye irritation	Category 2 A
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	
Respiratory system	Category 3

#### **Physical hazards**

Not hazardous

#### **Hazard Statements**

- H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor
- H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer
- H302 Harmful if swallowed
- H315 Causes skin irritation
- H317-May cause an allergic skin reaction
- H319 Causes serious eye irritation
- H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
- H335 May cause respiratory irritation

### **Precautionary Statements**

- P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking
- P220 Keep/Store away from clothing/ combustible materials.
- P221 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles.
- P233 Keep container tightly closed
- P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment
- P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment
- P242 Use only non-sparking tools
- P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge
- P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
- P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling
- P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
- P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
- P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
- P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection
- P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing
- $\ensuremath{\mathsf{P285}}$  In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.
- P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell
- P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
- P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
- P304 + P341 IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep
- at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
- P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
- P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
- P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label)
- P330 Rinse mouth
- P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention
- P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
- P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention
- P342 + P311 If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
- P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish
- P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse
- P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
- P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
- P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool
- P405 Store locked up
- P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### **Principle Routes of Exposure**

# **Potential Health Effects**

Eyes Causes irritation

**Skin** Causes irritation. Avoid contact with skin.

InhalationHarmful by inhalation.IngestionHarmful if swallowed.

**Specific effects** 

Carcinogenic effects Not Applicable

Mutagenic effects Not Applicable

**Reproductive toxicity**Sensitization
Not Applicable
Not Applicable

Target Organ Effects Skin

Lungs

#### **HMIS**

Health	2
Flammability	2
Reactivity	0
Physical	2

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Skin contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all

contaminated clothes and shoes. Call a physician immediately.

**Eye contact** IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Rinse immediately with plentyof water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician

immediately.

**Ingestion** Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Rinse mouth. Do not

induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

**Notes to physician** Treat symptomatically

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media Special protective equipment

for firefighters

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

Special hazards arising from

the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions** ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in

immediate area). Use personal protection equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapoursaccumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can

accumulate in low areas.

Methods for cleaning up Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner

or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local

regulations.

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from

entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. See

Section 12 for more information

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

Storage

Always wear recommended Personal Protective Equipment. Avoid contact withskin, eyes or clothing. Remove all sources of ignition Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Keep away fromheat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Protect from sunlight.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Exposure limits**

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	OSH PEL (Ceiling)	ACGIH OEL (TWA)	ACGIH OEL (STEL)
Ethanol	1,000 ppm 1,900 mg/m3	1,000 ppm 1,900 mg/m3	1,000.000000 ppm	1,000.000000 ppm
Glycerol	5 mg/m3	15 mg/m3	10 mg/m3	No information available

**Engineering measures** 

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday

Personal protective equipment

Personal Protective Equipment requirements are dependent on the user institution's risk assessment and are specific to the risk assessment for each laboratory where this material may be used.

Respiratory protection

In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment

Respirator Recommendations, National **Institute of Occupational** Safety and Health, U.S.

Up to 50 ppm

(APF = 10) Any air-purifying half-mask respirator with organic vapor cartridge(s) incombination with an N95, R95, or P95 filter. The following filters may also be used:

N99, R99, P99, N100, R100, P100. (APF = 10) Any supplied-air respirator

Up to 125 ppm:

(APF = 25) Any supplied-air respirator operated in a continuous-flow mode (APF = 25) Any powered air-purifying respirator with an organic vapor cartridge incombination with a high-efficiency particulate filter.

Up to 250 ppm:

(ÂPF = 50) Any air-purifying full-facepiece respirator equipped with organic vaporcartridge(s) in combination with an N100, R100, or P100 filter.

(APF = 50) Any air-purifying, full-facepiece respirator (gas mask) with a chinstyle, front- or back-mounted organic vapor canister having an N100, R100, or P100 filter.

(APF = 50) Any powered, air-purifying respirator with a tight-fitting facepiece andorganic vapor cartridge(s) in combination with a high-efficiency particulate

(APF = 50) Any self-contained breathing apparatus with a full facepiece (APF = 50) Any supplied-air respirator with a full facepieceEmergency or planned entry into unknown concentrations or IDLH conditions:

(APF = 10,000) Any self-contained breathing apparatus that has a full facepieceand is operated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode (APF = 10,000) Any supplied-air respirator that has a full facepiece and isoperated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode in combination with an auxiliary self-contained positive-pressure breathing apparatus

Escape:

(APF = 50) Any air-purifying, full-facepiece respirator (gas mask) with a chinstyle, front- or back-mounted organic vapor canister having an N100, R100, or

P100filter. /Any appropriate escape-type, self-contained breathing

apparatus.filter.

Hand protection Impervious gloves. S24 - Avoid contact with skin. S36 - Wear suitable

protective clothing.

Eye protection Tight sealing safety goggles. Skin and body protection Impervious clothing.

**Hygeine measures** Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Avoidcontact with skin, eyes or clothing. Handle in accordance with good

industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Environmental exposure** 

Controls

Prevent product from entering drains

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### **General Information**

Form Liquid

Appearance

Odor Alcohol

No data available Boiling point/range No data available No data available No data available Melting point/range Flash point No data available No data available

**Autoignition temperature** No data available No data available

**Oxidizing properties** No information available

Water solubility Soluble

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability Stable under normal conditions

Materials to avoid Alkali metals, Oxidizing agents, Peroxides, Strong reducing agents, Powdered

metals, Incompatibility: mixtures of iodates with finely divided aluminum, arsenic,copper, carbon, phosphorous (red or white) sulfur; hydrides of alkali and alkaline earth metals; sulfides of antimony, arsenic, copper or tin, metal cyanides, thiocyanates or impure manganese dioxide may react violently or explosively, either spontaneously (especially in the presence of moisture) or on

initiation by heat, friction impact, sparks, or addition of sulfuric acid

Hazardous decomposition

**Products** No data available Polymerization No data available

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Acute Toxicity**

Chemical Name	LD50 (oral,rat/mouse)	LD50 (dermal,rat/rabbit)	LC50 (inhalation,rat/mouse)
Ethanol	= 30,000  mg/kg (Rat)/No	No data available	=30,000 mg/m3(Rat)/No data
	data available		available
Glycerol	= 12,800 mg/kg (Rat)No data	No data available	No data available
	available		
Phloxine B	= 8,400 mg/kg (Rat)No data	No data available	No data available
	available		
Sodium iodide	= 505 mg/kg (mouse)	No data available	No data available

**Principle Routes of Exposure Potential Health Effects** 

EyesCauses irritationSkinCauses irritationInhalationHarmful by inhalation

**Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed

Carcinogenic effects No information available.

Mutagenic effects Phloxine B: Lungs, mutation in mammalian somatic cells.

**Reproductive toxicity** Ethanol: Effects on Newborn: Apgar score (human only). Effects on Newborn: Other

neonatal measures or effects. Effects on Newborn:Drug dependence.

Phloxine B: Developmental Toxicity-rat-Oral

Effects on Embryo or Fetus: Fetotoxicity (except death, e.g., stunted fetus). Effects on

Newborn: Growth statistics (e.g.,

reduced weight gain).

Developmental Toxicity-mouse-Oral

Specific Developmental Abnormalities: Craniofacial (including nose and tongue).

Developmental Toxicity-mouse-Oral

Specific Developmental Abnormalities: Musculoskeletal system

**Sensitization** No information available.

Additional Information Phloxine B: RTECS: LM5900000

Sodium iodide: RTECS: NN1400000

Target organ effects Stomach (ethanol, sodium iodide); Kidney (glycerol; RTECS: MA8050000)

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity Ethanol: Toxicity to fish. LC50 - Pimephalespromelas (fathead minnow) -

14,200 mg/l -96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates. LC50 - Ceriodaphniadubia (water flea) - 5,012 mg/l - 48 h. NOEC -

Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 9.6 mg/l - 9 d

Toxicity to algae. EC50 - Chlorella vulgaris (Fresh water algae) - 275 mg/l - 72

h

Phloxine B: Toxicity to fish LC50 - Gambusiaaffinis (Mosquito fish) - 97.7

mg/l - 96 h

Sodium iodide: Toxicity to fish LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) -

220 mg/l - 96 h

**Chronic aquatic toxicity (Ethanol**) Category 3. **Mobility** See log POW.

**Biodegradation** Inherently biodegradable. **Bioaccumulation** No information available.

### 13. DISPOSALCONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not determined

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **UNITED STATES:**

TSCA:

This product is solely for research and development purposes only and may not be used, processed or distributed for a commercial purpose. It may only be handled by technically qualified individuals.

Prop 65 Listed Chemicals: No Prop 65 Chemicals.

No 313 Chemicals

CANADA:

DSL/NDSL: Not determined.

**COMPONENT** ETHANOL WHMIS Classification D2B

**EUROPEAN UNION:** 

PRODUCT RISK PHRASES: None assigned. PRODUCT SAFETY PHRASES: Not applicable. PRODUCT CLASSIFICATION: Not classified

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

This information contained herein is believed to be accurate but is not warranted to be so. Data and calculations are based on information furnished by the manufacturer of the product and manufacturers of the components of the product. Users are advised to confirm in advance of need that information is current, applicable and suited to the circumstances of use. Vendor assumes no responsibility for injury to vendee or third persons proximately caused by the material if reasonable safety procedures are not adhered to as stipulated in the data sheet. Furthermore, vendor assumes no responsibility for injury caused by abnormal use of the material even if

reasonable safety procedures are followed. Any questions regarding this product should be directed to the manufacturer of the product as described in Section 1.

Abbreviations and acronyms:

**ADR:** Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

**IATA:** International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**NFPA:** National Fire Protection Association (USA)

**HMIS:** Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

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