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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION V HEALTH HAZARD DATA

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Threshold Limited Value

None established.

Effects of Overexposure

May be harmful by inhalation, ingestion or skin absorption. May cause irritation. 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.

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

INGESTION: Treat symptomatically and supportively. Get medical attention immediately. If vomiting occurs, keep head lower than hips to prevent aspiration. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. **EYES:** Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention. **SKIN:** Flush thoroughly with water, then wash with mild soap and water. **INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

SECTION VI REACTIVITY DATA

Stability	Unstable		Conditions to Avoid	Protect from light. Excessive temperatures and heat.
	Stable	X		

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid)	Strong oxidizers.
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Hazardous Decomposition Products	When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes of oxides of nitrogen and sulfur.
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Hazardous Polymerization		Conditions to Avoid	Not applicable.
May Occur	Will Not Occur		
	X		

SECTION VII SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

Steps to be taken in case material is released or spilled	Absorb spill with an inert dry material and place in a suitable container for disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.
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Waste Disposal Method	Discharge, treatment, or disposal may be subject to Federal, State or Local laws. These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Dispose of in an approved incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber or dispose of in an approved chemical landfill.
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SECTION VIII SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

Respiration Protection (Specify Type)	None needed in normal laboratory handling. If misty conditions prevail, work in ventilation hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.			
Ventilation	Local Exhaust	None needed.	Special	No.
	Mechanical (General)	None needed.	Other	No.
Protective Gloves	Rubber.		Eye Protection	Chemical safety glasses.
Other Protective Equipment	Goggles, smock, apron, eye wash station, proper gloves.			

SECTION IX SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Precautions to be Taken in Handling & Storing	Store in a cool place and protect from light. Wash thoroughly after handling.
Keep container tightly closed when not in use.	

Other Precautions	Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Remove and wash contaminated clothing.
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For laboratory use only. Not for drug, food or household use. Keep out of reach of children.

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SECTION I NAME 24 HOUR EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

Product	FUCHSIN ACID AQUEOUS SOLUTION	 CHEMTREC 800-424-9300 Day 716-226-6177 NFPA HAZARD RATING LEAST SLIGHT MODERATE HIGH EXTREME 0 1 2 3 4 HMIS * 0 1 2 3 4
Chemical Synonyms	Acid Fuchsin; C.I. No. 42685	
Formula	Mixture.	
Unit Size	up to 3.785 Lt.	
C.A.S. No.	Mixture.	

SECTION II INGREDIENTS OF MIXTURES

Principal Component(s)	%	TLV Units
Fuchsin Acid: (CAS No. 3244-88-0)	1.2%	None established.
Water: (CAS No. 7732-18-5)	98.8%	

WARNING! HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED, INHALED OR		
ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. CAUSES IRRITATION.		

SECTION III PHYSICAL DATA

Melting Point (°F)	Freezes approx. 0°C (32°F)	Specific Gravity (H ₂ O = 1)	Approx. 1.00
Boiling Point (°F)	100°C (212°F)	Percent Volatile by Volume (%)	98.8%
Vapor Pressure (mm Hg)	14 (water)	Evaporation Rate (Water = 1)	Greater than 1.
Vapor Density (Air=1)	0.7 (water)		
Solubility in Water	Complete.		
Appearance & Odor	Fuchsin (red) color liquid; no odor.		

SECTION IV FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

Flash Point (Method Used)	Non-flammable.	Flammable Limits in Air % by Volume	NA	Lower	Upper
Extinguisher Media	Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire.				

SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES

If involved in fire situation, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing. Use flooding amounts of water in early stages of fire.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

Fire or excessive heat may produce hazardous decomposition products. Emits toxic fumes of oxides of nitrogen (NO_x) and sulfur (SO_x).

D.O.T. NON-REGULATED.

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