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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 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: If swallowed, if conscious, give water to drink. Get medical attention immediately. 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 AS MIST:** Remove to fresh air, treat symptomatically, and get medical attention.

SECTION VI REACTIVITY DATA

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

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid)	Strong oxidizers.
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Hazardous Decomposition Products	Combustion will produce carbon dioxide and probably carbon monoxide. Hydrogen chloride gas and oxides of nitrogen may also be present.
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Hazardous Polymerization		Conditions to Avoid
May Occur	Will Not Occur	Not applicable.
	X	

SECTION VII SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

Steps to be taken in case material is released or spilled	Absorb spill in vermiculite, sand, earth, paper towel and place in a suitable container. 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 contract with a licensed waste disposal system.
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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	Lab coat, 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.
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Other Precautions	Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals.
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Remove and wash contaminated clothing.

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 BASIC, 1% SOLUTION
Chemical Synonyms	Fuchsin Basic, Aqueous solution
Formula	Mixture
Unit Size	Up to 4 Liter
C.A.S. No.	Mixture

CHEMTREC
800-424-9300
Day 716-226-6177

NFPA HAZARD RATING
LEAST SLIGHT MODERATE HIGH EXTREME
0 1 2 3 4

HMIS *
Health 1
Fire 0
Reactivity 0

SECTION II INGREDIENTS OF MIXTURES

Principal Component(s)	%	TLV Units
Fuchsin Basic (CAS No. 632-99-5)	1.0%	None established.
Water: (CAS No. 7732-18-5)	99.0%	
WARNING! MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED 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. 1.0
Boiling Point (°F)	Approx. 100°C (212°F)	Percent Volatile by Volume (%)	99%
Vapor Pressure (mm Hg)	14 (water)	Evaporation Rate (Water = 1)	Approx. 1
Vapor Density (Air=1)	0.7 (water)		
Solubility in Water	Complete.		
Appearance & Odor	Fuchsin (reddish 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. Use flooding amounts of water in early stages of fire.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

In fire conditions resulting in the evaporation of the water of solution hazardous decomposition products may be produced as dust or fume.

D.O.T. NON-REGULATED.

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