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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 (ACGIH 1992-93).

Effects of Overexposure

May be harmful by ingestion. 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.

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

INGESTION: If swallowed, if conscious, give one or two glasses of water to drink, induce vomiting and call physician. 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 medical attention. **SKIN:** Flush thoroughly with water, then wash with mild soap and water. **INHALATION AS MIST:** Remove to fresh air. If illness or discomfort develops, get medical attention.

SECTION VI REACTIVITY DATA

Stability	Unstable	Conditions to Avoid	Excessive temperature and heat to cause evaporation.
	Stable	X	

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid)	Avoid contact with strong acids or strong oxidants.
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Hazardous Decomposition Products	Thermal decomposition or burning may produce hydrogen bromide gas and/or bromine gas.
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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 with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate container for proper disposal. Wash spill area thoroughly 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. Solutions resulting from flushing spills or leaks can safely be disposed of through sewage systems except where local regulations do not permit such disposal.
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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	Not needed.	Special	No.	
	Mechanical (General)	Not needed.	Other	No.	

Protective Gloves	Rubber.	Eye Protection	Chemical safety glasses.
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Other Protective Equipment	Lab coat, apron, eye wash station, proper gloves.
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SECTION IX SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Precautions to be Taken in Handling & Storing	Store in a cool place. 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	POTASSIUM BROMIDE 0.1 MOLAR SOLUTION
Chemical Synonyms	Potassium Bromide Aqueous Solution
Formula	Mixture.
Unit Size	up to 3.785 Lt.
C.A.S. No.	Mixture.

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

Health	1
Fire	0
Reactivity	0

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SECTION II INGREDIENTS OF MIXTURES

Principal Component(s)	%	TLV Units
Potassium Bromide: (CAS No. 7758-02-3)	1.19%	None established.
Water: (CAS No. 7732-18-5)	98.81%	None established.

CAUTION! MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

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 (%)	98.91%
Vapor Pressure (mm Hg)	14 (water)	Evaporation Rate (Water = 1)	< 1
Vapor Density (Air=1)	0.7 (water)		
Solubility in Water	Complete.		
Appearance & Odor	Clear, water white, water like liquid; no odor.		

SECTION IV FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

Flash Point (Method Used)	Non-flammable.	Flammable Limits in Air % by Volume	N/A	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, water may evaporate from this solution, which may cause hazardous decomposition products to be produced as dust or fume.

D.O.T. NON-REGULATED.

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