

SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to the (US) Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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Version 1.5

SECTION 1. Identification**Product identifier**

Product number 109215
Product name Ziehl-Neelsen carbol-fuchsin solution for microscopy

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

Identified uses In vitro diagnostic reagent, Reagent for analysis

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2. Hazards identification**GHS Classification**

Flammable liquid, Category 3, H226
Skin corrosion, Category 1B, H314
Serious eye damage, Category 1, H318
Germ cell mutagenicity, Category 2, H341
Specific target organ systemic toxicity - repeated exposure, Category 2, Nervous system, Kidney, Liver, Skin, H373

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

GHS-Labeling

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Hazard pictograms



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

H226 Flammable liquid and vapor.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.

H373 May cause damage to organs (Nervous system, Kidney, Liver, Skin) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Precautionary Statements

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

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.

P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep 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.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.

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.

Other hazards

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None known.

SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical nature Aqueous-ethanolic dye solution.

Hazardous ingredients

Chemical name (Concentration)

CAS-No.

ethanol (>= 5 % - < 10 %)

64-17-5

Exact percentages are being withheld as a trade secret.

Phenol (>= 1 % - < 5 %)

108-95-2

Exact percentages are being withheld as a trade secret.

SECTION 4. First aid measures

Description of first-aid measures

General advice

First aider needs to protect himself.

Inhalation

After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.

Skin contact

After contact with skin: rinse out with polyethylene glycol 400 or a mixture of polyethylene glycol 300/ethanol 2:1 and wash with plenty of water. If neither is available wash with plenty of water. Immediately take off contaminated clothing. Call a physician immediately.

Eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

Ingestion

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most), avoid vomiting (risk of perforation!). Call a physician immediately. Do not attempt to neutralize.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

respiratory arrest, Drowsiness, Dizziness, Unconsciousness, inebriation, cardiovascular disorders, collapse, Headache, confusion, death

Irritation and corrosion, Cough, Shortness of breath

Risk of blindness!

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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

SECTION 5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Water, Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Dry powder

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapors possible in the event of fire.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Forms explosive mixtures with air at elevated temperatures.

Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

Further information

Remove container from danger zone and cool with water. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

SECTION 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders:

Protective equipment see section 8.

Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains. Risk of explosion.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

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SECTION 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Observe label precautions.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Store at +15°C to +25°C (+59°F to +77°F).

SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Exposure limit(s)

Components

Basis	Value	Threshold limits	Remarks
<i>ethanol 64-17-5</i>			
ACGIH	Short Term Exposure Limit (STEL):	1,000 ppm	
NIOSH/GUIDE	Recommended exposure limit (REL):	1,000 ppm 1,900 mg/m ³	
OSHA_TRANS	PEL:	1,000 ppm 1,900 mg/m ³	
Z1A	Time Weighted Average (TWA):	1,000 ppm 1,900 mg/m ³	

Phenol 108-95-2

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ACGIH	Time Weighted Average (TWA): Skin designation:	5 ppm	Can be absorbed through the skin.
NIOSH/GUIDE	Skin designation: Ceiling Limit Value and Time Period (if specified): Recommended exposure limit (REL):	15.6 ppm 60 mg/m ³ 5 ppm 19 mg/m ³	Ceiling Limit Value 15-min Can be absorbed through the skin.
OSHA_TRANS	Skin designation: PEL:	5 ppm 19 mg/m ³	Can be absorbed through the skin.
Z1A	Time Weighted Average (TWA): Skin designation (Final Rule Limit applies):	5 ppm 19 mg/m ³	Can be absorbed through the skin.

Engineering measures

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

Individual protection measures

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be inquired at the respective supplier.

Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply skin- protective barrier cream.
Wash hands and face after working with substance.

Eye/face protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles

Hand protection

full contact:

Glove material: butyl-rubber
Glove thickness: 0.7 mm
Break through time: > 480 min

splash contact:

Glove material: Nitrile rubber
Glove thickness: 0.40 mm
Break through time: > 120 min

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The protective gloves to be used must comply with the specifications of EC Directive 89/686/EEC and the related standard EN374, for example KCL 898 Butoject® (full contact), KCL 730 Camatril® -Velours (splash contact).

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types.

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet and supplied by us as well as to the purpose specified by us. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Other protective equipment:

Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing.

Respiratory protection

required when vapors/aerosols are generated.

Recommended Filter type: Filter A-(P3)

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are performed according to the instructions of the producer.

These measures have to be properly documented.

SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state	liquid
Color	dark red
Odor	phenol-like
Odor Threshold	No information available.
pH	No information available.
Melting point	No information available.
Boiling point	No information available.
Flash point	117 °F (47 °C)
Evaporation rate	No information available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available.
Lower explosion limit	No information available.

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Upper explosion limit	No information available.
Vapor pressure	No information available.
Relative vapor density	No information available.
Density	0.99 g/cm ³ at 68 °F (20 °C)
Relative density	No information available.
Water solubility	at 68 °F (20 °C) soluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No information available.
Autoignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition temperature	No information available.
Viscosity, dynamic	No information available.
Explosive properties	Not classified as explosive.
Oxidizing properties	none

SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

Vapor/air-mixtures are explosive at intense warming.

Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:

The generally known reaction partners of water.

Conditions to avoid

Heating.

Incompatible materials

no information available

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Hazardous decomposition products

no information available

SECTION 11. Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Likely route of exposure

Eye contact, Skin contact

Target Organs

Eyes

Skin

Respiratory system

Central nervous system

Liver

Blood

reproductive system

Kidney

Lungs

Heart

Bladder

Gastro-intestinal system

Cardio-vascular system

head

spleen

Respiratory organs

Pancreas

Acute oral toxicity

Acute toxicity estimate: > 2,000 mg/kg

Calculation method

Symptoms: If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach.

Acute inhalation toxicity

Acute toxicity estimate: > 20 mg/l; 4 h ; vapor

Calculation method

Symptoms: mucosal irritations, Cough, Shortness of breath, Possible damages:, damage of respiratory tract

Acute dermal toxicity

Acute toxicity estimate : > 2,000 mg/kg

Calculation method

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Skin irritation

Mixture causes burns.

Eye irritation

Mixture causes serious eye damage. Risk of blindness!

Carcinogenicity

Carcinogen classifications of IARC, NTP, California proposition 65 for Ethanol CAS 64-17-5 apply to beverage use only. This product is NOT intended for this use.

CMR effects

Mutagenicity: Suspected of causing genetic defects.

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - single exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - repeated exposure

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Target Organs: Nervous system, Kidney, Liver, Skin

Aspiration hazard

Regarding the available data the classification criteria are not fulfilled.

Carcinogenicity

IARC	Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans New fuchsin 3248-91-7
OSHA	No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.
NTP	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
ACGIH	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

Further information

After absorption:

Systemic effects:

Headache, Drowsiness, inebriation, confusion, Unconsciousness, Dizziness, cardiovascular disorders, collapse, Changes in the blood count, respiratory arrest, death

Damage to:

Liver, Kidney, Cardiac

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

This substance should be handled with particular care.

Components

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ethanol

Acute oral toxicity

LD50 Rat: 10,470 mg/kg
OECD Test Guideline 401

Acute inhalation toxicity

LC50 Rat: 124.7 mg/l; 4 h ; vapor
OECD Test Guideline 403

Skin irritation

Rabbit
Result: No skin irritation
OECD Test Guideline 404

Eye irritation

Rabbit
Result: Eye irritation
OECD Test Guideline 405

Sensitization

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) Mouse
Result: negative
Method: OECD Test Guideline 429

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity in vitro

Ames test
Salmonella typhimurium
Result: negative
Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test

MOUSE LYMPHOMA TEST
Result: negative
Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

Reproductive toxicity

Application Route: Oral
Mouse
Method: OECD Test Guideline 416

Phenol

Acute dermal toxicity

LD50 Rat: 660 mg/kg
OECD Test Guideline 402

Skin irritation

In vitro study
Result: Causes burns.
OECD Test Guideline 431

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Eye irritation

Rabbit

Result: Corrosive

OECD Test Guideline 405

Sensitization

Sensitization test: Guinea pig

Result: negative

(IUCLID)

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity in vitro

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

Result: positive

Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): micronucleus.

Result: positive

Method: OECD Test Guideline 405

SECTION 12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

No information available.

Persistence and degradability

No information available.

Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

Mobility in soil

No information available.

Components

ethanol

Toxicity to fish

flow-through test EC50 Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow): 15,300 mg/l; 96 h

Analytical monitoring: yes

US-EPA

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

EC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 9,268 - 14,221 mg/l; 48 h (IUCLID)

Toxicity to algae

IC5 Scenedesmus quadricauda (Green algae): 5,000 mg/l; 7 d (Lit.)

Toxicity to bacteria

EC5 Pseudomonas putida: 6,500 mg/l; 16 h (IUCLID)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity)

semi-static test NOEC Daphnia magna (Water flea): 9.6 mg/l; 9 d

(ECHA)

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Biodegradability

94 %

OECD Test Guideline 301E

Readily biodegradable.

Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD)

930 - 1,670 mg/g (5 d)

(Lit.)

Theoretical oxygen demand (ThOD)

2,100 mg/g

(Lit.)

Ratio COD/ThBOD

90 %

(Lit.)

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

log Pow: -0.31

(experimental)

(Lit.) Bioaccumulation is not expected.

Substance does not meet the criteria for PBT or vPvB according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII.

Phenol

Toxicity to fish

LC50 *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (rainbow trout): 5.0 mg/l; 96 h (ECOTOX Database)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

static test EC50 *Ceriodaphnia dubia* (water flea): 3.1 mg/l; 48 h

US-EPA

Toxicity to algae

IC5 *Scenedesmus quadricauda* (Green algae): 7.5 mg/l; 8 d (IUCLID) (maximum permissible toxic concentration)

static test EC50 *Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata* (algae): 61.1 mg/l; 96 h

US-EPA

Toxicity to bacteria

EC50 activated sludge: 766 mg/l; 3 h

OECD Test Guideline 209

Toxicity to fish (Chronic toxicity)

semi-static test NOEC *Poecilia reticulata* (guppy): 4 mg/l; 14 d

OECD Test Guideline 204

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Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity)
semi-static test EC10 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 0.46 mg/l; 16 d
(ECHA)

Biodegradability
100 %; 6 d
OECD Test Guideline 302B
Easily eliminable.

85 %; 14 d
OECD Test Guideline 301C
Readily biodegradable.

Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD)
1,680 mg/g (5 d)
(IUCLID)

Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD)
2,300 mg/g
(IUCLID)

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water
log Pow: 1.47 (30 °C)
(ECHA) Bioaccumulation is not expected.

Substance does not meet the criteria for PBT or vPvB according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII.

Surface tension
71.3 mN/m
at 20 °C

SECTION 13. Disposal considerations

The information presented only applies to the material as supplied. The identification based on characteristic(s) or listing may not apply if the material has been used or otherwise contaminated. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

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SECTION 14. Transport information

Land transport (DOT)

UN number UN 1992
Proper shipping name FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (ETHANOL, PHENOL)
Class 3 (6.1)
Packing group III
Environmentally hazardous --

Air transport (IATA)

UN number UN 1992
Proper shipping name FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (ETHANOL, PHENOL)
Class 3 (6.1)
Packing group III
Environmentally hazardous --
Special precautions for user no

Sea transport (IMDG)

UN number UN 1992
Proper shipping name FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (ETHANOL, PHENOL)
Class 3 (6.1)
Packing group III
Environmentally hazardous --
Special precautions for user yes
EmS F-E S-D

SECTION 15. Regulatory information

United States of America

SARA 313

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

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Components

Phenol 108-95-2 4.058 %

SARA 302

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 302:

Components

Phenol 108-95-2

Clean Water Act

The following Hazardous Substances are listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A:

Components

Phenol

The following Hazardous Chemicals are listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3:

Components

Phenol

This product contains the following toxic pollutants listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Section 307

Components

Phenol

DEA List I

Not listed

DEA List II

Listed

Components

ethyl methyl ketone 78-93-3

US State Regulations

Massachusetts Right To Know

Components

ethanol

Phenol

Pennsylvania Right To Know

Components

ethanol

Phenol

New fuchsin

New Jersey Right To Know

Components

ethanol

Phenol

California Prop 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause

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cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

Notification status

TSCA:	All components of the product are listed in the TSCA-inventory.
DSL:	All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

SECTION 16. Other information

Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

H226	Flammable liquid and vapor.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H341	Suspected of causing genetic defects.
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Used abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at www.wikipedia.org.

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