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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS)

# LITMUS BLUE (pH INDICATOR) SOLUTION

## 1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

Synonyms: Lacmus, Lichenblue

CAS No.: 1393-92-6

Product Coad: SI0307200500

Molecular Weight: Not applicable. Chemical Formula: Not applicable.

## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS No Ingredient Percent

Litmus 1393-92-6 90 - 100%

#### 3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

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

Potential Health Effects Inhalation: Is harmful

Ingestion: May be irritant to the gastro-intestinal tract.

Skin Contact: Is irritating, May be absorbed through the skin with possible systemic effects.

Eye Contact: Is irritating.

#### 4. FIRST AID

Eyes: Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical aid.

Skin: Get medical aid. Flush skin with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing

Ingestion: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid. Do NOT induce vomiting. If conscious and alert, rinse mouth and drink 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water.

Inhalation: Remove from exposure to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically and Supportively.

## **5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

General Information: As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Extinguishing Media: Use agent most appropriate to extinguish fire. Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or appropriate foam.

## **6. RELEASE MEASURES**

General Information: Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

Spills/Leaks: Sweep up, then place into a suitable container for disposal. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation..

Handling: Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Use with adequate ventilation. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Storage: Store in a tightly closed container. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Airborne Exposure Limits: None established.

Ventilation System: A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures as low as possible. Local exhaust ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source, preventing dispersion of it into the general work area. Please

refer to the ACGIH document, *Industrial Ventilation, A Manual of Recommended Practices*, most recent edition, for details. **Personal Respirators** (NIOSH Approved): Not expected to require personal respirator usage. **Skin Protection:** Wear impervious protective clothing, including boots, gloves, lab coat, apron or coveralls, as appropriate, to prevent skin contact. Eye Protection: Use chemical safety goggles and/or full face shield where dusting or splashing of solutions is possible. Maintain eye wash fountain and quick-drench facilities in work area. Other Control Measures: There is insufficient data in the published literature to assign complete numerical SAF-T-DATA\* ratings and laboratory protective equipment for this product. Special precautions must be used in storage, use and handling. Protective equipment for laboratory bench use should be chosen using professional judgment based on the size and type of reaction or test to be conducted and the available ventilation, with overriding consideration to minimize contact with the chemical.



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# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State: Powder Appearance: dark blue

## **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal temperatures and pressures. Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials, strong oxidants. Incompatibilities with Other Materials: Oxidizing agents. Hazardous Decomposition Products: Nitrogen oxides, carbon monoxide, irritating and toxic fumes and gases, carbon dioxide, nitrogen. Hazardous Polymerization: Has not been reported

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL

N/A

12. ECOLOGICAL

N/A

#### 13. DISPOSAL

DISSOLVE/MIX THE MATERIAL W/A COMBUSTIBLE SOLVENT & BURN IN A CHEMICAL INCINERATOR EQUIPPED W/AN AFTER BURNER & SCRUBBER. DISPOSE OF IN ACCORDANCE W/LOCAL, STATE & FEDERAL REGULATIONS.

#### **14. TRANSPORTATION**

NON HAZARDOUS FOR AIR, ROAD AND SEA TRANSPORT

## 15. REGULATORY

SARA Title III: N/A Federal Regulatory: N/A

### **16. OTHER**

**Label Precautions:** No SAF-T-DATA Ratings have been developed for this product. Read and follow all warnings, precautions, instructions and other safety and handling information on the label and MSDS.

Avoid contact with eyes, skin, clothing

Keep in tightly closed container. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Label First Aid: If swallowed, induce vomiting immediately as directed by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Prompt action is essential. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse

Product Use: Lab Reagent.

In accordance with REACH Regulation (CE) N° 1907/2006 and with CLP Regulation (CE) N° 1272/2008

## **DISCLAIMER:**

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