

## **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

### **METHYLENE BLUE STAINING SOLUTION**

(Aqueous)  
MSDS CAS:

#### **Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification**

##### **Section 1: Chemical Product**

**Product Name:** METHYLENE BLUE STAINING SOLUTION (Aqueous)

**CAS#:** Not available.

**Synonym:** Not available.

**Chemical Name:** Not available.

**Chemical Formula:** Not available.

**Brand:** OXFORD

##### **Details Of The Supplier Of The Safety Data Sheet:**

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#### **Section 2: Composition and Information on Ingredients**

##### **Composition:**

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
Water	(CAS-No.) 7732-18-5 (EC-No.) 231-791-2	99 - 100	Not classified
Methylene Blue	(CAS-No.) 61-73-4	0.01 - 1	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302

## Section 3: Hazards Identification

### Potential Acute Health Effects:

Slightly hazardous in case of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion.

### Potential Chronic Health Effects:

CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available.

## Section 4: First Aid Measures

### Eye Contact:

Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Cold water may be used. Get medical attention

### Skin Contact:

Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops. Cold water may be used.

Serious Skin Contact: Not available.

### Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

Serious Inhalation: Not available.

### Ingestion:

Do not induce vomiting. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Seek immediate medical attention.

Serious Ingestion: Not available

## Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data

Flammability of the Product: Non-flammable.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Not available.

Flash Points: Not available.

## Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data (Continued)

**Flammable Limits:** Not available.

**Products of Combustion:** Not available.

**Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:** Not available.

**Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:**  
Slightly explosive in presence of open flames and sparks. Non-explosive in presence of shocks

**Fire Fighting Media and Instructions:** Not available.

**Special Remarks on Fire Hazards:** Not available.

**Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards:** Fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard. (Methylene Blue CI No.52015)

## Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

### **Small Spill:**

Dilute with water and mop up, or absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local and regional authority requirements.

### **Large Spill:**

Absorb with an inert material and put the spilled material in an appropriate waste disposal. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and allow to evacuate through the sanitary system.

## Section 7: Handling and Storage

### **Precautions:**

Keep locked up.. Do not ingest. Do not breathe gas/fumes/ vapor/spray. Wear suitable protective clothing. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Keep away from incompatibles such as oxidizing agents, reducing agents, alkalis

### **Storage:**

Keep container tightly closed. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area.

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## Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

### Engineering Controls:

Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective threshold limit value.

Personal Protection: Safety glasses. Lab coat

### Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill:

Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

Exposure Limits: Not available.

## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical state and appearance	: Liquid.
Odor	: Not available..
Taste	: Not available.
Molecular Weight	: Not available.
Color	: Clear Blue. (Dark.)
pH (1% soln/water)	: Not available.
Boiling Point	: The lowest known value is 100°C (212°F) (Water)
Melting Point	: Not available.
Critical Temperature	: Not available.
Specific Gravity	: The only known value is 1 (Water = 1) (Water).
Vapor Pressure	: The highest known value is 2.3 kPa (@ 20°C) (Water).
Vapor Density	: The highest known value is 0.62 (Air = 1) (Water).
Volatility	: Not available.
Odor Threshold	: Not available.
Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.	: Not available.
Ionicity (in Water)	: Not available.
Dispersion Properties	: See solubility in water.
Solubility	: Easily soluble in cold water. Partially soluble in hot water.

## Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data

**Stability:** The product is stable.

**Instability Temperature:** Not available.

**Conditions of Instability:** Incompatible materials

**Incompatibility with various substances:** Reactive with oxidizing agents, reducing agents, alkalis.

**Corrosivity:** Non-corrosive in presence of glass.

**Special Remarks on Reactivity:**

Light Sensitive. Air Sensitive. Also incompatible with caustic alkali, dichromates, alkali iodides.

**Special Remarks on Corrosivity:** Not available.

**Polymerization:** No.

## Section 11: Toxicological Information

**Routes of Entry:** Skin. Eye contact.

**Toxicity to Animals: LD50:** Not available. **LC50:** Not available.

**Chronic Effects on Humans:**

**MUTAGENIC EFFECTS:** Mutagenic for mammalian somatic cells. [Methylene Blue CI52015].

Mutagenic for bacteria and/or yeast. [Methylene Blue CI52015].

**Other Toxic Effects on Humans:**

Slightly hazardous in case of ingestion. Non-hazardous in case of inhalation.

**Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals:** Not available.

**Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans:** May cause adverse reproductive effects (female fertility - post implantation mortality; male fertility - inhibition of sperm motility) based on animal data. No human data found. May affect genetic material (mutagenic). Methylene Blue is used as as color marker on skin , in tissue or amniotic fluid. It may be teratogenic via intraamniotic injection. (Methylene Blue CI52015)

## Section 11: Toxicological Information (Continued)

### Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans:

**Skin:** May cause skin irritation although it not expected.

**Eyes:** May cause eye irritation.

### Inhalation:

Not expected to be a health hazard via inhalation. **Ingestion:** Ingestion of large amounts may cause gastrointestinal tract irritation. It may affect blood behavior/central nervous system, respiration. (Note: Ingestion of large amounts of 100% Methylene Blue may cause gastrointestinal tract irritation with nausea, and vomiting, abdominal pain. It may affect blood (hemolytic anemia, hyperbilirubinemia, methemoglobinemia). Other symptoms of overdose may include anxiety, chest pain, confusion, dizziness, headache, unusual tiredness and weakness, severe sweating, tremors. Symptoms of Methemoglobinemia include cyanosis, headache, lethargy, dizziness, fatigue, syncope, dyspnea, central nervous system depression, seizures, arrhythmia, and shock).

## Section 12: Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity:** Not available.

**BOD5 and COD:** Not available.

### Products of Biodegradation:

Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

**Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation:** The products of degradation are more toxic than the product itself.

**Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation:** Not available.

## Section 13: Disposal Considerations

### Waste Disposal:

## Section 14: Transport Information

### Land transport (ADR-RID)

General information : Not regulated.

### Sea transport (IMDG) [English only]

General information : Not regulated.

### Air transport (ICAO-IATA) [English only]

General information : Not regulated.

## Section 15: Other Regulatory Information

Federal and State Regulations: TSCA 8(b) inventory: Water

Other Regulations: Not available. or of its ingredients.

### Other Classifications:

**WHMIS (Canada):** Not controlled under WHMIS (Canada).

**DSCL (EEC):** R22- Harmful if swallowed. R36- Irritating to eyes. R40- Possible risks of irreversible effects. S2- Keep out of the reach of children. S36/37- Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves. S46- If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

### HMIS (U.S.A.):

**Health Hazard: 0**

**Fire Hazard: 0**

**Reactivity: 0**

**Personal Protection: a**

### National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):

**Health: 0**

**Flammability: 0**

**Reactivity: 0**

**Specific hazard:**

Protective Equipment: Not applicable. Lab coat. Not applicable. Safety glasses

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## **Section 16 - Additional Information**

**References:** Not available.

**Other Special Considerations:** Not available.

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