AUSTRALIAN CHEMICAL REAGENTS
SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name: Turbidity Standard (Formazin - (Various less than 748 NTU)
Product Code: 0800
Other Names: nil
Uses: Analytical Reagent

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2. HAZARDS INFORMATION

Hazard classification: Classified as non-Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia.

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients :

Chemical Entity	CAS No	Proportion
Formazin polymer	-	<0.1%
Water	[7732-18-5]	to 100%

4. FIRST AID MEASURES
Safety showers and eye wash facilities should be provided.
Swallowed :
If conscious wash out mouth with water. Seek medical advice. Show this SDS to medical practitioner.
Eye :
Immediately hold eyelids open and flood with water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical aid. Show this SDS to medical practitioner.
Skin :
Remove contaminated clothing. Immediately wash skin thoroughly with water and mild soap. Seek medical advice if irritation persists. Show this SDS to medical practitioner. Launder clothing before reuse.
Inhaled :
Remove from contaminated air. Maintain breathing with artificial respiration if necessary. Seek medical assistance. Show this SDS to a doctor.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES
Suitable Extinguishing Media:
Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.
Hazards From Combustion Products:
Product is not flammable. Decomposition products include oxides of carbon and nitrogen.
Precautions For Fire Fighters and Special Protective Equipment:
Fire fighters and others who may be exposed to combustion products during fire should wear full protective clothing including positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Wear SCBA with full face-piece, operated in positive pressure mode when fighting fires.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Emergency procedures:
Prevent from entering waterways. Restrict access to area. Ventilate area. Remove chemicals that can react with the spilled material.

Methods and materials for containment and clean up:
Wear appropriate protective clothing when dealing with spills. Use inert material such as sand or earth to contain spill or leak. Absorb spills with chemical absorber or vermiculite and dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling:
Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.
Conditions for Safe Storage:
Store sealed in original container in a cool well ventilated situation away from foods and other chemicals. Do not store in direct sunlight. Observe good hygiene and housekeeping practices.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

National Exposure Standards:
Safe Work Australia – None known

Biological Limit Values: No data available.

Engineering Controls:
Not required with normal use. If mists are likely to be generated maintain atmospheric concentrations well below exposure standards with extraction ventilation.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):
The use of nitrile or neoprene gloves complying with AS 2161 and the use of faceshield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection complying with AS/NZS 1337 is recommended.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance :	Milky liquid
Odour:	Nil
pH:	7
Boiling Point (^{0}C) :	100
Freezing/melting Point (^{0}C):	0
Vapour Pressure (mm of Hg @ 25^{0}C) :	Not applicable
Vapour Density:	Not applicable
Specific Gravity :	1
Flash Point (^{0}C) :	Not flammable
Flammability Limits (%) :	Not flammable
Solubility in Water (g/L) :	Soluble

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability:
Stable.
Conditions to avoid:
Excessive heat. Sunlight.
Incompatible materials:
Alkalis acids.
Hazardous decomposition products:
Refer to section 5 (Fire Fighting Measures).
Hazardous reactions:

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Health Effects:
Swallowed : May be harmful and cause irritation of the gastric system. May lead to nausea, vomiting, cramps, diarrhoea. No data available for formazin polymer. For hydrazine sulphate from which the polymer is formed oral rat LD50 is 601mg/kg.
Eye : May be irritating to eye tissue. No data available for this preparation. For hydrazine sulphate from which the polymer is formed 20mg applied to rabbit eyes for 24 hours produced moderate irritation
Skin : May be harmful by skin absorption.
Inhaled : May be harmful by inhalation.
Chronic Effects: No data available for this preparation. Hydrazine sulphate from which the polymer is formed is a known carcinogen.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity:
No data available.
Persistence and degradability:
No data available.
Mobility:
No data available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number: Not applicable
UN Proper Shipping Name: Not applicable
Class and subsidiary risk(s): Not applicable
Packing Group: Not applicable
Hazchem Code: Not applicable
Special precautions for user : Nil

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSDP):
Not scheduled

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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