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Product Name **BUFFER SOLUTIONS**

Not classified as hazardous

## 1. Identification

**GHS Product Identifier** BUFFER SOLUTIONS

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**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use** Laboratory reagent.

Other Names	<u>Name</u>	<u>Product Code</u>
	BUFFER SOLUTION pH 4.0 Colour-coded Red	BL047
	BUFFER SOLUTION pH 4.0 Colourless	BL076
	BUFFER SOLUTION pH 6.8 Colourless	BL075
	BUFFER SOLUTION pH 7.0 Colour-coded Green	BL048
	BUFFER SOLUTION pH 7.0 Colourless	BL077
	BUFFER SOLUTION pH 9.2 Colour-coded Turquoise	BL100
	BUFFER SOLUTION pH 10.0 Colour-coded Blue	BL019
	BUFFER SOLUTION pH 10.0 Colourless	BL078
	BUFFER SOLUTION pH 2.0 Colourless	BL107

### Other Information

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## 2. Hazard Identification

**GHS classification of the substance/mixture** Not classified as hazardous according to the Approved Criteria for Classifying Hazardous Substances [NOHSC:1008(2004) 3rd Edition, Safe Work Australia. Not classified as dangerous goods according to the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG).

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Ingredients	<u>Name</u>	<u>CAS</u>	<u>Proportion</u>
	Water	7732-18-5	96-100 %
	Potassium hydrogen phthalate	877-24-7	0-5 %
	Potassium dihydrogen orthophosphate	7778-77-0	0-2 %
	Sodium bicarbonate	144-55-8	0-2 %
	Sodium carbonate, anhydrous	497-19-8	0-1 %

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di-Potassium hydrogen orthophosphate	7758-11-4	0-1 %
Methyl 4-Hydroxybenzoate	99-76-3	0-0.5 %
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	0-0.05 %
Sodium azide	26628-22-8	0-0.04 %
Red Dyestuff (only in colour coded solutions)	915-67-3	0-0.01 %
Green Dyestuff (only in colour coded solutions)		0-0.01 %
Blue dyestuff (only in colour coded solutions)		0-0.01 %

#### 4. First-aid measures

<b>Inhalation</b>	No specific measures
<b>Ingestion</b>	Rinse mouth.
<b>Skin</b>	Wash affected areas with copious quantities of water. If irritation occurs seek medical advice.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Irrigate with copious quantity of water for 15 minutes. Seek medical assistance if symptoms persist.
<b>First Aid Facilities</b>	Maintain eyewash fountain and safety shower in work area.
<b>Advice to Doctor</b>	Treat symptomatically based on judgement of doctor and individual reactions of the patient.
<b>Other Information</b>	For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (Phone eg Australia 13 1126; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

<b>Specific Methods</b>	Use extinguishing media most appropriate for the surrounding fire. No limitations to the type of extinguishing media. This product contains a substantial proportion of water therefore there are no restrictions on the type of extinguishing media which may be used. Material does not burn.
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#### 6. Accidental release measures

<b>Spills &amp; Disposal</b>	Wash area down with excess water. Mop up.
<b>Personal Protection</b>	Wear protective clothing specified for normal operations (see Section 8)

#### 7. Handling and storage

<b>Precautions for Safe Handling</b>	No specific measures
<b>Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities</b>	Keep container tightly closed and dry, away from direct sunlight. Store at an even temperature between 15 - 25 °C.

#### 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limit values	<u>Name</u>	STEL		TWA		<u>Footnote</u>
		<u>mg/m3</u>	<u>ppm</u>	<u>mg/m3</u>	<u>ppm</u>	
	Sodium hydroxide			2		Peak limitation
	Sodium azide			0.3	0.11	Peak limitation
<b>Other Exposure Information</b>	No exposure standards have been established for this product by Safe Work Australia, however, the TWA exposure standard for dusts/mists not otherwise specified is 10 mg/m3. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable.					
<b>Appropriate engineering controls</b>	No special ventilation required.					

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<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	Not normally required.
<b>Eye Protection</b>	The use of a face shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection as appropriate. Must comply with Australian Standards AS 1337 and be selected and used in accordance with AS 1336.
<b>Hand Protection</b>	Wear gloves of impervious material conforming to AS/NZS 2161: Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance. Final choice of appropriate glove type will vary according to individual circumstances. This can include methods of handling, and engineering controls as determined by appropriate risk assessments.
<b>Personal Protective Equipment</b>	Personal protective equipment should not solely be relied upon to control risk and should only be used when all other reasonably practicable control measures do not eliminate or sufficiently minimise risk. Guidance in selecting personal protective equipment can be obtained from Australian, Australian/New Zealand or other approved standards.
<b>Body Protection</b>	Clean clothing or protective clothing should be worn, preferably with an apron. Clothing for protection against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.
<b>Hygiene Measures</b>	Always wash hands before smoking, eating or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storing or re-using.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

<b>Form</b>	Liquid
<b>Appearance</b>	Colourless, red, green, turquoise or blue solution.
<b>Melting Point</b>	(Buffer pH 6.8) -5 °C
<b>Boiling Point</b>	~100 °C
<b>Solubility in Water</b>	Miscible.
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	1.0 (approx)
<b>pH</b>	As stated on label.
<b>Flammability</b>	Non combustible material.
<b>Other Information</b>	Limited shelf life: Expiry date on the label.

## 10. Stability and reactivity

<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.
<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	Will not occur.

## 11. Toxicological Information

<b>Respiratory sensitisation</b>	Not classified based on available information.
<b>Skin Sensitisation</b>	Not classified based on available information.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	Not classified based on available information.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Not classified based on available information.
<b>Reproductive Toxicity</b>	Not classified based on available information.
<b>STOT-single exposure</b>	Not classified based on available information.
<b>STOT-repeated exposure</b>	Not classified based on available information.
<b>Mutagenicity</b>	Not classified based on available information.

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## 12. Ecological information

<b>Ecological Information</b>	No ecological problems are to be expected when the product is handled and used with due care and attention.
<b>Ecotoxicity</b>	Quantitative data on the ecological effect of this product are not available.

## 13. Disposal considerations

<b>Disposal Considerations</b>	Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be disposed of according to relevant local, state and federal government regulations.
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## 14. Transport information

<b>Transport Information</b>	Not classified as a Dangerous Good according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.
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## 15. Regulatory information

<b>Regulatory Information</b>	All of the significant ingredients in this formulation are compliant with Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS) regulations. Not listed under WHS Regulation 2011, Schedule 10 - Prohibited carcinogens, restricted carcinogens and restricted hazardous chemicals.
<b>Poisons Schedule</b>	Not Scheduled

## 16. Other Information

<b>Literature References</b>	'Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons .', Commonwealth of Australia. National Road Transport Commission, 'Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail 7th. Ed.' Safe Work Australia, 'National Code of Practice for the Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals'. Standards Australia, 'SAA/SNZ HB 76:2010 Dangerous Goods - Initial Emergency Response Guide', Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand. Safe Work Australia, 'Hazardous Chemical Information System'. Safe Work Australia, 'National Code of Practice for the Labelling of Safe Work Hazardous Substances'. Safe Work Australia, 'National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment'.
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