

## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### Product Identifier

**Product Name** pH 4 Buffer Standard

### Other means of identification

**Product Code(s)** A3611

**Synonyms** No information available

**Product Use** For Laboratory Research Use Only.

### Supplier/Manufacturer

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

#### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.122)

### Label elements

#### **Emergency Overview**

**Appearance** Blue haze-free

**Physical State** Solution

**Odor** Odorless

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not regulated

### Other Information

- Causes mild skin irritation

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This material is not considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

##### First Aid Measures

<b>Eye Contact</b>	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth.

##### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Most Important Symptoms/Effects** No information available.

##### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

##### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** No information available.

##### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

No information available.

##### Explosion Data

<b>Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact</b>	None.
<b>Sensitivity to Static Discharge</b>	None.

##### Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

##### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal protection** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

##### Environmental Precautions

**Environmental Precautions** See Section 12 for additional Ecological information.

##### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

**Methods for Cleaning Up** Cover with dry lime or soda ash. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

##### Precautions for Safe Handling

**Handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.  
**Incompatible Products** Strong Oxidizers.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Control parameters**

**Exposure Guidelines** .  
**Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering Measures** Showers  
 Eyewash stations  
 Ventilation systems.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/Face Protection** Avoid contact with eyes. Safety glasses with side-shields.  
**Skin and Body Protection** Wear protective gloves/clothing.  
**Respiratory Protection** If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.  
**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Physical State</b>	Solution	<b>Odor</b>	Odorless
<b>Appearance</b>	Blue haze-free	<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No information available
<b>Color</b>	No information available		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	4.0	
Melting point/freezing point		
Boiling Point/Range	100 212	
Flash Point (High in °C)	No information available	
Evaporation Rate	No information available	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available	
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit:	No information available	
Lower flammability limit:	No information available	
Vapor pressure	No information available	
Vapor Density	No information available	
Specific Gravity	No information available	
Water Solubility	No information available	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	
Partition coefficient	No information available	
Autoignition Temperature	No information available	
Decomposition Temperature	No information available	
Kinematic viscosity	No information available	
Dynamic viscosity	No information available	
Explosive Properties	No information available	
Oxidizing Properties	No information available	

**Other Information**

<b>Softening Point</b>	No information available
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	No information available
<b>VOC Content</b>	No information available
<b>Density</b>	No information available
<b>Bulk Density</b>	No information available

<b>10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY</b>
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**Reactivity**

No data available

**Chemical Stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

**Conditions to Avoid**

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

**Incompatible Materials**

Strong Oxidizers.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

None known based on information supplied.

<b>11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION</b>
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**Information on likely routes of exposure****Product Information**

<b>Inhalation</b>	There is no data available for this product.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	There is no data available for this product.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	There is no data available for this product.
<b>Ingestion</b>	There is no data available for this product.

**Information on toxicological effects**

<b>Symptoms</b>	No information available.
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**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure**

<b>Sensitization</b>	No information available.
<b>Mutagenic Effects</b>	No information available.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Reproductive Toxicity</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	No information available.

**Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information**

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

<b>12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION</b>
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**Ecotoxicity**

1.02% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

**Persistence and Degradability**

No information available.

**Bioaccumulation/Accumulation**

No information available.

**Other Adverse Effects**

No information available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste treatment methods****Waste Disposal Method**

Dispose of material in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging**

Do not re-use empty containers.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT**

Not regulated

**IATA**

Not regulated

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**International Inventories**

<b>TSCA</b>	Does not comply
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Complies
<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b>	Does not Comply
<b>ENCS</b>	Does not Comply
<b>IECSC</b>	Complies
<b>KECL</b>	Does not Comply
<b>PICCS</b>	Complies
<b>AICS</b>	Complies

**Legend**

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**U.S. Federal Regulations****SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

<b>Acute Health Hazard</b>	No
<b>Chronic Health Hazard</b>	No
<b>Fire Hazard</b>	No

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Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

**Clean Water Act**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

**U.S. State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations****U.S. EPA Label Information**

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not regulated

<b>16. OTHER INFORMATION</b>
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**End of Safety Data Sheet**