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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE PRODUCT AND COMPANY

Product Name: HI 50016 Buffer Solution pH 1.68

Application: pH Buffer Solution

Company Information (USA):

Additional Product Codes: HI 50016-01
HI 50016-02

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SECTION 2: HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Non-hazardous product as specified in Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION AND COMPONENT INFORMATION

Component: Potassium Tetraoxalate Dihydrate

EC-No.: 204-874-6

CAS-No.: 6100-20-5

Hazard: Xn

Phrases: R: 21/22

Content: > 1% - < 5%

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

After Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. Call a physician if breathing becomes difficult.

After Skin Contact: Wash effected area with water and soap.

After Eye Contact: Rinse out with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If pain persists, summon medical advice.

After Swallowing: Wash out mouth with plenty of water, provided person is conscious. Obtain medical attention if feeling unwell.

General Information: Not available

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media:

Water Spray, Foam, Dry Powder, Carbon Dioxide

Special Risks:

Non-combustible. Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapors possible in the event of fire.

Special Protective Equipment:

Do not stay in dangerous zone without suitable chemical protection clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus.

Additional Information:

NA

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions:

Do not inhale vapors/aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure supply of fresh air in enclosed rooms.

Environmental Precautions:

Do not allow to enter sewerage system.

Additional Notes:

Take up dry. Clean up affected area and dispose according to local regulation. Render harmless: neutralize with diluted sodium hydroxide solution or by throwing on lime, lime sand, or sodium carbonate.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling:

Avoid generation of vapors/aerosols. Do not inhale substance.

Storage:

Tightly closed. In a well-ventilated place at +15 to +25 °C.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Ingredients:

Engineering:

Maintain general industrial hygiene practice.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the working place, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled. As appropriate to quantity handled.

Respiratory Protection:

Required when vapors/aerosols are generated.

Protective Gloves:

Rubber or plastic

Eye Protection:

Goggles or face mask

Industrial Hygiene:

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Colorless liquid

Odor: Odorless

Density at 20° C: 1.0 g/cm³ at 25°C

Melting Point: NA

Boiling Point: > 100 °C

Solubility: Soluble

pH at 20° C: 1.68 at 25°C

Explosion Limit: NA

Flash Point: NA

Thermal Decomp.: NA

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Conditions to be Avoided:

Heating

Hazardous Polymerization:

Will not occur.

Further Information:

Not available

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

In the event of fire: See section 5.

Substances to be Avoided:

The generally known reaction partners of water

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Quantitative data on the toxicity of this product is not available.

In Case of Inhalation: Mucosal irritations.

In Case of Skin Contact: Slight irritations.

In Case of Eye Contact: Slight irritations

In Case of Ingestion: Nausea, vomiting, spasms.

Further Data: The following applies to oxalates in general: nausea and vomiting after swallowing. Mucosal irritations, coughing, and dyspnoea after inhalation. Systemic effect: drop in the blood calcium level, toxic effect on kidneys, cardiovascular disorder. The product should be handled with the usual care when dealing with chemicals

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Quantitative data on the ecological effect of this product is not available.

Further Data: No ecological problems are to be expected when the product is handled and used with due care and attention.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal: Chemical residues are generally classified as special waste and thus covered by local regulations. Contact local authorities or disposal companies for advice. Handle contaminated packaging in the same way as the substance itself.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Land:

Not subject to transport regulations

Sea:

Not subject to transport regulations

Air:

Not subject to transport regulations

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Labeling according to EC Directives:

Symbol: Non-hazardous according to Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC.

R-phrases:

S-phrases:

Contains:

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Text of R-phrases under Section 3

21/22: Harmful in contact with skin and if swallowed

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Legend

NA: Not Applicable

ND: Not Determined

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