

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** EHRlich'S HEMATOXYLIN DILUTED
- **Article number:** 26503-05
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory chemicals
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Electron Microscopy Sciences
1560 Industry Road
USA-Hatfield, PA 19440
Tel: 215-412-8400 Fax: 215-412-8450
email: sgkcck@aol.com
www.emsdiasum.com
- **Information department:** Product safety department
- **Emergency telephone number:**
ChemTrec 1-800-424-9300 Contract CCN7661
1-703-527-3887

2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS02 Flame

Flammable Liquids 2

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.



GHS06 Skull and crossbones

Acute Toxicity - Oral 3

H301 Toxic if swallowed.



GHS08 Health hazard

Carcinogenicity 1A

H350 May cause cancer.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure 1

H370 Causes damage to organs.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure 1

H372 Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.



GHS05 Corrosion

Eye Damage 1

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

- **Label elements**

- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

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· **Hazard pictograms**



· **Signal word** *Danger*

· **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

Ethyl alcohol

· **Hazard statements**

Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

Toxic if swallowed.

Causes serious eye damage.

May cause cancer.

Causes damage to organs.

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

· **Precautionary statements**

Obtain special instructions before use.

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

Keep container tightly closed.

Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.

Use only non-sparking tools.

Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

If swallowed: Immediately call a poison center/doctor.

Specific treatment (see on this label).

Rinse mouth.

If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing.

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

In case of fire: Use CO₂, powder or water spray to extinguish.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Classification system:**

· **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 2

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

The substance demonstrates unusual reactivity with water.

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· **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

HEALTH	2	Health = 2
FIRE	0	Fire = 0
REACTIVITY	0	Reactivity = 0

- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous components:**

56-81-5	glycerol	>2.5-≤10%
64-17-5	Ethyl alcohol	>2.5-≤10%
64-19-7	Acetic Acid Glacial	≤2.5%
517-28-2	haematoxylin	≤2.5%

4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **Information for doctor:**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
- **Environmental precautions:**
Dilute with plenty of water.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

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- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

· **PAC-1:**

56-81-5	glycerol	45 mg/m ³
64-17-5	Ethyl alcohol	1,800 ppm
64-19-7	Acetic Acid Glacial	5 ppm
67-56-1	Methyl Alcohol	530 ppm
7681-55-2	Sodium iodate	0.83 mg/m ³

· **PAC-2:**

56-81-5	glycerol	180 mg/m ³
64-17-5	Ethyl alcohol	3300* ppm
64-19-7	Acetic Acid Glacial	35 ppm
67-56-1	Methyl Alcohol	2,100 ppm
7681-55-2	Sodium iodate	9.1 mg/m ³

· **PAC-3:**

56-81-5	glycerol	1,100 mg/m ³
64-17-5	Ethyl alcohol	15000* ppm
64-19-7	Acetic Acid Glacial	250 ppm
67-56-1	Methyl Alcohol	7200* ppm
7681-55-2	Sodium iodate	55 mg/m ³

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:**
Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.
Protect against electrostatic charges.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store in a cool location.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.

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- **Control parameters**

- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit.

At this time, the remaining constituent has no known exposure limits.

56-81-5 glycerol

PEL	Long-term value: 15* 5** mg/m ³ mist; *total dust **respirable fraction
TLV	TLV withdrawn-insufficient data human occup. exp.

64-17-5 Ethyl alcohol

PEL	Long-term value: 1900 mg/m ³ , 1000 ppm
REL	Long-term value: 1900 mg/m ³ , 1000 ppm
TLV	Short-term value: 1000 ppm
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64-19-7 Acetic Acid Glacial

PEL	Long-term value: 25 mg/m ³ , 10 ppm
REL	Short-term value: 37 mg/m ³ , 15 ppm Long-term value: 25 mg/m ³ , 10 ppm
TLV	Short-term value: 15 ppm Long-term value: 10 ppm

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

- **Exposure controls**

- **Personal protective equipment:**

- **General protective and hygienic measures:** Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.

- **Protection of hands:**

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

- **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

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9 Physical and chemical properties

- **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **General Information**

- **Appearance:**

Form:	Liquid
Color:	According to product specification
Odor:	Characteristic
Odor threshold:	Not determined.

- **pH-value:** Not determined.

- **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	78 °C (172.4 °F)

- **Flash point:** 13 °C (55.4 °F)

- **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Highly flammable.

- **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

- **Auto igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

- **Danger of explosion:** Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapor mixtures are possible.

- **Explosion limits:**

Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.

- **Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):** 23 hPa (17.3 mm Hg)

- **Density:** Not determined.

- **Relative density** Not determined.

- **Vapor density** Not determined.

- **Evaporation rate** Not determined.

- **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

- Water: Fully miscible.

- **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.

- **Viscosity:**

Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.

- **Solvent content:**

Organic solvents:	12.9 %
Water:	86.7 %
VOC content:	7.50 %
	565.6 g/l / 4.72 lb/gal

- **Solids content:** 0.0 %

- **Other information** No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.

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- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**

· LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:		
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64-19-7 Acetic Acid Glacial		
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Oral	LD50	3,310 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	1,060 mg/kg (rabbit)

- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**

- **Carcinogenic categories**

· IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)		
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64-17-5	Ethyl alcohol	1
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· NTP (National Toxicology Program)		
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None of the ingredients is listed.		
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· OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety Health Administration)		
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None of the ingredients is listed.		
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12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
- Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
- Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

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13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

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| · Environmental hazards: | Not applicable. |
| · Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | Void |

15 Regulatory information

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
No further relevant information available.
- **Sara**

· **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

67-56-1 Methyl Alcohol

· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

7732-18-5	Deionized Water, Reagent Grade A.C.S.	ACTIVE
56-81-5	glycerol	ACTIVE
64-17-5	Ethyl alcohol	ACTIVE
64-19-7	Acetic Acid Glacial	ACTIVE
67-56-1	Methyl Alcohol	ACTIVE
517-28-2	haematoxylin	ACTIVE
7681-55-2	Sodium iodate	ACTIVE

· **Hazardous Air Pollutants**

67-56-1 Methyl Alcohol

· **Proposition 65**

· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

64-17-5	Ethyl alcohol
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67-56-1	Methyl Alcohol
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· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value)**

64-17-5	Ethyl alcohol	A3
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· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02

GHS05

GHS06

GHS08

· **Signal word** *Danger*

· **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

Ethyl alcohol

· **Hazard statements**

Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

Toxic if swallowed.

Causes serious eye damage.

May cause cancer.

Causes damage to organs.

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

· **Precautionary statements**

Obtain special instructions before use.

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

Keep container tightly closed.

Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.

Use only non-sparking tools.

Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

If swallowed: Immediately call a poison center/doctor.

Specific treatment (see on this label).

Rinse mouth.

If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing.

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

In case of fire: Use CO₂, powder or water spray to extinguish.

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Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Contact:**

· **Date of preparation / last revision** 02/24/2023

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety **Health**

TLV: **Threshold Limit Value**

PEL: **Permissible Exposure Limit**

REL: **Recommended Exposure Limit**

Flammable Liquids 2: Flammable liquids – Category 2

Acute Toxicity - Oral 3: Acute toxicity – Category 3

Eye Damage 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1

Carcinogenicity 1A: Carcinogenicity – Category 1A

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure 1: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 1

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure 1: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 1