1. Identification

Product Name: Methylene Blue
Cat No.: BP117-100
Synonyms: Basic Blue 9
Recommended Use: Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against: No Information available

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification
This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute oral toxicity: Category 4

Label Elements
Signal Word: Warning
Hazard Statements
Harmful if swallowed

Precautionary Statements
Prevention
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
Ingestion
**3. Composition / information on ingredients**

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**4. First-aid measures**

**Eye Contact**
Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

**Skin Contact**
Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Inhalation**
Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Obtain medical attention.

**Ingestion**
Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

**Most important symptoms/effects**
No information available.

**Notes to Physician**
Treat symptomatically

**5. Fire-fighting measures**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**
Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**
No information available

**Flash Point**
No information available

**Method**
No information available

**Autoignition Temperature**
No data available

**Explosion Limits**
No data available

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact**
No information available

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge**
No information available

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**
Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

**Hazardous Combustion Products**
Hydrogen chloride gas Nitrogen oxides (NOx) Carbon monoxide (CO) Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

**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
Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation.
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Environmental Precautions
Avoid release to the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods for Containment and Clean Up
Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

7. Handling and storage

Handling
Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation.
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

Storage
Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines
This product does not contain any known or suspected reproductive hazards

Engineering Measures
Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/face Protection
Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA’s eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin and body protection
Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respiratory Protection
Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Hygiene Measures
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

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Autoignition Temperature  
Decomposition Temperature  
Viscosity  
Molecular Formula  
Molecular Weight  

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard  None known, based on information available
Stability  Stable under normal conditions.
Conditions to Avoid  Avoid dust formation. Incompatible products. Excess heat.
Incompatible Materials  Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products  Hydrogen chloride gas, Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂)
Hazardous Polymerization  Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Hazardous Reactions  None under normal processing.

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity

Product Information

Component Information

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Toxicologically Synergistic Products  No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation  No information available
Sensitization  No information available

Carcinogenicity  The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

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Mutagenic Effects  No information available
Reproductive Effects  No information available.
Developmental Effects  No information available.
Teratogenicity  No information available.
STOT - single exposure  None known
STOT - repeated exposure  None known
Aspiration hazard  No information available

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed  No information available

Endocrine Disruptor Information  No information available
Other Adverse Effects

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity
Do not empty into drains.

Persistence and Degradability
Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation
No information available.

Mobility
Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods
Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. Transport information

DOT
Not regulated

TDG
Not regulated

IATA
Not regulated

IMDG/IMO
Not regulated

15. Regulatory information

All of the components in the product are on the following Inventory lists: Australia Complete Regulatory Information contained in following SDS’s X = listed China Canada The product is classified and labeled according to EC directives or corresponding national laws The product is classified and labeled in accordance with Directive 1999/45/EC Europe TSCA Korea Philippines

International Inventories

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Legend:

X - Listed
E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance
R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health Hazard Yes
Chronic Health Hazard No
Fire Hazard No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard: No
Reactive Hazard: No

CWA (Clean Water Act): Not applicable
Clean Air Act: Not applicable
OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration: Not applicable

CERCLA: Not applicable

California Proposition 65: This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations: Not applicable

U.S. Department of Transportation
Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
DOT Marine Pollutant: N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant: N

U.S. Department of Homeland Security: This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations
Mexico - Grade: No information available
Canada: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR

WHMIS Hazard Class: Non-controlled

16. Other information
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End of SDS