# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)

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#### SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

# **Rhodamine B Solution**

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CHEMTREC Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300

## SECTION 2 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Rhodamine B (81-88-9) 1% and Water (7732-18-5) 99%

Synonyms: basic violet 10, C.I. 45170

CAS#: None established

#### **SECTION 3 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Reddish-violet aqueous solution. Odorless.

Substance not considered hazardous. However, not all health aspects of this substance have been

thoroughly investigated.

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Health-0 Flammability-0

Reactivity-0

Exposure-0

Storage-0 0 is low hazard, 3 is high hazard

# **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Call a physician, seek medical attention for further treatment, observation and support after first aid.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air at once. If breathing has stopped give artificial respiration immediately.

Eye: Immediately flush with fresh water for 15 minutes.

External: Wash continuously with fresh water for 15 minutes.

Internal: Give large quantities of water. Call a physician or poison control at once.

#### **SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Nonflammable liquid.

NFPA CODE

None established

#### **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Restrict unprotected personnel from area and ventilate area. Contain spill with sand or absorbent material; deposit in sealed bag or container. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

#### **SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #9. Store with dyes, indicators, and stains. Store in a cool dry place. Use and dispense in a hood.

#### SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wear chemical splash goggles, chemical-resistant gloves, and chemical-resistant apron.

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#### **SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Reddish-violet liquid. Odorless. Formula:  $C_{28}H_{31}ClN_2O_3$  Formula Weight: 479.00

#### **SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Avoid contact with strong oxidizers.

Shelf life: Indefinite.

# **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute effects: Possible irritant ORL-MUS LD<sub>50</sub>: 887 mg/kg as rhodamine B

Chronic effects: N.A. IHL-RAT  $LC_{50}$ : N.A. Target organs: N.A. SKN-RBT  $LD_{50}$ : N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

# **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Data not yet available.

#### SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Please consult with state and local regulations.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #26b is one option.

#### **SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Shipping Name: Not regulated

Hazard Class: N/A UN Number: N/A N/A = Not applicable

#### <u>SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION</u>

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (201-383-9).

#### **SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION**

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