# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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# SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

# Hematoxylin

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CHEMTREC Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300 Signal Word WARNING **Pictograms** 

#### **SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Hazard class: Skin and serious eye damage, corrosion or irritation (Category 2, 2A). Causes skin and serious eye irritation (H315+H319).

Hazard class: Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure; respiratory tract irritation (Category 3). May cause respiratory irritation (H335). Avoid breathing dust and fumes (P261).

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SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Hematoxylin	517-28-2	$C_{16}H_{14}O_{6}$	302.29	
Synonym: C.I. 75290				

#### **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell (P312).

If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing (P304+P340).

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing (P305+P351+P338). If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice or attention (P337+P313). If on skin: Wash with plenty of water (P302+P352). If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice or attention (P332+P313).

If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.

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

Nonflammable solid. When heated to decomposition, may emit toxic fumes.

**In case of fire:** Use a tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.

NFPA CODE None

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# **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Sweep up the spill, place in a sealed bag or container, and dispose. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

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#### SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #9. Store with dyes, indicators, and stains.

Light sensitive. Store in a Flinn Chem-Saf<sup>TM</sup> bag and then place in a Flinn Saf-Stor<sup>TM</sup> can in a cool, dry place away from light.

Keep container tightly closed (P233). Use only in a hood or in a well-ventilated area (P271).

# SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection (P280). Wash thoroughly after handling (P264). Use only in a hood or in a well-ventilated area (P271). Will stain skin, clothing, and surfaces.

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

Light brown, crystalline powder. Odorless. Soluble: Hot water, alcohol, and glycerin

Melting point: 140 °C Biological stain.

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

Avoid contact with strong oxidizers. May discolor upon exposure to light. Shelf life: Fair, light sensitive. See Section 7 for further information.

# **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute effects: Skin, eye, and respiratory tract irritant. ORL-RAT  $LD_{50}$ : N.A. Chronic effects: N.A. IHL-RAT  $LC_{50}$ : N.A. Target organs: Skin, eyes, and respiratory tract. 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 review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #4c is one option.

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

Shipping name: Not regulated. Hazard class: N/A. UN number: N/A.

N/A = Not applicable

# **SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (208-237-3).

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

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