

# FORMALDEHYDE 4% BUFFERED SOLUTION FOR HISTOLOGY MSDS



LABORATORY REAGENTS  
& FINE CHEMICALS

CAS-No.: 50-00-0 MSDS

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS)

### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture  
:  
CAS-No. : 50-00-0  
Product code : 0147F

#### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

##### 1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Industrial/Professional use spec : Industrial  
For professional use only

##### 1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : + 91 22 6663 6663 (9:00am - 6:00 pm)

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4 H302  
Skin sensitisation, Category 1 H317  
Carcinogenicity, Category 2 H351

Full text of H statements : see section 16

#### Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

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### 2.2. Label elements

#### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP) :



GHS07

GHS08

Signal word (CLP) : Warning

Hazard statements (CLP) : H302 - Harmful if swallowed.  
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction.  
H351 - Suspected of causing cancer.

Precautionary statements (CLP) : P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/...  
P308+P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

### 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

### 3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
WATER AR	(CAS-No.) 7732-18-5 (EC-No.) 231-791-2	88 - 89	Not classified
Formaldehyde	(CAS-No.) 50-00-0 (EC-No.) 200-001-8 (EC Index-No.) 605-001-00-5	11 - 11.5	Acute Tox. 2 (Dermal), H310 Acute Tox. 3 (Inhalation), H331 Acute Tox. 3 (Oral), H301 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Carc. 2, H351 STOT SE 3, H335 Skin Sens. 1, H317
Disodiumhydrogenorthophosphate	(CAS-No.) 7558-79-4 (EC-No.) 231-448-7	0.6 - 0.7	Not classified
SODIUM DIHYDROGEN ORTHOPHOSPHATE AR(DIHYDRATE) AR	(CAS-No.) 13472-35-0	0.35 - 0.45	Not classified

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### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

- First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Give oxygen or artificial respiration if necessary. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash skin with plenty of water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth out with water. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Symptoms/effects after skin contact : May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Harmful if swallowed.
- Chronic symptoms : Suspected carcinogen.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : dry chemical powder, alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No additional information available

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

- Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

##### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Emergency procedures : Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

##### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Use personal protective equipment as required.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- Methods for cleaning up : Clean contaminated surfaces with an excess of water.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
- Hygiene measures : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

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### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Hand protection	: Protective gloves
Eye protection	: Chemical goggles or safety glasses
Skin and body protection	: Wear suitable protective clothing
Respiratory protection	: Wear respiratory protection.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Molecular mass	: 30.03 g/mol
Colour	: Colourless.
Odour	: No data available
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: 6.9 - 7.1
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: No data available
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Solubility	: No data available
Log Pow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available

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Oxidising properties : No data available

Explosive limits : No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No additional information available

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No additional information available

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Oral: Harmful if swallowed.

ATE CLP (oral)	500 mg/kg bodyweight
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Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified  
pH: 6.9 - 7.1

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified  
pH: 6.9 - 7.1

Respiratory or skin sensitisation : May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Suspected of causing cancer.

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

STOT-single exposure : Not classified

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

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### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

No additional information available

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

No additional information available

### SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

#### 14.1. UN number

UN-No. (ADR)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (IMDG)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (IATA)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (ADN)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (RID)	: Not applicable

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (ADR)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (IATA)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (ADN)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (RID)	: Not applicable

#### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

##### ADR

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR)	: Not applicable
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##### IMDG

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG)	: Not applicable
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### IATA

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : Not applicable

### ADN

Transport hazard class(es) (ADN) : Not applicable

### RID

Transport hazard class(es) (RID) : Not applicable

### 14.4. Packing group

Packing group (ADR) : Not applicable

Packing group (IMDG) : Not applicable

Packing group (IATA) : Not applicable

Packing group (ADN) : Not applicable

Packing group (RID) : Not applicable

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment : No

Marine pollutant : No

Other information : No supplementary information available

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

#### - Overland transport

Not applicable

#### - Transport by sea

Not applicable

#### - Air transport

Not applicable

#### - Inland waterway transport

Not applicable

#### - Rail transport

Not applicable

### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### 15.1.1. EU-Regulations

Contains no REACH substances with Annex XVII restrictions

Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list

Contains no REACH Annex XIV substances

#### 15.1.2. National regulations

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### Germany

Reference to AwSV : Water hazard class (WGK) 3, Highly hazardous to water (Classification according to AwSV, Annex 1)

12th Ordinance Implementing the Federal Immission Control Act - 12.BImSchV : Is not subject of the 12. BImSchV (Hazardous Incident Ordinance)

### Netherlands

SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen : Formaldehyde is listed

SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen : None of the components are listed

NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Borstvoeding : None of the components are listed

NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Vruchtbaarheid : None of the components are listed

NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Ontwikkeling : None of the components are listed

### Denmark

Recommendations Danish Regulation : Young people below the age of 18 years are not allowed to use the product  
Pregnant/breastfeeding women working with the product must not be in direct contact with the product  
The requirements from the Danish Working Environment Authorities regarding work with carcinogens must be followed during use and disposal

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No additional information available

## SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:

Acute Tox. 2 (Dermal)	Acute toxicity (dermal), Category 2
Acute Tox. 3 (Inhalation)	Acute toxicity (inhal.), Category 3
Acute Tox. 3 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 3
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4
Carc. 2	Carcinogenicity, Category 2
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1B
Skin Sens. 1	Skin sensitisation, Category 1
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity — Single exposure, Category 3, Respiratory tract irritation
H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H310	Fatal in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
H351	Suspected of causing cancer.



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*This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product*