

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Secondary pH Reference Std.  
pH 4.004 +- 0.010 @25°C
- **Article number:** 1411
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
Aqua Solutions, Inc.  
6913 Highway 225  
DEER PARK, TX 77536  
USA  
800-256-2586
- **Information department:**  
Technical Coordinator  
Sherman Nelson [shermann@aquasolutions.org](mailto:shermann@aquasolutions.org)
- **Emergency telephone number:**  
Chemtrec: 800-424-9300  
Canutec: 613-996-6666



## 2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**  
The product is not classified, according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** Not Applicable
- **Hazard pictograms** Not Applicable
- **Signal word** Not Applicable
- **Hazard statements** Not Applicable
- **Precautionary statements**  
If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.  
If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.  
If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
Store in a closed container.  
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
- **Classification system:**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**  


Health = 0  
Fire = 0  
Reactivity = 0
- **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**  

HEALTH	0
FIRE	0
REACTIVITY	0

Health = 0  
Fire = 0  
Reactivity = 0
- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
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## 3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization:** Mixtures
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.
- **Dangerous components:** Not Applicable

### · Table of Nonhazardous Ingredients

CAS: 7732-18-5	Water	98.979%
CAS: 877-24-7	Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate	1.021%

## 4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:** No special measures required.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Immediately rinse with water.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
- **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:** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- **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** Not required.
- **Environmental precautions:** Dilute with plenty of water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).  
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
- **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:

CAS: 877-24-7	Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate	9.6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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### · PAC-2:

CAS: 877-24-7	Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate	110 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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· PAC-3:

CAS: 877-24-7 Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate

630 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

## 7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling** No special measures required.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
- **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 section 7.
- **Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**  
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**  
The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

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:** Goggles recommended during refilling.

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· **Body protection:** *Protective work clothing*

### 9 Physical and chemical properties

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

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

**Form:** *Liquid*

**Color:** *Colorless*

· **Odor:** *Odorless*

· **Odor threshold:** *Not determined.*

· **pH-value at 20 °C (68 °F):** *4*

· **Change in condition**

**Melting point/Melting range:** *0 °C (32 °F)*

**Boiling point/Boiling range:** *100 °C (212 °F)*

· **Flash point:** *Not applicable.*

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** *Not applicable.*

· **Decomposition temperature:** *Not determined.*

· **Ignition temperature:** *Product is not selfigniting.*

· **Danger of explosion:** *Product does not present an explosion hazard.*

· **Explosion limits:**

**Lower:** *Not determined.*

**Upper:** *Not determined.*

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

· **Density at 20 °C (68 °F):** *1.00649 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (8.39916 lbs/gal)*

· **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:**

**Water:** *99.0 %*

**VOC content:** *0.00 %*

*0.0 g/l / 0.00 lb/gal*

**Solids content:** *1.0 %*

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

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## 10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **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:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**  
 The product is not subject to classification according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:  
 When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects according to our experience and the information provided to us.
- **Carcinogenic categories**

· <b>IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)</b>
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None of the ingredients is listed.
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· <b>NTP (National Toxicology Program)</b>
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None of the ingredients is listed.
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· <b>OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety &amp; Health Administration)</b>
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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:** Not hazardous for water.
- **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:** Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

## 14 Transport information

· <b>UN-Number</b>	
· <b>DOT, IMDG, IATA</b>	Not regulated
· <b>UN proper shipping name</b>	
· <b>DOT, IATA</b>	Not regulated
· <b>IMDG</b>	Not Regulated
	Not regulated
· <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
· <b>DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA</b>	
· <b>Class</b>	Not regulated
· <b>Packing group</b>	
· <b>DOT, IMDG, IATA</b>	Not regulated
· <b>Environmental hazards:</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Special precautions for user</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>UN "Model Regulation":</b>	Not regulated

## 15 Regulatory information

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

· <b>Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):</b>	
None of the ingredients is listed.	
· <b>Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):</b>	
None of the ingredients is listed.	
· <b>TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):</b>	
Water	ACTIVE
Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate	ACTIVE
· <b>Hazardous Air Pollutants</b>	
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· **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.

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

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **GHS label elements** Not Applicable

· **Hazard pictograms** Not Applicable

· **Signal word** Not Applicable

· **Hazard statements** Not Applicable

· **Precautionary statements**

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Continue rinsing.

Store in a closed container.

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.

· **Department issuing SDS:** Environment protection department.

· **Contact:**

Date of Preparation / Last Revision:

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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

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)

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

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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

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