Aerospray® Gram Reagent A, Fuchsin Concentrate

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1 Identification

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture
Product name : Aerospray® Gram Reagent A, Fuchsin Concentrate
Product code : SS-141AF

1.2. Other means of identification

No additional information available

1.3. Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture : Laboratory chemical
Recommended use : Professional use only

1.4. Supplier's details

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1.5. Emergency phone number

Emergency number : Contact your distributor or poison control center in your country.
InfoTrac Emergency Response: Calls within the USA, phone: 1-800-535-5053. Calls outside the USA, phone: +1 352-323-3500 (call collect)
Customer ID: #90104 (NOTE: this number is required when a customer calls into either phone number above).

SECTION 2 Hazard Identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS US classification

Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2	H315	Causes skin irritation.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2	H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
Skin sensitization, Category 1	H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Carcinogenicity, Category 1B	H350	May cause cancer (oral).
Reproductive toxicity, Category 1B	H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child.
Specific target organ toxicity — Repeated exposure, Category 2	H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Full text of H statements : see section 16

2.2. Label elements

GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US) :



Signal word (GHS US)	:	Danger
Hazard statements (GHS US)	:	H315 - Causes skin irritation H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction H319 - Causes serious eye irritation H350 - May cause cancer (oral). H360 - May damage fertility or the unborn child H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
Precautionary statements (GHS US)	:	P201 - Obtain special instructions before use. P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. P260 - Do not breathe mist, spray, vapors, fume. P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling. P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection. P302+P352 - If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P308+P313 - If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. P333+P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice or attention. P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice or attention. P362+P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. P405 - Store locked up. P501 - Dispose of contents and/or container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulations.

2.3. Hazards associated with known or reasonably anticipated uses

No additional information available

2.4. Hazards not otherwise classified

No additional information available

2.5. Unknown acute toxicity

No additional information available

SECTION 3 Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
benzyl alcohol	CAS-No.: 100-51-6	1 – 5	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation), H332 Eye Irrit. 2, H319 Skin Sens. 1B, H317
1H-imidazole	CAS-No.: 288-32-4	1 – 5	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1C, H314 Repr. 1B, H360 STOT RE 2, H373
C.I. Basic Red 9 (Basic Fuchsin)	CAS-No.: 569-61-9	1 – 5	Carc. 1B, H350

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

SECTION 4 First aid measures

4.1. Description of necessary first-aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Allow affected person to breathe fresh air. Allow the victim to rest.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash skin with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention. Call a poison center/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Personal protection for first-aid responders. : First-aiders should consider self-protection and use the recommended personal protective equipment (see section 8).

4.2. Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : None under normal conditions.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Causes skin irritation. Irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation. Eye irritation.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : None under normal conditions.

Chronic symptoms : May damage fertility or the unborn child.

4.3. Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

Other medical advice or treatment : Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard : No fire hazard.

Explosion hazard : No direct explosion hazard.

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment. Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

SECTION 6 Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Stop leak if safe to do so. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters. Absorb spillage to prevent material-damage.

For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Wear recommended personal protective equipment.

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Only qualified personnel equipped with suitable protective equipment may intervene. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Equip cleanup crew with proper protection. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

Emergency procedures : Ventilate area. Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Stop leak if safe to do so.

Environmental precautions : Avoid release to the environment. Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

6.2. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Absorb spilled material with sand or earth. Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams. Stop leak, if possible without risk.

Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material. Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Collect spillage. Store away from other materials. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection. For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7 Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapor. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Take all necessary technical measures to avoid or minimize the release of the product on the workplace. Limit quantities of product at the minimum necessary for handling and limit the number of exposed workers. Provide local exhaust or general room ventilation. Wear personal protective equipment. Floors, walls and other surfaces in the hazard area must be cleaned regularly. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Hygiene measures : Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Separate working clothes from town clothes. Launder separately. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

Additional hazards when processed : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including incompatibilities

Technical measures : Keep in a cool, well-ventilated place away from heat.

Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use. Keep only in original container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

Incompatible products : Strong bases. Strong acids.
Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight.
Packaging materials : Always store product in container of same material as original container.

SECTION 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.
Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

8.3. Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Personal protective equipment:
Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

Materials for protective clothing:
Wear protective clothing

Hand protection:				
Wear protective gloves				
Type	**Material**	**Permeation**	**Thickness (mm)**	**Penetration**
Disposable gloves	Latex, Nitrile rubber (NBR)	3 (> 60 minutes)	0.1 - 0.15	

Eye protection:
Chemical goggles or safety glasses

Skin and body protection:
Wear suitable protective clothing

Respiratory protection:
Wear suitable respiratory equipment in case of insufficient ventilation

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



Other information:
Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid
Appearance : Liquid.
Color : Purple

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Odor	:	Characteristic
Odor threshold	:	No data available
pH	:	No data available
Melting point	:	Not applicable
Freezing point	:	No data available
Boiling point	:	No data available
Flash point	:	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	Non flammable.
Vapor pressure	:	No data available
Relative vapor density at 20°C	:	No data available
Relative density	:	No data available
Solubility	:	Water: No available data
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	:	No data available
Decomposition temperature	:	No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	:	No data available
Explosion limits	:	No data available
Particle characteristics	:	No data available

9.2. Data relevant with regard to physical hazard classes (supplemental)

No additional information available

SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions of use.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong bases.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

fume. Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

SECTION 11 Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	:	Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	:	Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	:	Not classified

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benzyl alcohol (100-51-6)	
LD50 oral rat	1230 mg/kg (Rat; Experimental value)
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg body weight (EPA OTS 798.1100, 24 h, Rabbit, Male / female, Experimental value, Dermal, 14 day(s))
ATE US (oral)	1230 mg/kg body weight
ATE US (gases)	4500 ppmV/4h
ATE US (vapors)	11 mg/l/4h
ATE US (dust, mist)	1.5 mg/l/4h

1H-imidazole (288-32-4)	
LD50 oral rat	≈ 970 mg/kg body weight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 401 (Acute Oral Toxicity)
ATE US (oral)	500 mg/kg body weight

C.I. Basic Red 9 (569-61-9)	
LD50 oral rat	3200 mg/kg (Rat, Oral)
ATE US (oral)	3200 mg/kg body weight

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes skin irritation.

benzyl alcohol (100-51-6)	
pH	No data available in the literature

1H-imidazole (288-32-4)	
pH	10.5 (7 %)

C.I. Basic Red 9 (569-61-9)	
pH	No data available in the literature

Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye irritation.

benzyl alcohol (100-51-6)	
pH	No data available in the literature

1H-imidazole (288-32-4)	
pH	10.5 (7 %)

C.I. Basic Red 9 (569-61-9)	
pH	No data available in the literature

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

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : May cause cancer (oral).

C.I. Basic Red 9 (569-61-9)	
National Toxicology Program (NTP) Status	Reasonably anticipated to be Human Carcinogen

Reproductive toxicity : May damage fertility or the unborn child.

STOT-single exposure : Not classified

STOT-repeated exposure : May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

benzyl alcohol (100-51-6)	
NOAEL (oral,rat,90 days)	400 mg/kg body weight Animal: rat, Guideline: other:OECD Guideline 451 (Carcinogenicity Studies)

1H-imidazole (288-32-4)	
NOAEL (oral,rat,90 days)	60 mg/kg body weight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 408 (Repeated Dose 90-Day Oral Toxicity in Rodents)
STOT-repeated exposure	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

benzyl alcohol (100-51-6)	
Viscosity, kinematic	No data available in the literature

1H-imidazole (288-32-4)	
Viscosity, kinematic	No data available in the literature

C.I. Basic Red 9 (569-61-9)	
Viscosity, kinematic	Not applicable (solid)

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation : None under normal conditions.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Causes skin irritation. Irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation. Eye irritation.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion : None under normal conditions.
Chronic symptoms : May damage fertility or the unborn child.

SECTION 12 Ecological information

12.1. Ecotoxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms or to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short–term (acute) : Not classified
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long–term (chronic) : Not classified

benzyl alcohol (100-51-6)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	460 mg/l (EPA OPP 72-1, 96 h, Pimephales promelas, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Nominal concentration)
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	230 mg/l (OECD 202: Daphnia sp. Acute Immobilisation Test, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Fresh water, Experimental value, Locomotor effect)
EC50 72h - Algae [1]	770 mg/l Test organisms (species): Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (previous names: Raphidocelis subcapitata, Selenastrum capricornutum)
EC50 72h - Algae [2]	500 mg/l Test organisms (species): Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (previous names: Raphidocelis subcapitata, Selenastrum capricornutum)
ErC50 algae	770 mg/l (OECD 201: Alga, Growth Inhibition Test, 72 h, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)
NOEC (chronic)	51 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna Duration: '21 d'

1H-imidazole (288-32-4)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	283.6 mg/l (48 h, Leuciscus idus, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Nominal concentration)
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	341.5 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna
EC50 72h - Algae [1]	133 mg/l Test organisms (species): Desmodesmus subspicatus (previous name: Scenedesmus subspicatus)
ErC50 algae	133 mg/l (DIN 38412: German standard methods for the examination of water, waste water and sludge, 72 h, Desmodesmus subspicatus, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Nominal concentration)

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Aerospray® Gram Reagent A, Fuchsin Concentrate	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

benzyl alcohol (100-51-6)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradable in the soil, Readily biodegradable in water.

1H-imidazole (288-32-4)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in the soil, Readily biodegradable in water.

C.I. Basic Red 9 (569-61-9)	
Persistence and degradability	Not readily biodegradable in water.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Aerospray® Gram Reagent A, Fuchsin Concentrate	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

benzyl alcohol (100-51-6)	
BCF - Fish [1]	1.4 l/kg (BCFBAF v3.01, Estimated value)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	1 – 1.1 (Experimental value, 20 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (Log Kow < 4).

1H-imidazole (288-32-4)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-0.02 (Weight of evidence approach, OECD 107: Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water): Shake Flask Method, 25 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

C.I. Basic Red 9 (569-61-9)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-0.21 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

12.4. Mobility in soil

benzyl alcohol (100-51-6)	
Surface tension	39 mN/m (20 °C)

benzyl alcohol (100-51-6)	
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	1.1 – 1.3 (log Koc, SRC PCKOCWIN v2.0, Calculated value)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.

1H-imidazole (288-32-4)	
Surface tension	No data available in the literature
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	1.36 – 2.32 (log Koc, Calculated value)
Ecology - soil	Low potential for adsorption in soil.

C.I. Basic Red 9 (569-61-9)	
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	5.377 (log Koc, SRC PCKOCWIN v2.0, Calculated value)
Ecology - soil	Adsorbs into the soil.

12.5. Other adverse effects

Ozone : Not classified
Fluorinated greenhouse gases : No

Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13 Disposal considerations

Regional waste regulation : Disposal must be done according to official regulations.
Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.
Sewage disposal recommendations : Disposal must be done according to official regulations.
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation. Disposal must be done according to official regulations.
Additional information : Do not re-use empty containers.
Ecological waste information : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14 Transport information

In accordance with DOT / TDG / IMDG / IATA

14.1. UN number

Not regulated for transport

14.2. UN Proper Shipping Name

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (TDG) : Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Not regulated

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14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

DOT
Transport hazard class(es) (DOT) : Not regulated

TDG
Transport hazard class(es) (TDG) : Not regulated

IMDG
Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : Not regulated

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

14.4. Packing group

Packing group (DOT) : Not regulated
Packing group (TDG) : Not regulated
Packing group (IMDG) : Not regulated
Packing group (IATA) : Not regulated

14.5. Environmental hazards

Other information : No supplementary information available.

14.6. Transport in bulk

Not applicable

14.7. Special precautions for user

DOT
Not regulated

TDG
Not regulated

IMDG
Not regulated

IATA
Not regulated

SECTION 15 Regulatory information

15.1. Federal regulations

All components of this product are present and listed as Active on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory

15.2. International regulations

CANADA

1H-imidazole (288-32-4)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

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C.I. Basic Red 9 (569-61-9)
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

EU-Regulations

No additional information available

National regulations

C.I. Basic Red 9 (569-61-9)
Listed on IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) Listed as carcinogen on NTP (National Toxicology Program)

15.3. State regulations

WARNING: This product can expose you to Basic Fuchsin, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

Component	State or local regulations
benzyl alcohol(100-51-6)	U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List; U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List
C.I. Basic Red 9(569-61-9)	U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List; U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List

SECTION 16 Other information

according to Federal Register / Vol. 77, No. 58 / Monday, March 26, 2012 / Rules and Regulations
Other information : None.

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements	
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H315	Causes skin irritation
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H332	Harmful if inhaled
H350	May cause cancer.
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

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