

# Section 1: Information

1. Product Identification

1.1. Name: Acridine Orange 1.2. C.A.S. Number: 65-61-2

1.3. Catalog Numbers

1.3.1. ViaStain™ AO Staining Solution, Cat. No.: CS1-0108-5mL, 5mL 1.3.2. ViaStain™ AO Staining Solution, Cat. No.: CS1-0108-1mL, 1mL

1.4. Supplier

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1.5. Emergency Number: Please contact the appropriate local emergency response provider

- 1.6. R.E.A.C.H Registration Number: No registration number is given yet for the substance/substances in this mixture since the annual import quantity is less than the required one tonnage per annum
- 2. Recommended Use
  - 2.1. Acridine Orange is a fluorescent dye and should only be used to stain mammalian cells
  - 2.2. Acridine Orange is not intended to be used as a human or animal diagnostic or therapeutic reagent
  - 2.3. Do not use Acridine Orange for any other uses

#### Section 2: Hazard Identification

- 1. Hazard Classification
  - 1.1. Phosphate buffered saline

1.1.1. H412 Toxic to aquatic life Category: Aquatic Acute – 3

Aquatic Chronic - 3

For the full text of H-Statements please reference Section 16

1.2. No R-phrases to report

For the full text of R-phrases please reference Section 16

1.3. No S-phrases to report

For the full text of S-phrases please reference Section 16

2. Label Elements

2.1. Signal Words: None

2.2. Hazard Statements



- 2.2.1.Not a hazardous mixture
- 2.3. Precautionary Statements:
  - 2.3.1. None
- 2.4. Pictograms:
  - 2.4.1.None
- 2.5. Other Hazards Which Do Not Result in Classification
  - 2.5.1.To our knowledge, the hazards of this material have not been thoroughly investigated, but we recommend the handling of all chemicals to be done with caution
  - 2.5.2. Hazardous Materials Identification System Classification

Health Hazard: 0 Chronic Health Hazard: 0 Flammability: 0 Physical Hazard: 0

2.5.3. National Fire Protection Association Rating

Health Hazard: 0
Fire: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 0

# Section 3: Composition and Information on Ingredients

- 1. Substance: Acridine Orange
  - 1.1. Hazardous Component: None
  - 1.2. Synonyms

1.2.1. AO

1.3. Hazardous component molecular formula: C17H19N31.4. Hazardous component molecular weight: 265.36 g/mol

- 2. Substance: Phosphate Buffered Saline
  - 2.1. Hazardous Component: Potassium chloride
  - 2.2. Synonyms 2.2.1. PBS
  - 2.3. Hazardous component molecular formula: KCI
  - 2.4. Hazardous component molecular weight: 74.5513 g/mol

Common	Classification	CAS Number/	EC-	Index	M-Factor	Percentage
Name		IUPAC Name	Number	Number		
Phosphate	Aquatic	7447-40-7	231-211-8	N/A	N/A	99.9 % - 98 %
buffered	Acute: 3					
saline	Aquatic					
	Chronic: 3					
	H412					
Acridine	None	65-61-2	200-614-0	N/A	N/A	0.1 % - 2 %
Orange						



## Section 4: First-aid Measures

- 1. Always remove contaminated personnel away from the hazardous area, and to a safe area
- 2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects
  - 2.1. No information available
- 3. Indication of Immediate Medical Attention or Necessary Special Treatment
  - 3.1. No information available
- 4. Medical Professionals
  - 4.1. If medical advice or attention is required, present them with this safety data sheet first
  - 4.2. Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically
- 5. Inhalation
  - 5.1. Place affected person in fresh air and in a comfortable position for breathing
  - 5.2. Seek medical advice or attention
- 6. Skin Contact
  - 6.1. Remove any contaminated clothing from the affected person, and wash the contaminated area with soap and plenty of water for 15 minutes
    - 6.1.1. Wash clothes before re-use
  - 6.2. Seek medical advice or attention
- 7. Eye Contamination
  - 7.1. Flush open eyes for 15 minutes with water
  - 7.2. If contacts are present, remove contacts after the first 15-minute flush, and flush for an additional 15 minutes
  - 7.3. Seek medical advice or attention
- 8. Ingestion
  - 8.1. Do not induce vomiting
  - 8.2. Drink plenty of water
  - 8.3. Never give an unconscious person anything by mouth
  - 8.4. Seek medical advice or attention

### Section 5: Fire-fighting Measures

- 1. Suitable Extinguishing Media
  - 1.1. Carbon dioxide
  - 1.2. Dry chemical extinguisher
  - 1.3. Alcohol-resistant foam extinguisher
  - 1.4. Water
- 2. Not Suitable Extinguishing Media
  - 2.1. No information available
- 3. Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical
  - 3.1. No information available
- 4. Special Protective Actions for Fire-fighters
  - 4.1. Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary



- 5. Further Information
  - 5.1. No information available

#### Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

- 1. Personal Precautions
  - 1.1. Wear proper personal protective equipment
  - 1.2. Avoid formation of dusts
  - 1.3. Avoid breathing dusts, vapors, mists, or gases
  - 1.4. Ensure adequate ventilation
  - 1.5. Remove all sources of ignition
- 2. Protective Equipment
  - 2.1. Proper personal protective equipment
- 3. Emergency Procedures
  - 3.1. See Section 5
- 4. Accidental Spills or Release of the Product
  - 4.1. Wear proper protective equipment while cleaning up spills
  - 4.2. Remove ignition sources and provide adequate ventilation
  - 4.3. Contact emergency personnel if required
- 5. Emergency Responders
  - 5.1. Personal Protective Equipment
    - 5.1.1.See Section 5
- 6. Environmental Precautions
  - 6.1. Contain leakage or spillage if safe to do so
  - 6.2. Do not let product enter drains
- 7. Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning
  - 7.1. Drains
    - 7.1.1. Do not let product enter drains
  - 7.2. Capping procedures
    - 7.2.1. No information available
  - 7.3. Neutralization techniques
    - 7.3.1. No information available
  - 7.4. Decontamination techniques
    - 7.4.1. No information available
  - 7.5. Absorbent Materials
    - 7.5.1. Inert absorbent material
  - 7.6. Cleaning Techniques
    - 7.6.1. Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dusts
    - 7.6.2. Sweep up or shovel after application of absorbent material
    - 7.6.3. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal
      - 7.6.3.1. See section 13 for disposal options
  - 7.7. Vacuuming Techniques
    - 7.7.1. No information available



# 7.8. Special Equipment

#### 7.8.1. No information available

# Section 7: Handling and Storage

- 1. Safe Handlina
  - 1.1. Avoid inhalation of vapor, mist, dusts, and aerosols
  - 1.2. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed
  - 1.3. Avoid direct contact with mixture
- 2. Incompatible Substances
  - 2.1. No information available
- 3. Operations and Conditions to Avoid
  - 3.1. No information available
- 4. General Good Hygiene Practices
  - 4.1. No eating, drinking or smoking in work areas
  - 4.2. Wash hands after breaks and at the end of the work day
  - 4.3. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas
- 5. Conditions for Safe Storage
  - 5.1. Keep container tightly closed
  - 5.2. Keep in a dry and well-ventilated place
  - 5.3. Store at 4 °C
  - 5.4. Conditions to avoid
    - 5.4.1. No information available
  - 5.5. Environmental Effects to avoid
    - 5.5.1. No information available
- 6. How to maintain product integrity
  - 6.1. No information available
- 7. Engineering Advice
  - 7.1. No information available

## Section 8: Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

- 1. National Exposure Limits
  - 1.1. Substance: Acridine Orange
    - 1.1.1.CAS No. 65-61-2

Country	TWA (8-hour weighted average)		Short -Term Limits/Excursion Limits (STEL)		Biological Limit Value
	ppm	mg/m³	ppm	mg/m³	
Austria	-	-	-	-	-
Belgium	-	-	-	-	-
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-
Croatia	-	-	-	-	-



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Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	-
Denmark	-	-	-	-	-
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-
Finland	-	-	-	-	-
France	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	-	-	-	-	-
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-
Malta	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-
Poland	-	-	-	-	-
Portugal	-	-	-	-	-
Romania	-	-	-	-	-
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	-
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-
Sweden	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	-	-	-		-

- 2. Appropriate Engineering Controls
  - 2.1. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice
- 3. Exposure Controls
  - 3.1. Always use good occupational hygiene practices
    - 3.1.1.Do not eat, drink, or smoke while using this product
    - 3.1.2. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of the work day
    - 3.1.3. Regularly clean equipment, work area, and clothing
  - 3.2. Eye and face protection
    - 3.2.1. Use safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 or equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (U.S.A.) or EN 166 (E.U.)
  - 3.3. Skin protection
    - 3.3.1. Wear impervious clothing and handle with gloves
    - 3.3.2. Gloves must be inspected prior to use
    - 3.3.3. Use proper removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product
    - 3.3.4.Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws (outlined in Section 13) and good laboratory practices



- 3.3.5. Wash hands with soap and plenty of water after use
- 3.4. Respiratory Protection
  - 3.4.1.No information available
- 3.5. Thermal Hazards
  - 3.5.1. No information available
- 4. Environmental Exposure Controls
  - 4.1. No information available

# Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Property	Data		
Physical State	Liquid		
Color	Orange to Very Dark Orange and Brown		
	to		
	Very Dark Brown and Red-Orange and		
	Red-Brown and		
	Orange-Brown and Very Dark Red-Brown		
Odor	No information available		
Odor Threshold	No information available		
Freezing Point	No information available		
Melting Point	No information available		
Boiling point or Initial Boiling Point/Range	No information available		
Flammability	No information available		
Lower and Upper Explosion	No information available		
Limit/Flammability Limit			
Flash Point	No information available		
Auto-Ignition Temperature	No information available		
Explosive Properties	No information available		
Decomposition Temperature	No information available		
Oxidizing Properties	No information available		
рН	No information available		
Viscosity	No information available		
Solubility	High in water		
Partition Coefficient n-octanol/water	No information available		
(Log value)			
Vapor Pressure	No information available		
Density and/or Relative Density	No information available		
Relative Vapor Density	No information available		
Particle Characteristics	No information available		
Evaporation Rate	No information available		
Surface Tension	No information available		

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity



- 1. Reactivity
  - 1.1. No information available
- 2. Chemical Stability
  - 2.1. Stable under recommended storage conditions
- 3. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions
  - 3.1. No information available
- 4. Conditions to avoid
  - 4.1. Heat, flames and sparks
- 5. Incompatible Materials
  - 5.1. No information available
- 6. Hazardous Decomposition Products
  - 6.1. Under fire conditions: Carbon Oxides
  - 6.2. Other decomposition products: No information available

# Section 11: Toxicological Information

- 1. Acute Toxicity
  - 1.1. No information available
- 2. Skin Corrosion/Irritation
  - 2.1. No information available
- 3. Serious Eye Damage/Irritation
  - 3.1. No information available
- 4. Respiratory or Skin Sensitization
  - 4.1. No information available
- 5. Repeated Dose Toxicity
  - 5.1. No Information available
- 6. Germ Cell Mutagenicity
  - 6.1. No information available
- 7. Carcinogenicity
  - 7.1. IARC
    - 7.1.1.No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1 % is identified as probable, possible, or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC
- 8. Reproductive Toxicity
  - 8.1. No information available
- 9. Specific Target Organ Toxicity-Single Exposure
  - 9.1. No information available
- 10. Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeated Exposure 10.1. No information available
- 11. Aspiration Hazard
  - 11.1. No information available
- 12. Likely Routes of Exposure
  - 12.1. Skin



- 12.2. Eyes
- 12.3. Inhalation
- 13. Symptoms Related to Physical, Chemical, and Toxicological Characteristics
  - 13.1. To our knowledge, the hazards of this material have not been thoroughly investigated, but we recommend the handling of all chemicals to be done with caution
- 14. Delayed and Immediate Effects
  - 14.1. Short Term Exposure
    - 14.1.1. No information available
  - 14.2. Long Term Exposure
    - 14.2.1. No information available
- 15. Interactive Effects
  - 15.1. No information available
- 16. Other Information
  - 16.1. Liver irregularities based on human evidence

# Section 12: Ecological Information

1. Ecotoxicity:

May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life

- 1.1. Fish
  - 1.1.1. No information available
- 1.2. Crustaceans
  - 1.2.1. No information available
- 1.3. Algae
  - 1.3.1. No information available
- 1.4. Other Aquatic Plants
  - 1.4.1. No information available
- 1.5. Soil Micro- and Macro-Organisms
  - 1.5.1. No information available
- 1.6. Birds
  - 1.6.1. No information available
- 1.7. Bees
  - 1.7.1. No information available
- 1.8. Plants
  - 1.8.1. No information available
- 1.9. Inhibition of Micro-Organisms
  - 1.9.1. No information available
- 2. Persistence and Degradability
  - 2.1. No information available
- 3. Bioaccumulative Potential
  - 3.1. No information available
- 4. Mobility in Soil
  - 4.1. No information available



- 5. Other Adverse Effects
  - 5.1. Environmental Fate
    - 5.1.1. No information available
  - 5.2. Ozone Depletion Potential
    - 5.2.1. No information available
  - 5.3. Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential
    - 5.3.1. No information available
  - 5.4. Endocrine Disrupting Potential and/or Global Warming Potential
    - 5.4.1. No information available

# Section 13: Disposal Considerations

- 1. Disposal Methods
  - 1.1. Please take precautions to generate as little waste as possible while handling and using this product
  - 1.2. Do not dispose of contaminated materials in the sewage
  - 1.3. Packaging, containers, solutions and any material that may have come in contact with this product should be considered as hazardous as the product itself
  - 1.4. Disposal of this product and any of its by-products should be in compliance with all applicable local, regional and national/federal biological hazardous waste disposal regulations

### Section 14: Transport Information

- 1. European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR)
  - 1.1. No information available
- 2. Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail (RID) 2.1. No information available
- 3. European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways (ADN)
  - 3.1. No information available

3.2. UN Number: No information available
4. UN Proper Shipping Name: No information available
5. Transport Hazard Class: No information available
6. Packing Group: No information available

- 7. Environmental Hazards
  - 7.1. No information available
- 8. Special Precautions for the User
  - 8.1. No information available
- 9. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78
  - 9.1. Not applicable



9.2. International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk (IBC Code): Not applicable

# Section 15: Regulatory Information

- 1. Safety Regulations/Legislations
  - 1.1. No information available
- 2. Health Regulations/Legislations
  - 2.1. No information available
- 3. Environmental Regulations/Legislations
  - 3.1. No information available
- 4. Chemical Safety Assessment
  - 4.1. No information available

#### Section 16: Other Information

- 1. Literary references
  - 1.1. No information available
  - 1.2. H statements according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008
    - 1.2.1. H412 Toxic to aquatic life Category: Aquatic Acute 3

Aquatic Chronic – 3

- 1.3. R-phrases according to EU Directives 67/584/EEC or 1999/45/EC
  - 1.3.1. Not applicable
- 2. Methods of Evaluation
  - 2.1. In accordance with Article 9 (2.) of Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008
  - 2.2. In accordance with Article 8 (3. B) of Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008
  - 2.3. In accordance with Annex 1 (1.1.1) of Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008
  - 2.4. In accordance with Annex XI (1.2) of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006
- 3. Training Advice
  - 3.1. Handle this product using standard precautionary laboratory practices, with effective engineering conditions and while wearing the proper protective equipment described in this safety data sheet
  - 3.2. Only use this product for research purposes and never as a diagnostic tool

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