# **Safety Data Sheet**

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## 1. Chemical product and company identification

Product name WATER it Test Kit Chloride (Low Range) Model WA-CI(D)

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Recommended uses and restrictions Reagent for water quality measurement

### 2. Hazards identification

[GHS Classification]

Physical hazards: Classification not possible (no data for GHS classification available)

Health hazards: Not classified or classification not possible (no data for GHS

classification available)

Environmental hazards:

Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute: Category 1 (applicable only K-2 reagent) Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic: Category 1 (applicable only K-2 reagent)

Harmful effects on the ozone layer: Classification not possible (no data for GHS classification

available)

## [GHS labeling elements]



[Signal word] Warning

[Hazard statements] (Statements are applicable only for K-2 reagent)

Very toxic to aquatic life.

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### [Precautionary statements]

Keep out of reach of children and store in the cool, dry, and dark place.

Carefully read instructions before use and do not use for other purposes.

Wear personal protective equipment if necessary.

Do not inhale reagents.

Wash contaminated clothing.

Wash hands thoroughly before and after handling.

Avoid release to the environment.

## 3. Composition/ information on ingredients

Discrimination of single substance or mixture: Mixture

Reagent name	K-1 reagent		K-2 reagent		
Chemical name	Uranine (Sodium fluorescein)	Water	Silver nitrate	Extender	Polyethylene
Content	< 1%	>99%	<1%	< 10%	> 89%
Chemical formula	C <sub>20</sub> H <sub>10</sub> Na <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	H <sub>2</sub> O	AgNO <sub>3</sub>		(C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>n</sub>
METI No. (reference number under CSCL in Japan)	(5)-1416 (5)-673	_	(1)-8	_	(6)-1
CAS No.	518-47-8	7732-18-5	7761-88-8	_	9002-88-4

### 4. First-aid measures

If reagents or developed sample;

Enter in eyes: Immediately rinse eyes with water thoroughly.

Contact with skin: Immediately wash out contaminated site with plenty of water.

Enter into mouth: Immediately rinse mouth with plenty of water.

If ingested or in case any symptoms appear after above measures, immediately get medical advice or treatment.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing methods: Cut off ignition sources and extinct by a suitable media.

Suitable extinguishing media: Water (mist), powder, carbon dioxide, dry sand.

### 6. Accidental release measures

In case of outdoor use: Avoid spill of reagents or waste solutions.

In case of indoor use: If spilled on a table or floor, wipe off immediately spilled reagents and dispose of them.

Concentrated solutions should not be released into sewer or rivers.

## 7. Handling and storage

Handling: Avoid eyes contact, skin contact, ingestion and inhalation of reagents.

Especially for outdoor use, ensure to bring back reagents, liquid waste after the measurement and used

containers.

Storage: Avoid direct sunlight and store in a well-ventilated, cool, dry and dark place.

# 8. Exposure controls and personal protection

Administrative control level

Working environment standard: Not established

Occupational exposure limits

Japan Society for Occupational health: 0.01 mg (Ag)/m<sup>3</sup> ACGIH (TLVs): TWA 0.01 mg (Ag)/m<sup>3</sup>

OSHA (PEL): TWA 0.01 mg(Ag)/m³ (only for Silver nitrate)

Protective equipment: Recommend to wear protective glasses and gloves

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state: K-1: Liquid reagent 2 mL x 1 plastic bottle in a plastic bag

K-2: Tube containing powder reagent

1.1 g x 40 tubes/kit (5 tubes per one aluminum laminated packaging)

Color: K-1: greenish yellow (liquid), K-2: white (powder), semi-transparent (polyethylene tube)

Odor: No odor

pH: 7 (when added K-1 reagent and developed sample)

Melting point, boiling point, flash point, ignition point, lower explosion limit, vapor pressure, density, relative density, solubility, Pow, kinetic viscosity: not available as a mixture

## 10. Stability and reactivity

Avoid leaving in a place where high temperature, humid or under direct sunlight. Stable under normal use conditions and no dangerous reactions under specific conditions are expected. No information on hazardous decomposition product is available.

## 11. Toxicological information

No data on mixture is available. Data on K-1and K-2 reagents are shown below.

## K-1 reagent

Uranine (Sodium fluorescein):

Acute toxicity:

Oral: Rat  $LD_{50}$  = 6,721 mg/kg, mouse  $LD_{50}$  = 4,738 mg/kg Intravenous: Rat  $LD_{50}$  = 1 mg/kg, mouse  $LD_{50}$  = 1 mg/kg (RTECS)

Other data: Not available

## Water:

Acute toxicity:

Oral: Human-infant TDLo = 333 g/kg, cramping, attacks or fever.

Human-men TDLo = 42.86 g/kg, shaking, mussel pain.

Rat  $LD_{50} > 90 \text{ ml/kg}$ 

Intravenous: Mouse-  $LD_{50} = 25 \text{ g/kg}$ intraperitoneal: Mouse-  $LD_{50} = 190 \text{ g/kg}$ 

Other data: Not available.

#### K-2 reagent

Silver nitrate:

Acute toxicity: Classified as Category 4 based on data; Oral-rat  $LD_{50} = 1,173$  mg/kg (CERI hazard data

collection 2001-57 (2002)).

Skin corrosion/ irritation:

Classified as Category 1A-1C based on data; "corrosive" in a guinea pig skin irritation test (CERI hazard data collection 2001-57 (2002)). In case it is necessary to classify one of sub-categories, category 1A is recommended from a point of safety side.

Serious eye damage/ eye irritation:

Classified as Category 1 based on data; the substance causes severe irritation and therefore is corrosive to skin because it is reported that "moderate to severe irritation" in a rabbit eye irritation test (CERI hazard data collection 2001-57 (2002)).

Reproductive toxicity:

Classified as Category 2 because effects on testis (necrosis of seminiferous tubule) were observed (IUCLID, 2000).

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure):

Classified as Category 1 (Blood) and Category 3 (Respiratory irritation) based on following data;

Causes acute respiratory irritation in humans (PATTY (4th, 2000)). Methemoglobinemia in an animal test (ICSC (J) (1998)). Cyanosis, diarrhea, increased self-movement and cramp in an animal test (CERI hazard data collection 2001-57 (2002)).

Taking into account the above findings, it is considered that blood system is a target organ and causes respiratory irritation.

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure):

Classified as Category 1 (respiratory organ, kidneys and cardiovascular system) based on

following data; Effects on lungs and kidneys, hardening of the arteries in humans were reported (CERI hazard data collection 2001-57 (2002)), therefore respiratory organ, kidneys and cardiovascular system are considered as target organs.

Other data: Not available.

Polyethylene:

Acute toxicity:

Oral: Rat LD<sub>50</sub> > 7,950 mg/kg (used 7,950 mg/kg for the calculation of ATEmix below)

Carcinogenicity: IARC Group 3 (not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans).

Other data: Not available

GHS classification results of K-1and K-2 reagents as mixtures are shown below.

[Acute toxicity (oral)]

K-1 reagent: Not classified based on application of the additive equation of LD<sub>50</sub> (rat) values of each ingredient. K-2 reagent: Not classified based on application of the additive equation of LD<sub>50</sub> (rat) values of each ingredient. [Skin corrosion/irritation], [Serious eye damage/ eye irritation]

K-2 reagent: Not classified because content of Category 1 is less than 10%.

[Serious eye damage/ eye irritation]

K-2 reagent: Not classified because content of Category 1 is less than 10%.

[Reproductive toxicity]

K-2 reagent: Not classified because content of Category 2 is less than 3%.

[Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)]

K-2 reagent: Not classified because contents of Category 1 and Category 3 are less than 1%.

[Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)]

K-2 reagent: Not classified because content of Category 1 is less than 1%.

K-1 reagent: [Skin corrosion/ irritation], [Serious eye damage/ eye irritation], [Reproductive toxicity], [Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)], [Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)] and; K-1 and K-2 reagents: [Acute toxicity (dermal)], [Respiratory or skin sensitization], [Germ cell mutagenicity], [Carcinogenicity], [Aspiration hazard]

Classifications are not possible because of data lack.

# 12. Ecological information

No data on mixture is available. Data on K-1and K-2 reagents are shown below.

## K-1 reagent

Uranine (Sodium fluorescein): No eco-toxicological information is available.

## K-2 reagent

Silver nitrate:

Hazardous to the aquatic environment – Acute: Classified as Category 1 based on data; Crustacea (Daphnia magna): 48-h EC<sub>50</sub> = 0.0006 mg/L (CERI hazard data collection, 2002) (converted value as silver (I) nitrate: 0.0013 mg/L).

Hazardous to the aquatic environment – Chronic: Classified as Category 1 because the substance is a metallic compounds and has unknown behavior in water and has bioaccumulation potential (BCF = 600) (Data on existing chemical substances).

Other data: Not available.

Polyethylene: No eco-toxicological information available.

GHS classification results of K-1 and K-2 reagents as mixtures are shown below.

#### K-1 reagent

[Hazardous to the aquatic environment acute], [Hazardous to the aquatic environment chronic]

Classifications are not possible because of data lack.

[Harmful effects on the ozone layer]:

Classification is not possible because each of the substances is not described in Annex to Montreal Protocol.

# K-2 reagent

[Hazardous to the aquatic environment acute]

Classified as Category 1 (Warning, Very toxic to aquatic life.) based on data;

Contains less than 1% of Category 1 ( $EC_{50} = 0.0006 \text{ mg/L}$ ) and multiplying factor = 1,000.

 $0.1 - 1\% \times 1,000 = 100 - 1,000 \% > 25\%$ .

[Hazardous to the aquatic environment acute]

Classified as Category 1 (Warning, Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.) based on data;

Contains less than 1% of Category 1 (EC<sub>50</sub> = 0.0006 mg/L) and multiplying factor = 1,000.  $0.1-1\% \times 1,000 = 100 - 1,000\% > 25\%$ .

[Harmful effects on the ozone layer]:

Classification is not possible because each of the substances is not described in Annex to Montreal Protocol.

#### 13. Disposal considerations

Liquid waste contains ca. 1 mg of Nitrate-nitrogen per measurement. Always dispose according to local regulations.

## 14. Transport information

In addition to precautionary measures regarding handling and storage, avoid rough handling so as not to break containers. It is recommended to ship by air because under high temperature for long period may lead to deterioration.

UN classification and number: Not applicable (This product contains less than 1% of silver nitrate.)

Not applicable Civil Aeronautics Act: Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Act:

Not applicable (This product is a preparation and is not applicable as a deleterious

substance under the Act.)

Fire service Act: Not applicable Total weight of the product: ca.140 g/kit

## 15. Regulatory information

PRTR Act: Not applicable

The product contains less than 1% of silver nitrate and not applicable to the class 1 designated

substance.

Industrial Safety and Health Act: Applicable

> This product contains more than 0.1% of silver nitrate and is applicable to the Chemical Substances of which names of substances shall be indicated listed in 634 of Appended Table 9 of the Cabinet Order set forth in Article 18-2 of the Act.

Water Pollution Control Act: Applicable

> This product contains silver nitrate and is applicable to the Cabinet Order set forth in Item (26) of Article 2 of the Act.

Sewerage Act: Applicable.

> This product contains silver nitrate and is applicable to the Cabinet Order set forth in Item (1) of Article 9-5 of the Act.

#### 16. Other information

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NOTE) This information is not always exhaustive and use with care.

This data sheet only provides information but any description cannot be warranted.

Descriptions may possibly be changed because of new findings or modification of the current knowledge.

Precautions only cover normal handling.

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