



Safety Data Sheet



according to UK REACH Regulation

Giemsa Stain, azure mixture

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

1.1. Product identifier

Giemsa Stain, azure mixture

CAS No: 51811-82-6

EC No: 257-438-2

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

Use of the substance/mixture

Use as laboratory reagent

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name:	Waldeck GmbH & Co KG	
	Division Chroma	
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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GB CLP Regulation

Eye Irrit. 2; H319

Full text of hazard statements: see SECTION 16.

2.2. Label elements

GB CLP Regulation

Signal word: Warning

Pictograms:



Hazard statements

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements

P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

2.3. Other hazards

No information available.

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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.1. Substances**Sum formula: C₁₄H₁₄ClN₃S

Molecular weight: 291,80 g/mol

Hazardous components

CAS No	Chemical name			Quantity
	EC No	Index No	REACH No	
	Classification (GB CLP Regulation)			
51811-82-6	Giemsa Stain			100 %
	257-438-2			
	Eye Irrit. 2; H319			

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1. Description of first aid measures****General information**

In case of accident or unwellness, seek medical advice immediately (show directions for use or safety data sheet if possible).

After inhalation

Provide fresh air.

After contact with skin

Wash with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water and soap.

After contact with eyes

After contact with the eyes, rinse with water with the eyelids open for a sufficient length of time, then consult an ophthalmologist immediately.

After ingestion

Rinse mouth immediately and drink 1 glass of water.

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

No information available.

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**

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings. Extinguishing powder, Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-flammable. In case of fire may be liberated: Hazardous combustion products

5.3. Advice for firefighters

In case of fire: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Additional information

Suppress gases/vapours/mists with water spray jet. Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering drains or surface water.

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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures****General advice**

Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes. Use personal protection equipment.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**For cleaning up**

Take up mechanically. Treat the recovered material as prescribed in the section on waste disposal.

Other information

Take up mechanically. Treat the recovered material as prescribed in the section on waste disposal.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7

Personal protection equipment: see section 8

Disposal: see section 13

SECTION 7: Handling and storage**7.1. Precautions for safe handling****Advice on safe handling**

No special measures are necessary.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

No special fire protection measures are necessary.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. Draw up and observe skin protection programme. Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary. When using do not eat, drink, smoke, sniff. Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. Draw up and observe skin protection programme. Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary. When using do not eat or drink.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**Requirements for storage rooms and vessels**

Keep container tightly closed.

Hints on joint storage

No special measures are necessary.

Further information on storage conditions

storage temperature: at room temperature

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use as laboratory reagent

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**8.1. Control parameters****8.2. Exposure controls**

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Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**Eye/face protection**

Suitable eye protection: goggles.

Hand protection

When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn with the CE-label including the four control digits. The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

Skin protection

Use of protective clothing.

Respiratory protection

In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state:	solid
Colour:	dark green
Odour:	characteristic
Melting point/freezing point:	300 °C
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range:	not determined
Flammability	
Solid/liquid:	not determined
Gas:	not applicable
Lower explosion limits:	not determined
Upper explosion limits:	not determined
Flash point:	not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature:	not determined
Decomposition temperature:	not determined
pH-Value:	not determined
Water solubility:	The study does not need to be conducted because the substance is known to be insoluble in water.
Solubility in other solvents	
not determined	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:	not determined
Vapour pressure:	not determined
Density:	not determined
Bulk density (at 20 °C):	520 kg/m ³
Relative vapour density:	not determined

9.2. Other information**Information with regard to physical hazard classes****Explosive properties**

The product is not: Explosive.

Oxidizing properties

The product is not: oxidising.

Other safety characteristics

Evaporation rate: not determined

Solid content: not determined

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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**10.1. Reactivity**

No hazardous reaction when handled and stored according to provisions.

10.2. Chemical stability

The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No known hazardous reactions.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

none

10.5. Incompatible materials

No information available.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No known hazardous decomposition products.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information**11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in GB CLP Regulation****Further information**

This substance is classified as hazardous according to Regulation (EC) No 1272 (2008).

SECTION 12: Ecological information**12.1. Toxicity**

The product is not: Ecotoxic.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

The product has not been tested.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

The product has not been tested.

12.4. Mobility in soil

The product has not been tested.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance does not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria of UK REACH.

The product has not been tested.

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

This substance does not have endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms.

Further information

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**13.1. Waste treatment methods****Disposal recommendations**

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil. Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.

Contaminated packaging

Non-contaminated packages may be recycled. Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

SECTION 14: Transport information



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Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1. UN number or ID number:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.4. Packing group:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Inland waterways transport (ADN)

14.1. UN number or ID number:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.4. Packing group:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Marine transport (IMDG)

14.1. UN number or ID number:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.4. Packing group:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)

14.1. UN number or ID number:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.4. Packing group:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.5. Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS: No

14.6. Special precautions for user

No information available.

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

EU regulatory information

Information according to 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III): Not subject to 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III)

Additional information

Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers. Observe restrictions to employment for juveniles according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC).

National regulatory information

Employment restrictions: Observe restrictions to employment for juveniles according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC).
Water hazard class (D): 3 - highly hazardous to water

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

For this substance a chemical safety assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Changes

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s): 2,4,5,6,7,8,9,11,12,15,16.

Abbreviations and acronyms

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route

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(European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50%
LD50: Lethal dose, 50%
CLP: Classification, labelling and Packaging
REACH: Registration, Evaluation and Authorization of Chemicals
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification, Labelling and Packaging of Chemicals
UN: United Nations
DNEL: Derived No Effect Level
DMEL: Derived Minimal Effect Level
PNEC: Predicted No Effect Concentration
ATE: Acute toxicity estimate
LL50: Lethal loading, 50%
EL50: Effect loading, 50%
EC50: Effective Concentration 50%
ErC50: Effective Concentration 50%, growth rate
NOEC: No Observed Effect Concentration
BCF: Bio-concentration factor
PBT: persistent, bioaccumulative, toxic
vPvB: very persistent, very bioaccumulative
RID: Regulations concerning the international carriage of dangerous goods by rail
ADN: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
(Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par voies de navigation
intérieures)
EmS: Emergency Schedules
MFAG: Medical First Aid Guide
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization
MARPOL: International Convention for the Prevention of Marine Pollution from Ships
IBC: Intermediate Bulk Container
SVHC: Substance of Very High Concern
For abbreviations and acronyms, see: ECHA Guidance on information requirements and chemical safety
assessment, chapter R.20 (Table of terms and abbreviations).

Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Further Information

The information is based on the present level of our knowledge. It does not, however, give assurance of product properties and establishes no contract legal rights. The receiver of our product is singularly responsible for adhering to existing laws and regulations.