

Product Name: **BUFFER SOLUTIONS**

Issue Date: **23 November 2016**

Not Classified as Hazardous

## Section 1. Product and Company Identification

**GHS Product Identifier:** **BUFFER SOLUTIONS** **Product Code:** PS-BUPHxxx (See Specifics Below)

**Manufacturer:** Perth Scientific Pty Ltd  
2/11 Narloo Street  
Malaga, West Australia 6090

**Volumes:** Various; 1 – 5,000mL

**Additional Information:** Business Hours: 0830 – 1630Hrs Monday to Friday +61 08 6240 5600  
Emergency: Call National Poisons Information Centre: 13 11 26

**Recommended use of the chemical:** Laboratory reagent

<b>Other Names:</b>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Product Code</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Product Code</u>
	Buffer Solution pH 4.0 Red	PS-BUPH4	Buffer Solution pH 10.0 C Blue	PS-BUPH10
	Buffer Solution pH 4.0 Colourless	PS-BUPH4C	Buffer Solution pH 10.0 Colourless	PS-BUPH10C
	Buffer Solution pH 7.0 Green	PS-BUPH7	Buffer Solution pH 6.86 Colourless	PS-BUPH6.86
	Buffer Solution pH 7.0 Colourless	PS-BUPH7C		

## Section 2. Hazards Identification

**Signal Word:** Void  
**Hazard Statements:** Void  
**Hazard Classification:** Non Hazardous. Non Dangerous Goods  
**Risk Phases:** Not considered a hazard  
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**GHS Classification of the substance/mixture/solution:** Not classified as hazardous  
**Safe Work:** Not classified as hazardous  
**Rail and Road:** Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. (7<sup>th</sup> Edition)  
**GHS:** The product is not classified as hazardous according to GHS

## Section 3. Composition and Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS #	% by Weight	Hazard Symbol	Risk Phrase
1. Water	7732-18-5	To 100%		
2. Potassium hydrogen phthalate	877-24-7	<2%		
3. Potassium dihydrogen orthophosphate	7787-77-0	<1%		
4. di-Sodium Hydrogen ortho-phosphate	7558-79-4	<1%		
5. Sodium carbonate anhydrous	497-19-8	<1%	Xi	R36
6. Sodium hydrogen carbonate	144-55-8	<2%		
7. Sodium chloride	7647-14-5	<1%		
8. Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	<0.001%	C	R35
9. Thymol	89-83-8	<0.001%		
10. Red Dyestuff food grade		<0.01%		
11. Green Dyestuff food grade		<0.01%		
12. Blue Dyestuff food grade		<0.01%		

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## Section 4. First Aid Measures. Product and Company Identification

Safety showers and eye wash facilities should be provided.

<b>Swallowed:</b>	If conscious, wash out mouth with water. Seek medical advice if irritation or other symptoms present.
<b>Eye:</b>	Irrigate with copious quantity of water for 15 minutes. Seek medical assistance if symptoms persist.
<b>Skin:</b>	Remove contaminated clothing. Immediately wash skin thoroughly with water and mild soap. Seek medical assistance if irritation persists. Launder clothing before reuse.
<b>Inhaled:</b>	Remove from contaminated air. Maintain breathing with artificial respirator
<b>Advise to Doctor:</b>	Treat asymptotically based on judgement of doctor and individual reactions of the patient.
<b>First Aid Facilities:</b>	Maintain eyewash fountain and safety showers in work area
<b>Other Information:</b>	For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (phone Australia 13 11 26)

## Section 5. Fire Fighting Measures

<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media:</b>	Use extinguishing media most appropriate to surrounding area. No limitations to the type of extinguishing media.
<b>Hazards from Combustion Products</b>	Product will not burn or support combustion.
<b>Precautions for Fire Fighters and Special Protective Equipment:</b>	Fire fighters and others who may be exposed to combustion products during fire should wear full protective clothing including positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Wear SCBA with full face-piece, operated in positive pressure mode when fighting fires.

## Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

<b>Spills and Disposal:</b>	Wash area down with excess water. Mop up. Prevent from entering waterways.
<b>Personal Protection, Methods and materials for containment and clean up:</b>	Wear protective clothing specified for normal operations (see Section 8). Use inert material such as sand or earth to contain spill or leak. Absorb spills with chemical absorber

## Section 7. Handling and Storage

<b>Precautions for Safe Handling:</b>	No specific measures. Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.
<b>Conditions for Safe Storage:</b>	Store sealed in original container away from foods and other chemicals. Do not store in direct sunlight. Store in an even temperature between 15C – 25C. Observe good hygiene and housekeeping practices.

## Section 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

### Occupational exposure limit values

Name	STEL		TWA		Footnote
	Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ppm	mg/L <sup>3</sup>	ppm	
Sodium hydroxide			2		Peal Limitation

<b>National Exposure Standards:</b>	Worksafe – None known.
<b>Biological Limit Values:</b>	No data available.
<b>Engineering Controls:</b>	Not required with normal use.
<b>Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):</b>	The use of nitrile or neoprene gloves complying with AS 2161 and the use of face-shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection complying with AS/NZS 1337 is recommended.

<b>Respiratory Protection:</b>	No special ventilation required
<b>Eye Protection</b>	The use of face shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection as appropriate. Must comply with Australian Standards AS 1337
<b>Hand Protection:</b>	Hand protection should comply with AS 2167, Occupational protective gloves - selection, use and maintenance. Recommendation: Plastic or rubber gloves
<b>Personal Protective:</b>	Final choice of personal protective equipment will depend upon individual circumstance and/or according to risk assessments undertaken
<b>Body Protection:</b>	Clean clothing or protective clothing should be worn, preferably with an apron. Clothing and/or protection against chemicals should comply with AS 2765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals
<b>Hygiene Measures:</b>	Always wash hands before smoking, eating or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storing or re-using.

## Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

<b>Form:</b>	Liquid
<b>Appearance:</b>	Clear, colourless, red, green or blue solution.
<b>Odour:</b>	Nil
<b>pH:</b>	As stated on label
<b>Boiling Point (°C):</b>	~100C
<b>Freezing/Melting Point:</b>	0
<b>Vapour Pressure (mm of Hg @ 25C)</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Vapour Density:</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Specific Gravity:</b>	1.0 (approx)
<b>Flash Point (°C):</b>	Not combustible
<b>Flammability Limits (%):</b>	Not combustible
<b>Other information:</b>	Limited shelf life: Expiry on the label

## Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

<b>Chemical Stability:</b>	Stable under normal temperatures and pressures
<b>Conditions to Avoid:</b>	Excessive heat. Strong sunlight.
<b>Hazardous Reactions:</b>	Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

## Section 11. Toxicology Information

<b>Indigestion:</b>	Consumption of large quantities may cause irritation of the gastric system.
<b>Eye:</b>	May be Irritating to eye. May cause watering of the eyes.
<b>Skin:</b>	Repeated or prolonged skin contact may lead to irritation.
<b>Inhaled:</b>	Practically non-harmful by inhalation. Not considered a hazard with normal laboratory use.
<b>Carcinogenicity:</b>	No evidence of carcinogenic properties.
<b>Mutagenicity:</b>	No evidence of mutagenic properties.

## Section 12. Ecological Information

<b>Ecological information:</b>	No ecological problems are to be expected when the product is handled and used with due care and attention.
<b>Ecotoxicity:</b>	Quantitative data on the ecological effect of this product are not available. Although not classified as environmentally hazardous, harmful effects cannot be excluded in the event of improper handling or disposal.
<b>Persistence and Degradability:</b>	No data available.
<b>Mobility:</b>	No data available.

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## Section 13. Disposal Considerations

**Disposal considerations:** Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be disposed of according to local, state and federal government regulations.

## Section 14. Transport Information

Not classified as a Dangerous Good according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.

<b>UN Number:</b>	None allocated.
<b>UN Proper Shipping Name:</b>	None allocated.
<b>Class and Subsidiary Risk(s):</b>	None allocated.
<b>Packing Group:</b>	None allocated.
<b>Hazchem Code:</b>	None allocated.
<b>Special Precautions for User:</b>	Nil

## Section 15. Regulatory Information

**Poisons schedule:** Not scheduled (SUSDP)

## Section 16. Other Information

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