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# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### Product identifier

**Product name** Total Alkalinity Reagent

### Other means of identification

**Product Code(s)** 7038

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** Use as a laboratory reagent. Industrial (not for food or food contact use). Laboratory chemicals.

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### **Manufacturer Address**

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### Emergency telephone numbers

(CHEM-TEL):USA, Canada, Puerto Rico 1-800-255-3924 Outside North American Continent (Call collect) 813-248-0585

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This product is not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Not a dangerous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

<b>Appearance</b> dark amber	<b>Physical state</b> liquid	<b>Odor</b> Odorless
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### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Keep container tightly closed. Keep out of reach of children.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

IF SWALLOWED: Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water. Call a physician immediately.

### **Storage:**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

### **Other Hazards**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS\*

Chemical name	CAS #	Weight-%
Phenol	108-95-2	0.2

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

##### First Aid Measures

<b>General advice</b>	Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing all contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash skin with soap and water. Consult a physician.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician immediately.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Consult a physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
<b><u>Self-protection of the first aider</u></b>	Use personal protective equipment. See section 8 for more information. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device.

#### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

##### Suitable extinguishing media

Water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), or foam.

##### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

##### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

<b>Personal precautions</b>	See section 8. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and inhalation of vapors.
<b>Environmental precautions</b>	See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. Beware of vapors accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapors can accumulate in low areas.

##### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

<b>Methods for containment</b>	Absorb/Cover spill with sodium bicarbonate or sodium carbonate to neutralize, then place in a chemical waste container for later disposal. Dispose according to local regulations, if permitted dissolve in water and rinse to drain.
<b>Methods for cleaning up</b>	After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

##### Precautions for safe handling

<b>Handling</b>	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Prevent contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Do not taste or swallow. Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product.
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**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage:** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from oxidizing agents. Keep away from direct sunlight. Keep out of the reach of children.

**Incompatible Products** Strong oxidizing agents. NITRIC ACID.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION****Control parameters****Exposure guidelines**

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Phenol 108-95-2	TWA: 5 ppm S*	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 19 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) TWA: 5 ppm (vacated) TWA: 19 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) S* S*	IDLH: 250 ppm Ceiling: 15.6 ppm 15 min Ceiling: 60 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 19 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering Measures** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/Face Protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin and body protection** Wear protective gloves/clothing.

**Respiratory protection** When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES****Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Physical state</b>	liquid	<b>Odor</b>	Odorless
<b>Appearance</b>	dark amber		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH		
Melting point / freezing point	No information available	
Boiling point / boiling range	No information available	
Flash point	Not Applicable	
Evaporation rate		
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available	
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit:	No information available	
Lower flammability limit:	No information available	
Vapor pressure	No information available	
Vapor density	No information available	
Specific gravity	No information available	
Water solubility	No information available	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	
Partition coefficient	No information available	
Autoignition temperature	No information available	

Decomposition temperature	No information available
Kinematic viscosity	No information available
Dynamic viscosity	No information available
Explosive properties	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available

**Other Information**

Softening point	No information available
Molecular weight	No information available
VOC Content (%)	No information available
Density	No information available
Bulk density	No information available

**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Stability	Stable under normal conditions of use and storage.
Hazardous polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to avoid	Excessive heat. Direct sunlight. Incompatible products.
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Incompatible materials	Strong oxidizing agents. NITRIC ACID.
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**Hazardous decomposition products** Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions -. Carbon oxides (COx).

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Information on likely routes of exposure****Component identification**

Chemical name	ATEmix (oral)	ATEmix (dermal)	Inhalation LC50
Phenol 108-95-2	= 317 mg/kg ( Rat ) = 340 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 630 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	= 316 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ( Rat ) 4 h

**Information on toxicological effects**

Chemical name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Phenol 108-95-2	Not Established	Group 3	Not Established	Not Established

**Chronic toxicity** No information available.

ATEmix (oral)	38,554.00 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)	127.81 mg/l

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Ecotoxicity**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

**Unknown Aquatic Toxicity** 2.608 % of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical name	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Daphnia Magna (Water Flea)
Phenol 108-95-2	0.0188 - 0.1044: 96 h Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata mg/L EC50 static 187 - 279: 72 h Desmodesmus subspicatus mg/L EC50 static 46.42: 96 h Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata mg/L EC50	11.9 - 25.3: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 flow-through 11.9 - 50.5: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through 20.5 - 25.6: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 23.4 - 36.6: 96 h Oryzias latipes mg/L LC50 static 33.9 - 43.3: 96 h Oryzias latipes mg/L LC50 flow-through 34.09 - 47.64: 96 h Poecilia reticulata mg/L LC50 static 4.23 - 7.49: 96 h	10.2 - 15.5: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 4.24 - 10.7: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 Static

		Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 semi-static 5.0 - 12.0: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 5.449 - 6.789: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 flow-through 7.5 - 14: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static 0.00175: 96 h Cyprinus carpio mg/L LC50 semi-static 11.5: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 semi-static 13.5: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 27.8: 96 h Brachydanio rerio mg/L LC50 31: 96 h Poecilia reticulata mg/L LC50 semi-static 32: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50	
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**Persistence and degradability**

No information available.

**Bioaccumulation/Accumulation**

No information available.

Chemical name	Log Pow
Phenol 108-95-2	1.47

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Disposal Methods**

Dispose according to federal, state, and local regulations. If permitted, neutralize reagent with sodium bicarbonate/sodium carbonate, add slurry to large volume of water to dilute, rinse to drain with excess water.

**Contaminated packaging**

Do not reuse empty containers.

Chemical name	RCRA	RCRA - Basis for Listing	RCRA - D Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Phenol 108-95-2	U188	Included in waste streams: F039, K001, K022, K087 Included in waste stream: K060	Not Established	U188

Chemical name	RCRA - Halogenated Organic Compounds	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes
Phenol 108-95-2	Not Established	Not Established	Not Established	Not Established

Chemical name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Phenol 108-95-2	Toxic Corrosive

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**DOT Not regulatedTDG Not regulatedMEX Not regulatedICAO Not regulatedIATA Not regulated

IMDG/IMO Not regulatedRID Not regulatedADR Not regulatedADN Not regulated**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****International Inventories**

TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDL	Complies
EINECS/ELINCS	Does not comply
ENCS	Does not comply
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Does not comply
PICCS	Does not comply
AICS	Does not comply

**Legend:**

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory  
 DSL/NDL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List  
 EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances  
 ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances  
 IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances  
 KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances  
 PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances  
 AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**US Federal Regulations****SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Phenol 108-95-2	1.0

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Acute health hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Phenol 108-95-2	1000 lb	X	X	X

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

Chemical name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	RQ
Phenol 108-95-2	1000 lb	1000 lb	RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

**US State Regulations**

**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

Chemical name	California Proposition 65
Phenol 108-95-2	Not Established

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Phenol 108-95-2	X	X	X

**CPSC (Consumer Product Safety Commission) - Specially Regulated Substances**

Chemical name	CPSC (Consumer Product Safety Commission) - Specially Regulated Substances
Phenol 108-95-2	Add POISON to label, 16 CFR 1500.129

**16. OTHER INFORMATION****NFPA**

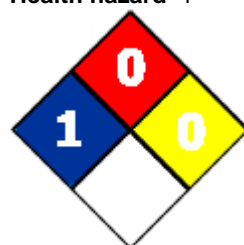
Health hazard 1

Flammability 0

Instability 0

Physical and Chemical  
Hazards N/A

Health hazard 1



Health Hazard	1
Fire Hazard	0
Reactivity	0

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