## FLINN SCIENTIFIC INC.

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### **Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)**

MSDS #: 310.56

**Revision Date:** November 25, 2002

### Section 1 — Chemical Product and Company Identification

### Disappearing Ink Solution, Red

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CHEMTREC Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300

### Section 2 — Composition, Information on Ingredients

Phenolphthalein (77-09-8) <1%, Meta-nitrophenol (554-84-7) <1%, and Ethyl Alcohol (64-17-5) 99%.

CAS#: None Established

### Section 3 — Hazards Identification

Colorless, clear solution in neutral or acid solution. Pink to deep red in the presence of alkali, but colorless, again, in the presence of a large amount of alkali. Odor of alcohol. Contains denatured ethyl alcohol. Toxic by ingestion and inhalation. Irritating to body tissues. Avoid

all body tissue contact. Flammable liquid.

FLINN AT-A-GLANCE

Health-3 Flammability-3 Reactivity-1 Exposure-1 Storage-3

0 is low hazard, 3 is high hazard

#### Section 4 — First Aid Measures

Call a physician, seek medical attention for further treatment, observation and support after first aid. Inhalation: Remove to fresh air at once. If breathing has stopped give artificial respiration immediately.

Eye: Immediately flush with fresh water for 15 minutes.

External: Wash continuously with fresh water for 15 minutes.

Internal: Give large quantities of water. Call a physician or poison control at once.

### Section 5 — Fire Fighting Measures

Class 1A Flammable liquid.

Flash Point: 48 F Upper: 24.5% Lower: 3.3% Autoignition Temperature: 683 F

Fire Fighting Instructions: Use triclass, dry chemical fire extinguisher. Firefighters should wear PPE

and SCBA with full facepiece operated in positive pressure mode.

**NFPA CODE** 

None Established

### Section 6 — Accidental Release Measures

Restrict unprotected personnel from area. Remove all ignition sources and ventilate area. Contain spill with sand and absorbent material; deposit in sealed bag or container. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

### Section 7 — Handling and Storage

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #9. Store with dyes, indicators, and stains. Store in a dedicated flammables cabinet. If a flammables cabinet is not available, store in Flinn Saf-Stor can. Use and dispense in a hood.

### <u>Section 8 — Exposure Controls , Personal Protection</u>

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wear chemical splash goggles, chemical-resistant gloves and chemical-resistant apron. Use ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits. Always wear a NIOSH-approved respirator with proper cartridges or a positive pressure, air-supplied respirator when handling this material in emergency situations (spill or fire). Exposure guidelines: TWA 1000 ppm, as ethyl alcohol (OSHA)

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### Section 9 — Physical and Chemical Properties

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### Section 10 — Stability and Reactivity

Avoid contact with oxidizers, peroxides, acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides, alkali metals, ammonia, moisture, heat, open flames, or any source of ignition.

Shelf life: Indefinite.

### <u>Section 11 — Toxicological Information</u>

Acute effects: Irritant, nausea, poison, dizziness, headache

Chronic effects: N.A.

Target organs: Eyes, liver, kidneys, nerves

ORL-RAT LD50: 7060 mg/kg as ethyl alcohol IHL-RAT LC50: 20000 ppm/10H ethyl alcohol

SKN-RBT LD50: N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

### Section 12 — Ecological Information

Data not yet available.

### Section 13 — Disposal Considerations

Please consult with state and local regulations. Flinn Suggested Disposal Method 18b is one option.

### Section 14 — Transport Information

Shipping Name: Ethyl Alcohol Hazard Class: 3, Flammable liquid

UN Number: UN1170 N/A = Not applicable

### Section 15 — Regulatory Information

Not listed.

#### Section 16 — Other Information

Consult your copy of the Flinn Scientific Catalog/Reference Manual for additional information about laboratory chemicals. This Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) is for guidance and is based upon information and tests believed to be reliable. Flinn Scientific Inc. makes no guarantee of the accuracy or completeness of the data and shall not be liable for any damages relating thereto. The data is offered solely for your consideration, investigation, and verification. Flinn Scientific Inc. assumes no legal responsibility for use or reliance upon this data.

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