# **Biuret Reagent**



### **Section 1**

### **Product Description**

Product Name: Biuret Reagent

Recommended Use: Science education applications

Synonyms: Biuret Solution

**Distributor:** Carolina Biological Supply Company

2700 York Road, Burlington, NC 27215

1-800-227-1150

Chemical Information: 800-227-1150 (8am-5pm (ET) M-F)

Chemtrec: 800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24 hours)

#### Section 2

### **Hazard Identification**

Classification of the chemical in accordance with paragraph (d) of §1910.1200;





Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

**GHS Classification:** 

Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 1A

#### Section 3

## **Composition / Information on Ingredients**

Chemical Name	CAS#	%
Water	7732-18-5	67.04
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	20.6
Ethylene Glycol 100%	107-21-1	10.3
Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-Hydrate	7758-99-8	2.06

#### Section 4

#### First Aid Measures

**Emergency and First Aid Procedures** 

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

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

to do. Continue rinsing.

Skin Contact: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with

water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Ingestion: IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

### Section 5

## **Firefighting Procedures**

**Extinguishing Media:** Use media suitable to extinguish surrounding fire.

Fire Fighting Methods and Protection: Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained

breathing apparatus.

Fire and/or Explosion Hazards: Fire or excessive heat may produce hazardous decomposition products.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Copper compounds, Sodium Oxides, Potassium Oxide, Iodine (gas), Carbon dioxide,

Carbon monoxide

#### Section 6

# **Spill or Leak Procedures**

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Steps to Take in Case Material Is Released or Spilled:

Exposure to the spilled material may be severely irritating or toxic. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section 8 of this SDS. Personal protective equipment needs must be evaluated based on information provided on this sheet and the special circumstances created by the spill including; the material spilled, the quantity of the spill, the area in which the spill occurred, and the expertise of employees in the area responding to the spill. Never exceed any occupational exposure limits.

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Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

**Environmental Precautions:** 

Avoid breathing material. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Reduce airborne dust and prevent scattering by moistening with water Ventilate the area by opening door and/or turning on fans and blowers. Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches that lead to waterways. Absorb spill with inert material (e.g., dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container Absorb spill with inert material (e.g., dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches that lead to waterways.

#### Section 7

## **Handling and Storage**

**Handling:** Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear protective

gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Avoid contact with skin. Store locked up. Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Storage Code: White - Corrosive. Separate acids from bases; separate oxidizer acids from organic acids.

#### **Section 8**

Storage:

#### **Protection Information**

	<u>ACGIH</u>		<u>OSHA PEL</u>	
Chemical Name	<u>(TWA)</u>	(STEL)	<u>(TWA)</u>	(STEL)
Sodium Hydroxide	N/A	N/A	2 mg/m3 TWA	N/A
Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-Hydrate	1 mg/m3 TWA (dust	N/A	N/A	N/A
	and mist, as Cu)			

**Control Parameters** 

Respirator Type(s):

**Eve Protection:** 

**Engineering Measures:** Local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls are normally required when

handling or using this product to avoid overexposure.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

**Respiratory Protection:** Respiratory protection may be required to avoid overexposure when handling this

product. General or local exhaust ventilation is the preferred means of protection. Use a respirator if general room ventilation is not available or sufficient to eliminate symptoms. None required where adequate ventilation is provided. If airborne concentrations are above the applicable exposure limits, use NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection.

Wear chemical splash goggles when handling this product. Have an eye wash station

available.

**Skin Protection:** Avoid skin contact by wearing chemically resistant gloves, an apron and other protective

equipment depending upon conditions of use. Inspect gloves for chemical break-through and replace at regular intervals. Clean protective equipment regularly. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, and when leaving

work.

Gloves: Natural latex,, Nitrile, Nitrile - Extra Thick (8 mm), Neoprene

### **Section 9**

### **Physical Data**

**Formula:** This product is a mixture.

Molecular Weight: This product is a mixture. Evaporation R

Appearance: Blue Liquid

Odor: None

Odor Threshold: No data available

pH: No data available

Melting Point: No data available -12 C

Vapor Pressure: No data available

Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): No data available Vapor Density (Air=1): No data available Specific Gravity: No data available

Solubility in Water: Soluble

Log Pow (calculated): No data available
Autoignition Temperature: No data available

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Boiling Point: No data available **Decomposition Temperature:** No data available

Flash Point: 111 C

Viscosity: No data available Flammable Limits in Air: No data available Percent Volatile by Volume: No data available

Section 10 Reactivity Data

Reactivity: Not generally reactive under normal conditions.

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

None known. **Conditions to Avoid:** 

**Incompatible Materials:** Water-reactive materials, Strong reducing agents, Acids, Hydroquinone, Organic halides,

Phosphorus, Alcohols, Metals, Aldehydes, Acetaldehydes, Aluminum alloys, Caustics (bases), Strong acids, Strong oxidizing agents, Hydroxylamine, Hypobromite, Magnesium

Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide, Iodine (gas), Potassium Oxide, Sodium Oxides, **Hazardous Decomposition Products:** 

Copper compounds

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur

Section 11 Toxicity Data

Ingestion, skin and eye contact., Inhalation and ingestion. Routes of Entry

Symptoms (Acute): N/A

**Delayed Effects:** No data available

**Acute Toxicity:** 

**Chemical Name CAS Number** Oral LD50 **Dermal LD50** Inhalation LC50

Water 7732-18-5 Oral LD50 Rat 90000 mg/kg

Ethylene Glycol 100% 107-21-1 Oral LD50 Rat = Dermal LD50 Rabbit = 10626 C 4700 mg/kg

Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-Hydrate Oral LD50 Rat = Dermal LD50 Rat 7758-99-8 300 mg/kg > 2000 mg/kg

Carcinogenicity:

**Chemical Name CAS Number IARC** NTP **OSHA** Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2 Not listed Not listed Not listed

**Chronic Effects:** 

Mutagenicity: No evidence of a mutagenic effect.

Teratogenicity: No evidence of a teratogenic effect (birth defect).

No evidence of a sensitization effect. Sensitization:

Reproductive: No evidence of negative reproductive effects.

**Target Organ Effects:** 

Acute: See Section 2

Chronic: Mutation data cited., Reproductive data cited., Not listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP or OSHA.

Section 12 **Ecological Data** 

Overview: Moderate ecological hazard. This product may be dangerous to plants and/or wildlife. Keep out of

waterways.

Mobility: No data

Persistence: Dissolved into water, Adsorbs to soil., Chemically Transformed

Bioaccumulation: No data No data Degradability: Other Adverse Effects: No data

**Chemical Name CAS Number Eco Toxicity** Water 7732-18-5 No data available

Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2 Aguatic LC50 (96h) Rainbow Trout 45.4 MG/L

Ethylene Glycol 100% 107-21-1 96 HR LC50 POECILIA RETICULATA 16000 MG/L [STATIC]

96 HR LC50 ONCORHYNCHUS MYKISS 40761 MG/L [STATIC] 96 HR LC50 LEPOMIS MACROCHIRUS 27540 MG/L [STATIC]

96 HR LC50 ONCORHYNCHUS MYKISS 41000 MG/L

48 HR EC50 DAPHNIA MAGNA 46300 MG/L

96 HR EC50 PSEUDOKIRCHNERIELLA SUBCAPITATA 6500 -

13000 MG/L

Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-Hydrate 7758-99-8 96 HR LC50 PIMEPHALES PROMELAS 0.6752 MG/L [STATIC]

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**Section 13** 

### **Disposal Information**

**Disposal Methods:** 

Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always

contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.

Waste Disposal Code(s):

If discarded, this product is considered a RCRA corrosive waste, D002.

### **Section 14**

### **Transport Information**

**Ground - DOT Proper Shipping Name:** 

Air - IATA Proper Shipping Name:

UN1824

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Sodium Hydroxide Solution

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Class 8 P.G. III Class 8 P.G. III

### Section 15

## **Regulatory Information**

TSCA Status: All components in this product are on the TSCA Inventory.

Chemical Name	CAS Number	§ 313 Name	§ 304 RQ	CERCLA RQ	§ 302 TPQ	CAA 112(2) TQ
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	No	1000 lb RQ	1000lb (454kg) final RQ	No	No
Ethylene Glycol 100%	107-21-1	Ethylene glycol	No	5000 lb final RQ; 2270 kg final RQ	No	No
Copper (II) Sulfate, 5-hydrate	7758-99-8	No	No	No	No	No

California Prop 65:

No California Proposition 65 ingredients

Section 16	Additional
	Information

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#### Glossary

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental	NTP	National Toxicology Program
	Industrial Hygienists	OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service Number	PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response,	ppm	Parts per million
	Compensation, and Liability Act	RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation	SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	TLV	Threshold Limit Value
N/A	Not Available	TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
		IDLH	Immediately dangerous to life and health
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