

FLINN SCIENTIFIC INC.

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Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)

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Section 1 — Chemical Product and Company Identification

Collodion

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Section 2 — Composition, Information on Ingredients

Collodion

CAS#: 9004-70-0

Section 3 — Hazards Identification

Clear to slightly opalescent, syrupy liquid. Odor of ether.
Mildly toxic by ingestion or inhalation. Irritant. Avoid body tissue exposure.
Dangerous fire risk. Avoid heat, open flame or any source of ignition.

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Health-1
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

Flammable liquid.
Flash Point: 0 F Upper: 48% Lower: 1.9%
When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes of NOx.
Fire Fighting Instructions: Use triclass, dry chemical fire extinguisher. Firefighters should wear PPE and SCBA with full facepiece operated in positive pressure mode.

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H-1
F-4
R-0

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 #4. Store with ethers, ketones, halogenated hydrocarbons and ethylene oxide. Store in a dedicated flammables cabinet. If a flammables cabinet is not available, store in Flinn Saf-Stor Can. Keep container tightly closed, substance tends to dry up. Use and dispense in a hood.

Section 8 — Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wear chemical splash goggles, chemical-resistant gloves and chemical-resistant apron. Use exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Section 9 — Physical and Chemical Properties

Clear to slightly opalescent, syrup liquid. Odor of ether.
Hazardous contents: Ethyl ether 70%; Ethyl alcohol 24%;
and Pyroxylin (cellulose nitrate) 4%
Solubility: Insoluble in water.

Specific Gravity: 0.77
Melting Point: -116 C
Boiling Point: 35 C
Vapor Pressure: 442 (mmHg)
Vapor Density: 2.6 (Air=1)

Section 10 — Stability and Reactivity

Avoid contact with nitric acid, open flame, spark or any source of ignition.
Shelf life: Fair.

Section 11 — Toxicological Information

Acute effects: N.A.
Chronic effects: N.A.
Target organs: N.A.

ORL-RAT LD50: N.A.
IHL-RAT LC50: N.A.
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: Nitrocellulose, Solution, Flammable
Hazard Class: 3, Flammable Liquid
UN Number: UN2059

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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