

## Safety Data Sheet WHEATLEY'S TRICHROME STAIN

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### GHS Product identifier

Product name WHEATLEY'S TRICHROME STAIN

Product number AWT

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

Laboratory reagent.

#### Supplier's details

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### SECTION 2: Hazard identification

#### General hazard statement

Not classified as dangerous goods according to the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG).

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia.

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS classification in accordance with: UN GHS revision 7

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- Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Cat. 2A
- Skin corrosion/irritation, Cat. 2

### GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

#### Pictograms



#### Signal word

#### Warning

#### Hazard statement(s)

H315  
H319

Causes skin irritation  
Causes serious eye irritation

#### Precautionary statement(s)

P280  
P302+P352  
P305+P351+P338

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/soap  
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.  
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### Mixtures

Other components either not classified as Hazardous under the GHS, or below cut-off concentrations to be classified as Hazardous.

### Components

Component	CAS no.	Concentration
<b>Water (EC no.: 231-791-2)</b>	<b>7732-18-5</b>	<b>96 % (weight)</b>
CLASSIFICATIONS: No data available. HAZARDS: No data available.		
<b>Acetic acid (EC no.: 200-580-7; Index no.: 607-002-00-6)</b>	<b>64-19-7</b>	<b>&lt;= 1 % (weight)</b>
CLASSIFICATIONS: Flammable liquids, Cat. 3; Skin corrosion/irritation, Cat. 1A. HAZARDS: H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor; H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. [SCLs/M-factors/ATEs]: Skin Corr. 1A; H314: C ≥ 90 %; Skin Corr. 1B; H314: 25 % ≤ C < 90 %; Skin Irrit. 2; H315: 10 % ≤ C < 25 %; Eye Irrit. 2; H319: 10 % ≤ C < 25 %		

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### Description of necessary first-aid measures

#### General advice

First Aid Facilities: Maintain eyewash fountain in work area.

#### If inhaled

If inhaled, remove from contaminated area to fresh air immediately. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Immediately obtain medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.

#### In case of skin contact

Immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash affected area with water for at least 15 minutes. Ensure contaminated clothing is washed before re-use. Seek medical advice /attention depending on the severity.

In case of eye contact	Immediately irrigate with copious quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held open. If rapid recovery does not occur, obtain medical attention
If swallowed	Rinse mouth thoroughly with water immediately, repeat until all traces of product have been removed. Give water to drink. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Seek medical advice if symptoms persist.

**Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed**

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

**Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary**

For advice, contact the National Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 13 11 26; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

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**SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

This product contains a substantial proportion of water therefore there are no restrictions on the type of extinguishing media which may be used. No limitations to the type of extinguishing media.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

No significant quantities of decomposition products are expected at temperatures normally achieved in a fire.

**Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

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**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

Ensure that all handling is carried out in an area of good ventilation, Certified fume cupboards are recommended. Wear protective eyewear, nitrile gloves and apron.

In the event of spill confined to fume cupboard, contain spill with paper towel or similar absorbent material, collect into biohazard bag and seal for disposal with relevant authority. For spills outside of fume cupboard, contain spread of spill with paper towel, sawdust or vermiculite, collect into biohazard bags, seal and dispose through relevant authority; clean up area with cold (do not use hot water) soapy water.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

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**SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

**Precautions for safe handling**

Wear Safety glasses, gloves and protective apron.

Work in an area of good ventilation, an approved fume cupboard is preferred.

No eating or drinking in workplace, wash hands whenever leaving work area.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area, out of direct sunlight. Store in suitable, labelled containers. Keep containers tightly closed. Store away from incompatible materials. Ensure that storage conditions comply with applicable local and national regulations.

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**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

## Control parameters

### CAS: 64-19-7

Acetic acid

AU/SWA (Australia): 15 ppm; 37 mg/m<sup>3</sup> STEL inhalation; 10 ppm; 25 mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA inhalation;

### Appropriate engineering controls

Use ventilation adequate to keep exposures (airborne levels of dust, fume, vapor, gas, etc.) below recommended exposure limits.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

#### Eye/face protection

The use of a face shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection as appropriate. Must comply with Australian Standards AS 1337 and be selected and used in accordance with AS 1336.

#### Skin protection

Clean impervious clothing should be worn. Clothing for protection against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.

Hand Protection: Ensure hand protection complies with AS 2161, Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance.

#### Body protection

Suitable protective workwear, e.g. cotton overalls buttoned at neck and wrist is recommended. Chemical resistant apron is recommended where large quantities are handled.

#### Respiratory protection

If engineering controls are not effective in controlling airborne exposure then an approved respirator with a replaceable vapor/ mist filter should be used. Refer to relevant regulations for further information concerning respiratory protective requirements. Reference should be made to Australian Standards AS/ NZS 1715, Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices; and AS/NZS 1716, Respiratory Protective Devices, in order to make any necessary changes for individual circumstances.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### Basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Liquid
Appearance	Opaque purple liquid.
Color	No data available.
Odor	No data available.
Odor threshold	No data available.
Melting point/freezing point	No data available.
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available.
Flammability	No data available.
Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit	No data available.
Flash point	No data available.
Explosive properties	No data available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available.
Decomposition temperature	No data available.
Oxidizing properties	No data available.
pH	No data available.
Kinematic viscosity	No data available.

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Solubility	No data available.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	No data available.
Vapor pressure	No data available.
Evaporation rate	No data available.
Density and/or relative density	No data available.
Relative vapor density	No data available.
Particle characteristics	No data available.

#### Supplemental information regarding physical hazard classes

No data available.

#### Further safety characteristics (supplemental)

No data available.

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.

### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

### Conditions to avoid

Avoid storing in direct sunlight and avoid extremes of temperature.

### Incompatible materials

Strong oxidising agents.

### Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

Inhalation: Irritating to respiratory system.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Category 2. Irritating to skin.

#### Serious eye damage/irritation

Eye Damage/Irritation: Category 2A. Irritating to eyes.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

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### Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

### Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

### Reproductive toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

### Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure

Not classified based on available information.

### Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure

Not classified based on available information.

### Aspiration hazard

Not classified based on available information.

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### Disposal methods

#### Product disposal

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers.

#### Other disposal recommendations

Do not discharge this material into waterways, drains and sewers.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### ADG (Road and Rail)

Not dangerous goods

### IMDG

Not dangerous goods

### IATA

Not dangerous goods

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

#### Australia SUSMP

Poison Schedule: NS

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## SECTION 16: Other information

### Further information/disclaimer

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IATA, Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR)

IMO, International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)