

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### Section I: IDENTIFICATION

*Product Name:* **DICHROMATE CLEANING SOLUTION**

*Date Prepared:* 05-01

*Item Number:* 3379

*Emergency Phone:* 800-424-9300

### Section II: INGREDIENTS

<i>Hazardous Component(s):</i>	<i>CAS#</i>	<i>OSHA PEL, ACGIH TLV/STEL</i>	<b>NFPA</b>	
Sulfuric Acid 50%	7664-93-9	1mg/m <sup>3</sup>	1/3	Health 3
Potassium Dichromate	7778-50-9	NR		Flammability 0 Reactivity 0

### Section III: PHYSICAL DATA

<i>Boiling Point:</i>	290°F	<i>Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O = 1):</i>	~1.4
<i>Vapor Pressure mm Hg/20°C:</i>	0.01	<i>Percent Volatile by Vol:</i>	Minimal
<i>Vapor Density (Air 1:1):</i>	3.4	<i>Evaporation Rate (ether = 1):</i>	NA
<i>Solubility in H<sub>2</sub>O:</i>	Complete	<i>Appearance &amp; Odor:</i>	Orange dense liquid/sulfur odor

### Section IV: FIRE/EXPLOSION HAZARD

*Flash Point:* NA                      *Flammable Limits:* LEL, NA                      UEL, NA  
*Extinguishing Media:* Water Spray, Dry Chemical, CO<sub>2</sub> and foam. Do not allow water to enter storage tank.  
*Special Fire Fighting Procedures:* Wear complete protective clothing with NIOSH approved breathing apparatus. Products of combustion are harmful in a fire situation. Do not use direct water stream.  
*Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazards:* Avoid reducing agents/organic materials

### Section V: REACTIVITY

*Stability:* Stable                      *Material to Avoid:* Avoid organic materials and strong bases  
*Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts:* Hydrogen, sulfur, chromium vapors  
*Hazardous Polymerization:* Does not occur                      *Conditions to Avoid:* Excessive heat

### Section VI: HEALTH HAZARDS

**NOTE: Product as offered is extremely hazardous in case of skin contact. Material is highly corrosive!**

*Routes of Entry:* Inhalation, Skin and Ingestion

*Acute:* Vapors of heated solution will cause eyes, skin, respiratory irritation or burning.

*Chronic:* Not Known, target organs, lungs and mucous membrane.

*Carcinogenicity:* Not classified as a human carcinogen.

*Signs/Symptoms of Exposure:* Heated vapors could be cause minor eyes, skin or respiratory irritation.

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### **Section VI: HEALTH HAZARDS**

*Emergency First Aid:*

**Skin:** Remove contaminated clothing. Wash affected area with soap and water.

**Eyes:** Thoroughly flush eyes with water. Contact a physician if irritation persists.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth immediately with water, provided person is conscious and contact a physician.

**Inhalation:** Remove person to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration and contact physician.

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### **Section VII: SAFE HANDLING**

*Chemical Release or Spill:* Clean spill by dilution with water. Water will react violently with concentrated spill. Use water spray to clean small spills. Dike larger spills with absorbent material. Neutralize with sodium carbonate or weak hydroxide solution. Place all contaminated material in close container for disposal.

*Waste Disposal Method:* All liquid and or contaminated material should be disposed of in DOT approved waste containers. Comply with all Federal, State and Local regulations for disposal.

*Precautions for Handling and Storing:* Use normal precautions for laboratory reagents. Avoid excessive heat.

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### **Section VIII: CONTROL MEASURES**

*Respiratory Protection:* Not normally required if used in a ventilated area.

*Ventilation:* In ventilated areas, mechanical exhaust is sufficient.

*Protective Gloves:* Chemical resistant      *Eye Protection:* Safety glasses/face shield

*Other Protective Clothing or Equipment:* Normal laboratory apparel suggested by Good Laboratory Practices

*Work/Hygienic Practices:* Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

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