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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

*Product Name:* Total Alkalinity Cards *Catalog Number:* DL40031

Hach Company P.O.Box 389 Loveland, CO USA 80539 (970) 669-3050 Emergency Telephone Numbers: (Medical and Transportation) (303) 623-5716 24 Hour Service (515)232-2533 8am - 4pm CST

MSDS Number: Chemical Name: TSCA CAS Number: Alternate CAS No. (for hydrated forms): Chemical Formula: Chemical Family: Not applicable Intended Use: Test strip

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**GHS** Classification: Hazard categories: GHS Label Elements: Hazard statements: **Precautionary statements:** HMIS: Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Protective Equipment: X - See protective equipment, Section 8. NFPA: Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Symbol: Not applicable WHMIS Hazard Classification: Not applicable WHMIS Symbols: Not applicable

## **3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

## 4. FIRST AID

General Information: Advice to doctor: Eye Contact: Flush eyes with water. Skin Contact (First Aid): Wash skin with plenty of water. Inhalation: None required. Ingestion (First Aid): If you feel unwell, contact a physician.

## **5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

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Flammable Properties: Can burn in fire, releasing toxic vapors. *Fire Fighting Instruction:* As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand and full protective gear. *Extinguishing Media:* Use media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions Extinguishing Media NOT To Be Used: Not applicable Fire / Explosion Hazards: None reported Hazardous Combustion Products: None reported

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Spill Response Notice:

Only persons properly qualified to respond to an emergency involving hazardous substances may respond to a spill according to federal regulations (OSHA 29 CFR 1910.120(a)(v)) and per your company's emergency response plan and guidelines/procedures. See Section 13, Special Instructions for disposal assistance.

*Containment Technique:* Stop spilled material from being released to the environment.

*Clean-up Technique:* Place material in a plastic bag. Mark bag 'Non-hazardous trash', and dispose of as normal refuse. Evacuation Procedure: Evacuate as needed to perform spill clean-up. If conditions warrant, increase the size of the evacuation.

**DOT Emergency Response Guide Number:** 

## 7. HANDLING / STORAGE

Handling: Avoid contact with eyes Wash thoroughly after handling. Maintain general industrial hygiene practices when using this product. Storage: Protect from: moisture Flammability Class: Not applicable

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

*Engineering Controls:* Maintain general industrial hygiene practices when using this product. **Personal Protective Equipment:** *Eye Protection:* safety glasses with top and side shields Skin Protection: lab coat disposable latex gloves Inhalation Protection: adequate ventilation Precautionary Measures: Avoid contact with: eyes Wash thoroughly after handling. Protect from: moisture TLV: PEL: For Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL) for ingredients, see section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients.:

## 9. PHYSICAL / CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Paper Physical State: Solid Molecular Weight: Odor: None **Odor Threshold:** pH: Not applicable Metal Corrosivity: Corrosivity Classification: Steel: Aluminum: Specific Gravity/ Relative Density (water = 1; air =1): Viscosity: Solubility: Water: Acid: Other:

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> Partition Coefficient (n-octanol / water): Coefficient of Water / Oil: Melting Point: **Decomposition Temperature: Boiling Point:** Vapor Pressure: Vapor Density (air = 1): **Evaporation Rate (water = 1):** Volatile Organic Compounds Content: Flammable Properties: Can burn in fire, releasing toxic vapors. Flash Point: Not applicable Method: Not applicable Flammability Limits: Lower Explosion Limits: **Upper Explosion Limits:** Autoignition Temperature: **Explosive Properties: Oxidizing Properties:** Reactivity Properties: Gas under Pressure: Not classified according to GHS

#### **10. STABILITY / REACTIVITY**

Chemical Stability: Stable when stored under proper conditions.
Mechanical Impact: None reported
Static Discharge: None reported.
Reactivity / Incompatibility: None reported
Hazardous Decomposition: None reported
Conditions to Avoid: Excess moisture Extreme temperatures

## **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxicokinetics, Metabolism and Distribution: Toxicologically Synergistic Products: None reported Acute Toxicity: Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure (STOT-SE): Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeat Exposure (STOT-RE): Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Eye Damage: Sensitization: Carcinogenic, Mutagenic or Reproductive Toxin Effects: This product does NOT contain any IARC listed chemicals. This product does NOT contain any NTP listed chemicals. This product does NOT contain any OSHA listed carcinogens. Symptoms/Effects: No Effects Anticipated Ingestion (EC): Inhalation (EC): No effects anticipated Skin Absorption (EC): No effects anticipated Chronic Effects: None reported Medical Conditions Aggravated: None reported

#### **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Product Ecological Information:** No ecological data available for this product. **Ingredient Ecological Information:** 

No ecological data available for the ingredients of this product.

#### **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### EPA Waste ID Number:

*Special Instructions (Disposal):* Place material in a plastic bag. Mark bag 'Non-hazardous trash', and dispose of as normal refuse.

*Empty Containers:* Dispose of empty container as normal trash.

**NOTICE (Disposal):** These disposal guidelines are based on federal regulations and may be superseded by more stringent state or local requirements. Please consult your local environmental regulators for more information. In Europe: Chemical and analysis solutions must be disposed of in compliance with the respective national regulations. Product packaging must be disposed of in compliance with the country-specific regulations or must be passed to a packaging return system.

#### **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

D.O.T.**D.O.T.** Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated DOT Hazard Class: NA DOT Subsidiary Risk: NA DOT ID Number: NA DOT Packing Group: NA T.D.G.: T.D.G. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated T.D.G. Hazard Class: NA T.D.G. Subsidiary Risk: NA PIN: NA Group: NA I.C.A.O.: I.C.A.O. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated ICAO Hazard Class: NA ICAO Subsidiary Risk: NA ICAO ID Number: NA ICAO Packing Group: NA *I.M.O.*: I.M.O. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated I.M.O. Hazard Class: NA I.M.O. Subsidiary Risk: NA I.M.O. ID Number: NA I.M.O. Packing Group: NA Marine Pollutant:

*Additional Information:* There is a possibility that this product could be contained in a reagent set or kit composed of various compatible dangerous goods. If the item is NOT in a set or kit, the classification given above applies. If the item IS part of a set or kit, the classification would change to the following: UN3316 Chemical Kit, Class 9, PG II or III. If the item is not regulated, the Chemical Kit classification does not apply.

#### **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### U.S. Federal Regulations:

**O.S.H.A.:** This product does not meet the criteria for a hazardous substance as defined in the Hazard Communication Standard. (29 CFR 1910.1200)

*E.P.A.*:

S.A.R.A. Title III Section 311/312 Categorization (40 CFR 370): This product is not hazardous under 29 CFR.1910.1200 and therefore is not covered by Title III under SARA.
 S.A.R.A. Title III Section 313 (40 CFR 372): This product does NOT contain any chemical subject to the reporting

S.A.R.A. Title III Section 313 (40 CFR 3/2): This product does NOT contain any chemical subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of SARA.

302 (EHS) TPQ (40 CFR 355): Not applicable

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304 CERCLA RO (40 CFR 302.4): Not applicable 304 EHS RO (40 CFR 355): Not applicable *Clean Water Act (40 CFR 116.4):* Not applicable **RCRA:** Contains no RCRA regulated substances. State Regulations: California Prop. 65: No Prop. 65 listed chemicals are present in this product. Identification of Prop. 65 Ingredient(s): None California Perchlorate Rule CCR Title 22 Chap 33: Not applicable Trade Secret Registry: Not applicable National Inventories: U.S. Inventory Status: All ingredients in this product are listed on the TSCA 8(b) Inventory (40 CFR 710). TSCA CAS Number: Canadian Inventory Status: All ingredients of this product are DSL/NDSL Listed. EEC Inventory Status: All ingredients used to make this product are listed on EINECS / ELINCS. Australian Inventory Status: New Zealand (ERMA) Inventory Status: Korean (TCCL) Inventory Status: Japan (CHRIP) Inventory Status: China (PRC) Inventory Status:

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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 Reg 1272/2008, Reg 1907/2006 and UN GHS (ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.3).
 *Date of MSDS Preparation: Day:* 01

Month: December Year: 2014
MSDS Prepared: MSDS prepared by Product Compliance Department extension 3350
CCOHS Evaluation Note:
WHMIS Evaluation Note: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

#### Legend:

NA - Not Applicable	w/w - weight/weight
ND - Not Determined	w/v - weight/volume
NV - Not Available	v/v - volume/volume

**USER RESPONSIBILITY:** Each user should read and understand this information and incorporate it in individual site safety programs in accordance with applicable hazard communication standards and regulations.

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