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# **Hydrogen Peroxide**, 10%

### 1. Product Identification

**Synonyms:** Hydrogen Peroxide Solution

CAS No.: 7722-84-1 Molecular Weight: 34.01 Chemical Formula: H2O2 Product Codes: 2194

## 2. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredient	CAS No	Percent	Hazardo <sup>.</sup>
Water Hydrogen Peroxide	7732-18-5 7722-84-1	89 - 91% 9 - 11%	No Yes

### 3. Hazards Identification

**Emergency Overview** 

DANGER! STRONG OXIDIZER. CONTACT WITH OTHER MATERIAL MAY CAUSE FIRE. CORROSIVE. CAUSES BURNS TO SKIN, EYES, AND RESPIRATORY TRACT. HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED OR INHALED.

**J.T. Baker SAF-T-DATA**(tm) Ratings (Provided here for your convenience)

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Health Rating: 2 - Moderate Flammability Rating: 0 - None

Reactivity Rating: 3 - Severe (Oxidizer) Contact Rating: 4 - Extreme (Corrosive)

Lab Protective Equip: GOGGLES & SHIELD; LAB COAT & APRON; VENT HOOD;

PROPER GLOVES

Storage Color Code: Yellow (Reactive)

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#### **Potential Health Effects**

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#### Inhalation:

Vapors are corrosive and irritating to the respiratory tract. Inhalation of mist may burn the mucous membrane of the nose and throat. In severe cases, exposures may result in pulmonary edema and death.

#### **Ingestion:**

Corrosive and irritating to the mouth, throat, and abdomen. Large doses may cause symptoms of abdominal pain, vomiting, and diarrhea as well as blistering or tissue destruction. Stomach distention (due to rapid liberation of oxygen), and risk of stomach perforation, convulsions, pulmonary edema, coma, possible cerebral edema (fluid on the brain), and death are possible.

#### **Skin Contact:**

Corrosive. Symptoms of redness, pain, and severe burn can occur.

#### **Eye Contact:**

Vapors are very corrosive and irritating to the eyes. Symptoms include pain, redness and blurred vision. Splashes can cause permanent tissue destruction.

#### **Chronic Exposure:**

No information found.

### **Aggravation of Pre-existing Conditions:**

Persons with pre-existing skin disorders or eye problems or impaired respiratory function may be more susceptible to the effects of the substance.

### 4. First Aid Measures

#### **Inhalation:**

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention immediately.

#### **Ingestion:**

If swallowed, DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Give large quantities of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.

#### **Skin Contact:**

Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention immediately. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. If allowed to dry on clothing, evaporation leads to concentration and increased possibility of ignition.

#### **Eve Contact:**

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and

upper eyelids occasionally. Get medical attention immediately.

#### Note to Physician:

Pulmonary edema may be delayed for 24 to 72 hours;keep under observation. Gastric lavage may be necessary if swallowed. Analysis of body fluids (particularly gastric aspirates) using the titanium chloride reaction, if done immediately, will reveal peroxides.

## 5. Fire Fighting Measures

#### Fire:

Not combustible, but substance is a strong oxidizer and its heat of reaction with reducing agents or combustibles may cause ignition. Increases the flammability of combustible, organic and readily oxidizable materials.

#### **Explosion:**

Strong oxidizer. Contact with combustible materials, flammable materials, or powdered metals can cause fire or explosion. Drying of concentrated hydrogen peroxide on clothing or other combustible materials may cause fire or explosion. Sealed containers may rupture when heated.

### Fire Extinguishing Media:

Water spray may be used to extinguish surrounding fire and cool exposed containers. Water spray will also reduce fume and irritant gases.

#### **Special Information:**

In the event of a fire, wear full protective clothing and NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus with full facepiece operated in the pressure demand or other positive pressure mode.

### 6. Accidental Release Measures

CAUTION! Caustic material. Causes fires with organic material. Ventilate area of leak or spill. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment as specified in Section 8. Contain and recover liquid when possible. Do not return spilled material to original container.

Larger Spills: Dilute with a large amount of water and hold in a pond or dyked area until the peroxide decomposes followed by discharge into a suitable treatment system. May be neutralized with sodium metabisulfite or sodium sulfite after diluting to 5-10% peroxide.

Do not flush undiluted material to sewer. This oxidizing material can increase the flammability of adjacent combustible materials. Empty containers should be rinsed with water before discarding.

## 7. Handling and Storage

Store in a cool(< 35C), well-ventilated dark area separated from combustible substances, reducing agents, strong bases, organics. Do not store on wooden shelves or floors. Suggest rotation of stock. Containers must be vented, but check periodically for bulging

containers which can burst from pressure. Protect containers from physical damage, contamination, heat and incompatibles.. Contamination from any source (dust, metals) may cause rapid decomposition with generation of large quantities of oxygen gas and high pressures. Rinse empty containers thoroughly with clean water. Glass, polyethylene, stainless steel and aluminum are recommended materials for storage containers. Containers of this material may be hazardous when empty since they retain product residues (vapors, liquid); observe all warnings and precautions listed for the product.

## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

#### **Airborne Exposure Limits:**

-OSHA Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL):

1 ppm (TWA).

-ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TLV):

1 ppm (TWA), A3: Animal carcinogen.

#### **Ventilation System:**

A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures below the Airborne Exposure Limits. Local exhaust ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source, preventing dispersion of it into the general work area. Please refer to the ACGIH document, *Industrial Ventilation, A Manual of Recommended Practices*, most recent edition, for details.

#### **Personal Respirators (NIOSH Approved):**

If the exposure limit is exceeded, wear a supplied air, full-facepiece respirator, airlined hood, or full-facepiece self-contained breathing apparatus. This substance has unknown warning properties.

#### **Skin Protection:**

Wear impervious protective clothing, including boots, gloves, lab coat, apron or coveralls, as appropriate, to prevent skin contact.

#### **Eve Protection:**

Use chemical safety goggles and/or a full face shield where splashing is possible. Maintain eye wash fountain and quick-drench facilities in work area.

### 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

#### **Appearance:**

Clear, colorless liquid.

Odor:

Pungent odor.

**Solubility:** 

Complete (100%)

**Specific Gravity:** 

1.05

nH:

4.4 (10% solution)

% Volatiles by volume @ 21C (70F):

100

**Boiling Point:** 

100C (212F)
Melting Point:
No information found.
Vapor Density (Air=1):
Not applicable.
Vapor Pressure (mm Hg):
23.0 @ 20C (68F)
Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1):
> 1

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

#### **Stability:**

Normally stable if uncontaminated, but slowly decomposes to release oxygen. Unstable with heat, may result in dangerous pressures. A strong oxidizer, reacts violently upon contact with many organic substances, particularly textile and paper. Avoid light and keep in a closed but vented container to prevent evaporation (concentration) and contamination.

#### **Hazardous Decomposition Products:**

Decomposes to water and oxygen with rapid heat release. Use vented containers. The solution can decompose violently upon heating.

#### **Hazardous Polymerization:**

Will not occur.

#### **Incompatibilities:**

Heat, reducing agents, organic materials, dirt, alkalis, rust, and many metals. Spontaneous combustion may occur on standing in contact with readily flammable materials.

#### **Conditions to Avoid:**

Light and incompatibles. Avoid excess heat and contact with combustible or organic materials.

## 11. Toxicological Information

Investigated as a tumorigen and mutagen. No LD50/LC50 information found relating to normal routes of occupational exposure.

\Cancer Lists\			
	NTP	Carcinogen	
Ingredient	Known	Anticipated	IARC Category
Water (7732-18-5) Hydrogen Peroxide (7722-84-1)	No No	No No	None 3

## 12. Ecological Information

#### **Environmental Fate:**

No information found.

#### **Environmental Toxicity:**

No information found.

## 13. Disposal Considerations

Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be handled as hazardous waste and sent to a RCRA approved waste facility. Processing, use or contamination of this product may change the waste management options. State and local disposal regulations may differ from federal disposal regulations. Dispose of container and unused contents in accordance with federal, state and local requirements.

## 14. Transport Information

Domestic (Land, D.O.T.)

**Proper Shipping Name:** HYDROGEN PEROXIDE, AQUEOUS SOLUTION (WITH NOT LESS THAN 8 PERCENT BUT LESS THAN 20 PERCENT HYDROGEN

PEROXIDE)
Hazard Class: 5.1
UN/NA: UN2984
Packing Group: III

**Information reported for product/size: 8PT** 

**International (Water, I.M.O.)** 

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## 15. Regulatory Information

\Chemical Inventory Status - Part 1\				
Ingredient	TSCA	EC	Japan	Australia
Water (7732-18-5) Hydrogen Peroxide (7722-84-1)	Yes Yes		Yes Yes	Yes Yes
\Chemical Inventory Status - Part 2\			 anada	
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Ingredient	Korea	DSL	NDSL	Phil.
Water (7732-18-5)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Hydrogen Peroxide (7722-84-1)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
\Federal, State & International Regulati		<b>.</b>	1 \	

Ingredient	-SARA RQ	302- TPQ		-SARA 313 Chemical Catg.
Water (7732-18-5)	No	No	No	No
Hydrogen Peroxide (7722-84-1)	1000	1000	No	No
\Federal, State & International Re Ingredient	gulati CERCL		Part 2\- -RCRA- 261.33	-TSCA-
Water (7732-18-5)	No	_	No	No
Hydrogen Peroxide (7722-84-1)	1		No	No

Chemical Weapons Convention: No TSCA 12(b): No CDTA: No SARA 311/312: Acute: Yes Chronic: Yes Fire: Yes Pressure: No Reactivity: No (Mixture / Liquid)

Australian Hazchem Code: 2P

**Poison Schedule: S6** 

**WHMIS:** 

This MSDS has been prepared according to the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

### 16. Other Information

NFPA Ratings: Health: 3 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 1 Other: Oxidizer

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#### **Label Precautions:**

Keep from contact with clothing and other combustible materials.

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Do not breathe vapor or mist.

Store in a tightly closed container.

Use only with adequate ventilation.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Remove and wash contaminated clothing promptly.

Avoid contamination from any source, metals, dust, and organic materials that may cause rapid decomposition, generation of large quantities of oxygen gas and high pressure. Drying of product on clothing or combustible materials may cause fire.

#### **Label First Aid:**

If swallowed, DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Give large quantities of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. In all cases get medical attention immediately.

#### **Product Use:**

Laboratory Reagent.

**Revision Information:** 

No changes.

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