

Safety Data Sheet MALACHITE GREEN 5% Aqueous

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SECTION 1: Identification

GHS Product identifier

Product name MALACHITE GREEN 5% Aqueous

Product number AMGR5

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Laboratory stain/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

- Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Cat. 1
- Toxic to reproduction, Cat. 2

GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictograms

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Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H318
H361

Causes serious eye damage
Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child

Precautionary statement(s)

P280
P305+P351+P338

P310
P405
P501

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician
Store locked up.
Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal facility

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Component	Identification	Weight %
Water	CAS no.: 7732-18-5 EC no.: 231-791-2	>= 95 %
Malachite green oxalate salt	CAS no.: 2437-29-8 EC no.: 219-441-7 Index no.: 602-096-00-5	<= 5 %

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. Get medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.

In case of skin contact

Rinse with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

In case of eye contact

Immediately irrigate with copious quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held open. In all cases of eye contamination it is a sensible precaution to seek medical advice.

If swallowed

Rinse mouth thoroughly with water immediately, repeat until all traces of product have been removed. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Seek medical advice if effects 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

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

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

Small fire: Use foam, dry chemical, CO₂ or water spray.

Large fire: Use foam, fog or water spray - Do not use water jets.

If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from fire area. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazards from Combustion Products: Oxides of carbon.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

SCBA and structural firefighter's uniform may provide limited protection. Fully-encapsulating, gas-tight suits should be worn for maximum protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Follow precautions for safe handling described in this safety data sheet. Provide adequate ventilation. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel away from the spillage. Treat the spilled material according to the instructions in the clean-up section.

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.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid fumes.

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

Keep at temperature not exceeding 25°C.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

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.

Body protection

Footwear: Safety boots in industrial situations is advisory, foot protection should comply with AS 2210, Occupational protective footwear - Guide to selection, care and use.

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Body Protection: Clean clothing or protective clothing should be worn, preferably with an apron. Clothing for protection against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.

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.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

Basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Liquid
Appearance	
Color	Green
Odor	Faint alcohol.
Odor threshold	
Melting point/freezing point	0°C
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	100°C
Flammability	n/a
Lower and upper explosion limit/ flammability limit	n/a
Flash point	n/a
Auto-ignition temperature	n/a
Decomposition temperature	n/a
pH	No information
Kinematic viscosity	n/a
Solubility	Completely miscible
Partition coefficient n-octanol/ water (log value)	n/a
Vapor pressure	n/a
Density and/or relative density	Density: 1 g/cm ³
Relative vapor density	n/a
Particle characteristics	n/a

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.

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Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal use conditions.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid

Avoid storing in direct sunlight and avoid extremes of temperature.

Incompatible materials

Acids. Alkalis. Oxidising agents.

Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances:

Carbon dioxide (CO₂). Carbon monoxide (CO). Nitrous gases (NO_x). Hydrocarbons. Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Ingestion: May cause irritation of mouth, throat and stomach.

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation leading to headache, dizziness and confusion.

Skin corrosion/irritation

May cause skin irritation, itchiness and redness.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Causes serious eye damage. Eye contact will cause stinging, blurring, tearing, severe pain and chemical burns, resulting in possible blindness.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - Category 2

Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

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Toxicity

Ecological Information: Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment - Long-Term Hazard: Category 3

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.

SECTION 14: Transport information

ADG (Road and Rail)

Not dangerous goods

IMDG

Not dangerous goods

IATA

Not dangerous goods

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

Australia SUSMP

Poison Schedule: NS

Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL)

Chemical name: Methanaminium, n-[4-[[4-(dimethylamino)phenyl]phenylmethylene]-2,5-cyclohexadien-1-ylidene]-N-methyl-, ethanedioate, ethanedioate (2:2:1)

CAS: 2437-29-8

SECTION 16: Other information

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Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons, Commonwealth of Australia

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