# May-Grunwald Stock Solution 

## 1. Identification

Product Name: May-Grunwald Stock Solution
Item \#: SKC1196-250, SKC1196-500
Web SDS: 5485
Synonyms: N/A
Recommended Use: Histology Staining, Laboratory Reagent Restrictions on Use: Any use other than recommended.

## Manufacturer:

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## 2. Hazards Identification

## OSHA Hazard Classification(s):

Skin Irritation - Category 2
Eye Irritation - Category 2A
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (single exposure) - Category 1
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (repeated exposure) - Category 2
Flammable Liquids - Category 2
Signal Word: Danger
Hazard Statement(s): Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. Causes damage to organs (respiratory system). May cause damage to organs (liver) through prolonged or repeated exposure. Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
Pictogram(s):


Precautionary Statement(s): Prevention: Wash body thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves. Wear eye protection, face protection. Do not breathe dust, vapors. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Keep away from heat sources and open flame. No smoking. Keep container tightly closed. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof electrical, ventilating, lighting and equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

Response: If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. Specific treatment (see first aid section on this label). If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical attention. Take off all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue Rinsing If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention. If exposed or concerned: Call a doctor. Call a doctor if you feel unwell. If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. In case of fire: Use water, dry chemical, CO2 or foam to extinguish.

Storage: Store locked up. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
Disposal: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.
Descriptions of Hazards not otherwise classified: N/A
Percent of mixture with unknown acute toxicity: N/A
3. Composition and Information on Ingredients

| Chemical Name | Common Name | CAS \# | Concentration \% |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Methyl Alcohol | Methanol | $67-56-1$ | Trade Secret |
| Select Stain |  | Trade Secret | Trade Secret |

## 4. First Aid Measures

Eye Contact: If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
Skin Contact: If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

Inhalation: Vapor Harmful. Remove to fresh air; give artificial respiration if breathing has stopped. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.
Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration of liquid into the lungs. Get medical attention.
Symptoms: Irritation eyes, skin, upper respiratory system; headache, drowsiness, dizziness, nausea, vomiting; visual disturbance, optic nerve damage (blindness); dermatitis
Recommendations for immediate medical care/special treatment: Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.
Health effects include irritation to eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, gastrointestinal tract

## 5. Fire- Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media: Dry chemical, carbon dioxide, alcohol foam. Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers and disperse vapors.
Fire Hazards (Chemical): OSHA classified Flammable Liquid
Special Protective Equipment: Fire fighters should use self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.
Precautions for Firefighters: Carbon monoxide and unidentified organic compounds may be formed during combustion. Vapors can travel distances to ignition source and flash back. Cool fire exposed containers with water. Fine mist or spray may be flammable at temperatures below the flash point. When heated above the flash point this material emits flammable vapors which, when mixed with air, can burn or be explosive.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

Emergency Procedures: Evacuate the area of all unnecessary personnel. Wear suitable protective equipment. Eliminate all sources of ignition and provide ventilation.
Protective Equipment: See section 8
Environmental Precautions: Prevent release to the environment by using barriers.
Containment and Clean-Up Procedures: Use barriers to prevent spreading. Collect spill in container. Call waste authorities.

## 7. Handling and Storage

Handling: Do not breathe vapors. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames, hot surfaces. Keep container tightly closed. Ground/Bond container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof electrical, ventilating, and lighting equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
Storage: Store locked up. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Store away from sources of ignition, heat, open flame.
8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

OSHA Permissible Exposure Limits (PELs):

| Reagent | CAS \# | OSHA PEL TWA |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Methyl Alcohol | $67-56-1$ | $200 \mathrm{ppm}(260 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{m} 3)$ |

ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLVs):

| Reagent | CAS \# | ACGIH PEL TLV | ACGIH STEL |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Methyl Alcohol | $67-56-1$ | $200 \mathrm{ppm}(262 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{m} 3)$ | $250 \mathrm{ppm}(328 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{m} 3)$ |

Engineering Controls: Use in a well ventilated area to prevent exposure. Maintain eyewash fountain and quick-drench facilities in work areas.
Personal Protective Measures: Wear gloves, lab coat, eye protection and impervious footwear. Contact lenses should not be worn when working with this material.
Special PPE Requirements: If ventilation hood not available wear respirator.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties Section

Appearance: Dark Blue, Dark Blue Liquid
Molecular Weight: N/A

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Molecular Formula: N/A
pH: N/A
Boiling Point and Boiling Range: 147웅
Melting Point/Freezing Point: -144우
Flash Point: $52^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$
Specific Gravity/Relative Density: 0.79
Odor: Pungent odor
Odor Threshold: N/A
Color: Dark Blue
Flammability (solid/gas): Flammable liquid
Vapor Density: N/A
Upper/Lower flammability or explosive limits: LEL 6.0\%, UEL 36\%
Vapor Pressure: $96 \mathrm{mmHg} @ 20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Evaporation Rate: N/A
Partition Coefficient: n-octanol/water: N/A
Viscosity: N/A
Auto-ignition temperature: N/A
Solubility: N/A
Decomposition Temperature: N/A

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity: Reactive under heat exposure
Chemical Stability: Stable
Conditions of Stability/Instability: Instable under heat
Stabilizers needed: None
Safety issue indicated by appearance change: N/A
Other: N/A
Hazardous Reactions: N/A
Hazardous Polymerization: Does not occur
Conditions to avoid: Open flame, heat
Classes of Incompatible Materials: Oxidizers, Strong Acids, Strong Bases
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Thermal-oxidation degradation can produce oxides of carbon. Toxic gases and vapors (I.e. Carbon monoxide) may be released in a fire.

## 11. Toxicological Information

Likely Routes of Exposure
Eyes: Irritation.
Skin: Irritation.
Inhalation: Dizziness, headache, nausea, narcosis
Ingestion: Nausea, blindness
Signs or Symptoms of Exposure: Irritation eyes, skin, nose, mucous membrane; headache, dermatitis, narcosis, coma, dizziness, excitement, drowsiness, incoordination, staggering gait; corneal vacuolization; anorexia, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain; dermatitis
Effects from short term exposure (delayed, immediate, chronic): Target organs: eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, gastrointestinal tract
Acute Toxicity (Numerical Measures): LD50 $=0.4 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{kg}$ (oral, mouse); LD50 6.2 to $13 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{kg}$ (oral, rat); LD50 $14.4 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{kg}$ (oral, rabbit); LD50 $=20 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{kg}$ (dermal, rabbits)
Carcinogenicity (NTP, IARC, OSHA): Not listed as a carcinogen

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## 12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: N/A
Persistence and degradability: N/A
Bioaccumulation Potential (octanol-water partition coefficient, BCF): N/A
Mobility in the soil: N/A
Adverse Environmental Effects: N/A
13. Disposal Considerations

Recommended Disposal Containers: Check with your local waste authorities*
Recommended Disposal Methods: Do not dispose of in drains, check with your local waste authorities.*
Physical/Chemical Properties affecting Disposal: See section 2 and section 9 applicable information.*
Special Precautions for Landfill and Incineration Activities: Check with your local waste authorities.*
Waste Stream: Consult your local or regional authorities. ${ }^{*}$
14. Transport Information

UN Number: UN1230
UN Proper Shipping Name: Methanol
Transport Hazard Class(es): 3
Packing Group Number: II
Environmental Hazards (IMDG code):
Marine Pollutant: No
Transport in Bulk (IBC Code): N/A
Special Transport Precautions: N/A
15. Regulatory Information

OSHA: N/A
DOT: N/A
EPA: N/A
CPSC: N/A

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16. Other Information

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NFPA

| Health | 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Fire Hazard | 3 |
| Reactivity | 0 |
| Specific Hazard |  |

National Fire Protection Association (USA) NFPA

HMIS

| Health | 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Flammability | 3 |
| Physical Hazard | 0 |
| Personal Protection |  |

Hazardous Material Information System HMIS

| Health | 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Flammability | 3 |
| Physical Hazard | 0 |
| Personal Protection |  |

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