

Safety Data Sheet

Classified according to WHMIS 2015

SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product Identifier

Trade Name or Designation: Biuret Reagent, Roquette America Formulation

Product Number: 1021

Other Identifying Product Numbers: 1021-1, 1021-32, 1021-5

1.2. Recommended Use and Restrictions on Use

General Laboratory Reagent

1.3. Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Company: Ricca Chemical Company

Address: 448 West Fork Drive

Arlington, TX 76012 USA

Telephone: 888-467-4222

1.4. Emergency Telephone Number (24 hours)

CHEMTREC (USA)

800-424-9300

CHEMTREC (International)

1+ 703-527-3887

SECTION 2: Hazard(s) Identification

2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

For the full text of the Hazard and Precautionary Statements listed below, see Section 16.

Hazard Class	Category	Hazard Statements	Precautionary Statements:
Eye Damage / Irritation	Category 2	H319	P264, P280, P305+P351+P338, P337+P313
Flammable Liquids	Category 3	H226	P210, P233, P240, P241, P242, P243, P280, P303+P361+P353, P370+P378, P403+P235, P501
Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment (Acute)	Category 3	H402	P273, P501

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2.2. GHS Label Elements

Pictograms:



Signal Word: **Warning**

Hazard Statements:

Hazard Number	Hazard Statement
H226	Flammable liquid and vapor.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H402	Harmful to aquatic life.

Precautionary Statements:

Precautionary Number	Precautionary Statement
P210	Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. No smoking.
P233	Keep container tightly closed.
P240	Ground container and receiving equipment.
P241	Use explosion-proof equipment.
P242	Use only non-sparking tools.
P243	Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
P264	Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves and eye protection.
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.
P370+P378	In case of fire: Use dry chemical, foam or carbon dioxide to extinguish.
P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P501	Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

2.4. Hazards not Otherwise Classified or Covered by GHS

Data not available.

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SECTION 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients

3.1. Components of Substance or Mixture

Chemical Name	Formula	Molecular Weight	CAS Number	Weight%
Water	H ₂ O	18.01 g/mol	7732-18-5	64.91
Isopropyl Alcohol	CH ₃ CHOHCH ₃	60.09 g/mol	67-63-0	33.75
Potassium Sodium Tartrate Tetrahydrate	KNaC ₄ H ₄ O ₆ ·4H ₂ O	282.22 g/mol	6381-59-5	0.65
Potassium Hydroxide	KOH	56.10 g/mol	1310-58-3	0.53
Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate	CuSO ₄ ·5H ₂ O	249.68 g/mol	7758-99-8	0.16

SECTION 4: First-Aid Measures

4.1. General First Aid Information

Eye Contact: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. May cause irritation with burning and stinging with possible damage to the cornea and conjunctiva.

Inhalation: Not expected to require first aid. If necessary, remove to fresh air.

Skin Contact: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. May result in drying and cracking, which can lead to secondary infections and dermatitis.

Ingestion: Dilute immediately with water or milk. Induce vomiting. Call a physician.

4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

Causes serious eye irritation. Flammable liquid. Contact may cause dryness and cracking of the skin. May cause irritation of the respiratory system. Causes irritation to the eyes. If ingested, give large quantity of water and induce vomiting. Call a physician. Wash areas of contact with water. EYE CONTACT: May cause irritation with burning and stinging with possible damage to the cornea and conjunctiva. SKIN CONTACT: May result in drying and cracking, which can lead to secondary infections and dermatitis.

4.3. Medical Attention or Special Treatment Needed

Irrigate immediately with large quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops. Remove to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops. Dilute immediately with water or milk. Induce vomiting. Call a physician.

SECTION 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

5.1. Extinguishing Media

In case of fire: Use dry chemical, foam or carbon dioxide to extinguish. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, alcohol foam

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5.2. Specific Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

Flammable liquid and vapor. Vapors may explode if ignited in an enclosed area.

5.3. Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters

Wear full protective clothing and NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus with full facepiece operated in the pressure demand or other positive pressure mode.

SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Ground container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

6.2. Cleanup and Containment Methods and Materials

Remove all sources of ignition. Contain spill. Do not flush to sewer. Absorb with suitable inert material (vermiculite, dry sand, etc) and place in a chemical waste container for proper disposal in an approved waste disposal facility. Ventilate area of spill. Have extinguishing agent available in case of fire. Use non-sparking tools and equipment. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling and Storage Conditions

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. As with all chemicals, wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Protect from freezing and physical damage. Store in secure, flammable storage area away from all sources of ignition. Empty containers may be hazardous since they retain product residues.

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SECTION 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

8.1 Control Parameters

Chemical Name	Limit Type	Country	Exposure Limit	Information Source
Potassium Hydroxide (1310-58-3)	TLV-Ceiling	USA	2 mg/m ³ Ceiling	ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Ceilings (TLV-C)
Isopropyl Alcohol (67-63-0)	TWA	USA	400 ppm TWA; 980 mg/m ³ TWA	U.S. - OSHA - Final PELs - Time Weighted Averages (TWAs)
Isopropyl Alcohol (67-63-0)	TLV-STEL	USA	400 ppm STEL	ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Short Term Exposure Limits (TLV-STEL)
Isopropyl Alcohol (67-63-0)	TLV-TWA	USA	200 ppm TWA	ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Time Weighted Averages (TLV-TWA)
Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (7758-99 TLV-TWA)		USA	"1 mg/m ³ TWA (dust and mist, as Cu)" As Copper compounds [RR-00595-8]	ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Time Weighted Averages (TLV-TWA)
Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (7758-99 TLV-TWA)		USA	"1 mg/m ³ TWA (dust and mist, as Cu)" As Copper compounds [RR-00595-8]	ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Time Weighted Averages (TLV-TWA)
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8.2. Exposure Controls

Engineering Controls: A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures below the Airborne Exposure Limit.

Respiratory Protection: Normal room ventilation is adequate. If the exposure limit is exceeded, a full facepiece respirator with organic vapor cartridge may be worn.

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Skin Protection: Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Chemical resistant gloves.

Eye Protection: Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Safety glasses or goggles.

8.3. Personal Protective Equipment

Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Normal room ventilation is adequate. If the exposure limit is exceeded, a full facepiece respirator with organic vapor cartridge may be worn. Chemical resistant gloves. Safety glasses or goggles.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1. Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: Blue liquid

Physical State: Liquid

Odor: Data not available.

Odor Threshold: Data not available.

pH: Data not available.

Melting/Freezing Point: Data not available.

Initial Boiling Point/Range: Approximately 82°C - Approximately 82°C

Flash Point: Approximately 13°C (IPA)

Evaporation Rate: Data not available.

Flammability: Data not available.

Flammability/Explosive Limits: Data not available.

Vapor Pressure: Data not available.

Vapor Density: Data not available.

Relative Density: 0.95

Solubility: Miscible

Partition Coefficient: Data not available.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Data not available.

Decomposition Temperature: Data not available.

Viscosity: Data not available.

Explosive Properties: Data not available.

Oxidizing Properties: Data not available.

SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

10.1. Reactivity and Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions of use and storage.

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10.2. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Data not available.

10.3. Conditions to Avoid and Incompatible Materials

Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. No smoking. Keep container tightly closed. Strong oxidizing agents such as Nitrates, Perchlorates or Sulfuric Acid, heat, sparks, open flame. Will attack some forms of plastics, rubber and coatings. May react with metallic aluminum and generate hydrogen gas.

10.4. Hazardous Decomposition Products

Will not occur.

SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute Toxicity - Oral Exposure:

Not applicable.

Acute Toxicity - Dermal Exposure:

Not applicable.

Acute Toxicity - Inhalation Exposure:

Not applicable.

Acute Toxicity - Other Information:

LD50, Oral, Rat: (Isopropanol) 5045 mg/kg, behavioral effects noted. LC50, Inhalation, Rat: (Isopropanol) 16000 ppm/8hrs. No toxic effect noted. Investigated as a tumorigen, mutagen, and reproductive effector.

Skin Corrosion and Irritation:

Not applicable.

Serious Eye Damage and Irritation:

Causes serious eye irritation. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. 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.

Respiratory Sensitization:

Not applicable.

Skin Sensitization:

Not applicable.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity:

Not applicable.

Carcinogenicity:

Not applicable.

Reproductive Toxicity:

Not applicable.

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Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Single Exposure:

Not applicable.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Repeated Exposure:

Not applicable.

Aspiration Hazard:

Not applicable.

Additional Toxicology Information:

Data not available.

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

12.1. Ecotoxicity

Harmful to aquatic life. Avoid release to the environment. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

12.2. Persistence and Degradability

Data not available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

Data not available.

12.4. Mobility in Soil

Data not available.

12.5. Other Adverse Ecological Effects

Data not available.

SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

13.1. Waste Treatment Methods

Data not available.

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SECTION 14: Transportation Information

14.1. Transportation by Land-Department of Transportation (DOT, United States of America)

Sizes: 1 L, 4 L, 20 L

UN Number: UN1987

Proper Shipping Name: Alcohols, n.o.s. (Isopropanol)

Hazard Class: 3

Packing Group: III

Hazard Label(s):



14.2. Transportation by Air - International Air Transport Association (IATA)

Sizes: 1 L, 4 L, 20 L

UN Number: UN1987

Proper Shipping Name: Alcohols, n.o.s. (Isopropanol)

Hazard Class: 3

Packing Group: III

Hazard Label(s):



14.3 Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG, Canada)

Sizes: 1 L, 4 L, 20 L

UN Number: UN1987

Proper Shipping Name: ALCOHOLS, N.O.S. (isopropanol)

Hazard Class: 3

Packing Group: III

Hazard Label(s):



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SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

15.1. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Hazards

Not listed.

15.2. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

Not listed.

15.3. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 311/312 Hazardous Chemicals

Potassium Hydroxide (CAS # 1310-58-3): 1000 lb final RQ; 454 kg final RQ

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): 10 lb final RQ; 4.54 kg final RQ

15.4. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 313 Toxic Release Inventory (TRI)

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): 1.0 % de minimis concentration (only if manufactured by the strong acid process, no supplier notification)

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): "1.0 % de minimis concentration (includes any unique chemical substance that contains Copper as part of that chemical's infrastructure except for CAS numbers 147-14-8, 1328-53-6, or 14302-13-7, or copper phthalocyanine compounds that are substituted with only Hydrogen and/or Bromine and/or Chlorine that meet the molecular structure specified within the regulation, listed under Chemical Category N100)" As Copper compounds [RR-00595-8]

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): 1.0 % de minimis concentration (includes any unique chemical substance that contains Copper as part of that chemical's infrastructure except for CAS numbers 147-14-8, 1328-53-6, or 14302-13-7, or copper phthalocyanine compounds that are substituted with only Hydrogen and/or Bromine and/or Chlorine that meet the molecular structure specified within the regulation, listed under Chemical Category N100)

15.5. Massachusetts Right-to-Know Substance List

Potassium Hydroxide (CAS # 1310-58-3): Present

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): Present

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): Present

15.6. Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Hazardous Substances

Potassium Hydroxide (CAS # 1310-58-3): Environmental hazard

Potassium Hydroxide (CAS # 1310-58-3): Present

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): "Present" As Isopropyl alcohol manufacture (strong-acid process) [RR-00068-0]

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): Environmental hazard

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): Present

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): Special hazardous substance

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): "Present" As Ethyl alcohol and water [RR-00802-6]

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): "Environmental hazard" As Copper compounds [RR-00595-8]

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): "Present" As Copper compounds [RR-00595-8]

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): Environmental hazard

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): Present

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15.7. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Components

Potassium Hydroxide (CAS # 1310-58-3): corrosive

Potassium Hydroxide (CAS # 1310-58-3): sn 1571

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): flammable - third degree

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): sn 1076

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): SN 1076 500 lb TPQ (manufacturing - strong acid process only)

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): "SN 2215 500 lb TPQ (except C.I. Pigment Blue 15 (CAS 147-14-8), C.I. Pigment Green 7 (CAS 1328-53-6), and C.I. Pigment Green 36 (CAS 14302-13-7), and Copper phthalocyanine compounds that are substituted with only Hydrogen, and/or Chlorine, and/or Bromine, Category Code N100. Includes any unique chemical substance that contains the named metal as part of that chemical structure)" As Copper compounds [RR-00595-8]

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): "sn 2215" As Copper compounds [RR-00595-8]

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): sn 0549

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): sn 2215

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): SN 2215 500 lb TPQ (except C.I. Pigment Blue 15 (CAS 147-14-8), C.I. Pigment Green 7 (CAS 1328-53-6), and C.I. Pigment Green 36 (CAS 14302-13-7), and Copper phthalocyanine compounds that are substituted with only Hydrogen, and/or Chlorine, and/or Bromine, Category Code N100. Includes any unique chemical substance that contains the named metal as part of that chemical structure)

15.8. California Proposition 65

Not listed.

15.9. Canada Domestic Substances List / Non-Domestic Substances List (DSL/NDSL)

Potassium Hydroxide (CAS # 1310-58-3): Present (DSL)

Potassium Sodium Tartrate Tetrahydrate (CAS # 6381-59-5): Present (DSL)

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): Present (DSL)

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): Present (NDSL)

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present (DSL)

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): Present (DSL)

15.10. United States of America Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) List

All components of this solution are listed as active on the TSCA Inventory or are mixtures (hydrates) of active items listed on the TSCA Inventory.

Potassium Hydroxide (CAS # 1310-58-3): Present (ACTIVE)

Potassium Sodium Tartrate Tetrahydrate (CAS # 6381-59-5): Present (ACTIVE)

Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): Present (ACTIVE)

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present (ACTIVE)

Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): Present (ACTIVE)

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15.11. European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS), European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS), and No Longer Polymers (NLP)

Potassium Hydroxide (CAS # 1310-58-3): 215-181-3
Potassium Sodium Tartrate Tetrahydrate (CAS # 6381-59-5): 206-156-8
Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): 200-661-7
Isopropyl Alcohol (CAS # 67-63-0): 270-649-4
Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): 231-791-2
Copper Sulfate Pentahydrate (CAS # 7758-99-8): 231-847-6

SECTION 16: Other Information

16.1. Full Text of Hazard Statements and Precautionary Statements

Flammable liquid and vapor. Causes serious eye irritation. Harmful to aquatic life.

Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. No smoking. Keep container tightly closed. Ground container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment. Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. 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. In case of fire: Use dry chemical, foam or carbon dioxide to extinguish.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

16.2. Miscellaneous Hazard Classes

Canadian Carcinogenicity Hazard Class: Not Applicable.

Physical Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (PHNOC): Not Applicable.

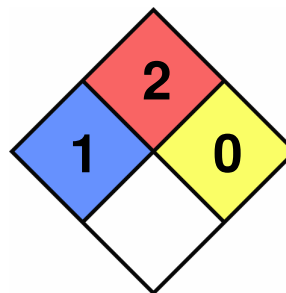
Health Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HHNOC): Not Applicable.

Biohazardous Infectious Materials Hazard Class: Not Applicable.

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16.3. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Rating

Health: 1
Flammability: 2
Reactivity: 0
Special Hazard:



16.4. Document Revision

Last Revision Date: 2023-09-11

DISCLAIMER

When handled properly by qualified personnel, the product described herein does not present a significant health or safety hazard. Alteration of its characteristics by concentration, evaporation, addition of other substances, or other means may present hazards not specifically addressed herein and which must be evaluated by the user. The information furnished herein is believed to be accurate and represents the best data currently available to us. No warranty, expressed or implied, is made and RICCA CHEMICAL COMPANY assumes no legal responsibility or liability whatsoever resulting from its use.