SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: Harris Hematoxylin
SYNONYMS: None
PRODUCT CODES: ES739, ES740

MANUFACTURER: Azer Scientific, Inc.
ADDRESS: 701 Hemlock Rd, Morgantown, PA 19543

CHEMTREC PHONE: 800-424-9300
SUPPORT: 610-524-5810
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PRODUCT USE: Biological Stain
PREPARED BY: CB

SECTION 1 NOTES:

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS CLASSIFICATION: Acute toxicity, Oral Category 4; Acute Toxicity, Dermal Category 4; Acute toxicity, Inhalation Category 4

Signal Word: Warning!

Hazard Phrases	
H303	May be harmful if swallowed.
H332	Harmful if inhaled.
H312	Harmful in contact with skin.

Precautionary Phrases	
P260	Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301+P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

SECTION 2 NOTES:

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENT:	**CAS NO.**	**% WT**
Water	7732-18-5	94
Hematoxylin	517-28-2	<1
Sodium Iodate	7681-55-2	<1
Ethanol	64-17-5	<5
Isopropyl Alcohol	67-63-0	<1
Aluminum Ammonium Sulfate	7784-26-1	<5

SECTION 3 NOTES:

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

EYES: Check for and remove any contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

SKIN: In case of contact, flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

INGESTION: Call medical doctor or poison control center immediately. Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: Move exposed person to fresh air. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention if you feel unwell.

SECTION 4 NOTES:

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

FLAMMABILITY OF THE PRODUCT:
FLASH POINT: Not available
AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE: Not available

NFPA HAZARD CLASSIFICATION
HEALTH:1 FLAMMABILITY: 0 REACTIVITY: 0
OTHER:

HMIS HAZARD CLASSIFICATION
HEALTH:1 FLAMMABILITY: 0 REACTIVITY: 0
PROTECTION:

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Extinguishing media suitable for surrounding fire.
NOT SUITABLE: Do not use water jet.
SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full-face piece operated in a positive pressure mode.
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Nitrogen oxides, Sulfur oxides, Metal oxide/oxides.

SECTION 5 NOTES:

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES:
Small spill and leak: Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble or absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container.
Large spill and leak: Shut off all ignition sources. Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Approach release from upwind. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazard as the spilled product.

SECTION 6 NOTES:

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING: Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Do not ingest. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate.
STORAGE: Store in original container, protected from direct sunlight. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Store at Room Temperature.
SECTION 7 NOTES:

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

ENGINEERING CONTROLS: General mechanical ventilation or laboratory fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and quick drench showers are close to the workstation.
RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.
EYE PROTECTION: Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists or dusts. Recommended: splash goggles
SKIN PROTECTION: Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product. Recommended: lab coat
HANDS: Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Recommended: Neoprene
ENVIRONMENTAL EXPOSURE CONTROLS: Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.
WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES: Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing.
EXPOSURE GUIDELINES: No component of this mixture exceeds exposure limits.
SECTION 8 NOTES:

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE: Dark, reddish purple
ODOR: faint characteristic odor
PHYSICAL STATE: liquid
pH AS SUPPLIED: Not available
BOILING POINT: Not available
MELTING POINT: Not available
FREEZING POINT: Not available
VAPOR PRESSURE (mmHg): Not available
VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1): Not available
EVAPORATION RATE: 0.36%
SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Soluble in water
MOLECULAR WEIGHT: Mixture
VISCOSITY: Not established

SECTION 9 NOTES:

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY: Product is stable under normal conditions of use.
CONDITIONS TO AVOID (STABILITY): Excessive heat
INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIAL TO AVOID): None known
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BY-PRODUCTS: Thermal breakdown of this product during fire or very high heat conditions may evolve the following decomposition products: oxides of carbon.
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: No hazardous polymerization

CONDITIONS TO AVOID (POLYMERIZATION): N/A

SECTION 10 NOTES:

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ACUTE TOXICITY:

Numerical Measures: No data available
Carcinogenicity: (NTP, IARC, OSHA) No component of mixture is a known carcinogen.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System): no data available
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System): no data available
Aspiration hazard: no data available
Potential health effects
Inhalation Harmful if inhaled. May cause dizziness, headache.
Ingestion May cause nausea.
Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin.
Eyes May be irritating to the eyes.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE: Effects due to ingestion may include: Gastrointestinal disturbance, Headache, Nausea, Vomiting, Dizziness.
ROUTES OF ENTRY: Skin/eye contact, inhalation, and ingestion.
TARGET ORGANS: Unknown

SECTION 11 NOTES:

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

TOXICITY:
Acute fish Toxicity (Ethanol)
LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) >10,000 mg/l 96hr
LC50 Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) >13,400 mg/l 96hr
PERSISTANCE AND DEGRADABILITY: Biodegradation is expected
BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL: Bioaccumulation is unlikely.
MOBILITY IN SOIL: No data available
PBT and vPvB ASSESSMENT: Not required.

SECTION 12 NOTES:

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: Unused product: dispose as a regulated hazardous waste. Spent product or spill clean up-follow all provincial, local, state, and federal regulations.
RCRA HAZARD CLASS: Not classified

SECTION 13 NOTES:

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION: NOT REGULATED
TDG: NOT REGULATED
IATA: NOT REGULATED
IMDG/IMP: NOT REGULATED

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

United States

HCS Classification: Irritating material

U.S. Federal regulations:

TSCA 8(a) IUR: Listed on inventory.
United States inventory (TSCA 8b): Listed on inventory.
SARA 302/304/311/312 extremely hazardous substances: No products were found.
SARA 302/304 emergency planning and notification: No products were found.
SARA 302/304/311/312 hazardous chemicals: No products were found.
SARA 311/312 MSDS distribution - chemical inventory - hazard identification:
Ethanol CAS#64-17-5 Acute Health Hazard; Chronic Health Hazard, Fire Hazard
SARA 313 Form R – Reporting: The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313: No products were found.

DEA List I & II Chemicals
(Precursor Chemicals): Not Listed
CERCLA: No products found
RTK STATES: Ethanol CAS#64-17-5 PA, NJ, MA, FL
California Prop. 65
WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm: None

CANADA
WHMIS (Canada): Class D2B: Material causing other toxic effects.

Canadian lists:
CEPA Toxic substances: The following components are listed: None
Canadian ARET: None of the components are listed.
Canadian NPRI: The following components are listed:

CEPA DSL / CEPA NDSL: All components are listed or exempted.
This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

International regulations
International lists:
Australia inventory (AICS): All components are listed or exempted.
China inventory (IECSC): All components are listed or exempted.
Japan inventory: All components are listed or exempted.
Korea inventory: All components are listed or exempted.
New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC): All components are listed or exempted.
Philippines inventory (PICCS): All components are listed or exempted.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)

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