

**SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
METHYLENE BLUE (1% AQUEOUS)

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**Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

**1.1. Product identifier**

**Product name:** METHYLENE BLUE (1% AQUEOUS)

**Product code:** RRSP94

**1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

**Use of substance / mixture:** PC21: Laboratory chemicals.

**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

**Company name:** Atom Scientific Ltd

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Hyde

Manchester

SK14 4GX

**Tel:** 0161 366 5123

**Fax:** 01704 337167

**Email:** technical@atomscientific.com

**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

**Emergency tel:** 07833453806

**Section 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**

**Classification under CLP:** This product has no classification under CLP.

**2.2. Label elements**

**Label elements:** This product has no label elements.

**2.3. Other hazards**

**Other hazards:** No data available.

**PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

**Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

**3.2. Mixtures**

**Hazardous ingredients:**

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ETHANOL

EINECS	CAS	CHIP Classification	CLP Classification	Percent
200-578-6	64-17-5	Substance with a Community workplace exposure limit.	Flam. Liq. 2: H225	1-10%

#### Section 4: First aid measures

##### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**Skin contact:** Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water.

**Eye contact:** Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes.

**Ingestion:** Wash out mouth with water.

**Inhalation:** Consult a doctor.

##### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Skin contact:** There may be mild irritation at the site of contact.

**Eye contact:** There may be irritation and redness.

**Ingestion:** There may be irritation of the throat.

**Inhalation:** No symptoms.

**Delayed / immediate effects:** No data available.

##### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Immediate / special treatment:** Not applicable.

#### Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

##### 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Extinguishing media:** Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used. Use water spray to cool containers.

##### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Exposure hazards:** In combustion emits toxic fumes.

##### 5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

**Advice for fire-fighters:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

#### Section 6: Accidental release measures

##### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions:** Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details. Turn leaking containers leak-side up to prevent the escape of liquid.

##### 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions:** Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

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**6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Clean-up procedures:** Absorb into dry earth or sand. Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by an appropriate method.

**6.4. Reference to other sections**

**Reference to other sections:** Refer to section 8 of SDS.

**Section 7: Handling and storage**

**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

**Handling requirements:** Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

**7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage conditions:** Store in cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

**Suitable packaging:** Not applicable.

**7.3. Specific end use(s)**

**Specific end use(s):** No data available.

**Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

**8.1. Control parameters**

**Hazardous ingredients:**

**ETHANOL**

**Workplace exposure limits:**

**Respirable dust**

State	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL
UK	1920 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	-	-	-

**8.1. DNEL/PNEC Values**

**DNEL / PNEC** No data available.

**8.2. Exposure controls**

**Engineering measures:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

**Respiratory protection:** Respiratory protection not required.

**Hand protection:** Protective gloves.

**Eye protection:** Safety glasses. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

**Skin protection:** Protective clothing.

**Environmental:** No special requirement.

**Section 9: Physical and chemical properties**

**9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

**State:** Liquid

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**9.2. Other information**

**Other information:** Not applicable.

**Section 10: Stability and reactivity**

**10.1. Reactivity**

**Reactivity:** Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

**10.2. Chemical stability**

**Chemical stability:** Stable under normal conditions.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

**Hazardous reactions:** Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.  
Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid**

**Conditions to avoid:** Heat.

**10.5. Incompatible materials**

**Materials to avoid:** Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

**Haz. decomp. products:** In combustion emits toxic fumes.

**Section 11: Toxicological information**

**11.1. Information on toxicological effects**

**Hazardous ingredients:**

**ETHANOL**

IVN	RAT	LD50	1440	mg/kg
ORL	MUS	LD50	3450	mg/kg
ORL	RAT	LD50	7060	mg/kg

**Toxicity values:** No data available.

**Symptoms / routes of exposure**

**Skin contact:** There may be mild irritation at the site of contact.

**Eye contact:** There may be irritation and redness.

**Ingestion:** There may be irritation of the throat.

**Inhalation:** No symptoms.

**Delayed / immediate effects:** No data available.

**Other information:** Not applicable.

**Section 12: Ecological information**

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**12.1. Toxicity**

**Ecotoxicity values:** No data available.

**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

**Persistence and degradability:** Biodegradable.

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No bioaccumulation potential.

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

**Mobility:** Readily absorbed into soil.

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

**PBT identification:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

**12.6. Other adverse effects**

**Other adverse effects:** Negligible ecotoxicity.

**Section 13: Disposal considerations**

**13.1. Waste treatment methods**

**Disposal operations:** Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

**Recovery operations:** Not applicable.

**Disposal of packaging:** Dispose of as unused product.

**NB:** The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal.

**Section 14: Transport information**

**Transport class:** This product does not require a classification for transport.

**Section 15: Regulatory information**

**15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

**Specific regulations:** This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

**15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment**

**Chemical safety assessment:** A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture by the supplier.

**Section 16: Other information**

**Other information**

**Other information:** This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No 453/2010.

\* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

**Phrases used in s.2 and 3:** H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

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