

Section 1. Identification

1.1 Product Identifier 4907

Product Name	CRYSTAL VIOLET 1% SOLUTION
CAS Number	Mixture
REACH Registration No	A registration number is not available as the substance or its uses are exempt, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later date.

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture & uses advised against

Uses of Material	Chemical for industrial and laboratory use. Not suitable for domestic use.
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Section 2. Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to regulation 1272/2008/EC

Serious eye damage/irritation, category 2	H319: Causes serious eye irritation.
Carcinogenicity, category 2	H351: Suspected of causing cancer.
Hazard to aquatic environment, category 2	H411: Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to regulation 1272/2008/EC

Signal word Warning

Hazard Pictograms



Hazard Statements Causes serious eye irritation. Suspected of causing cancer. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements Wash thoroughly after handling. 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 and continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

Section 3. Composition

3.2 Mixtures

Component	CAS No.	EEC No.	REACH No.	Conc w/w	CLP Classification (1272/2008/CE)
Crystal Violet	548-62-9	208-953-6		1%	Acute Tox. 4 (O),Eye Dam. 1,Carc. 2,Aquatic Acute 1,Aquatic Chronic 1

Section 4. First Aid

4.1 Description of first aid measures

Eyes Flush with water for at least 15 minutes & get immediate medical attention.

Skin Thoroughly wash off skin with soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

Inhalation Remove from exposure. If breathing stops or shows signs of failing, apply artificial resuscitation.

Ingestion If conscious wash out mouth with water.

Personal protection for first aiders Wear protective gloves / eye protection.

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

No further relevant information available.

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

No further relevant information available.

Section 5. Fire Fighting

5.1 Extinguishing media

Extinguishing Media Water spray, foam, dry powder or carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable Media Nothing specified.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards Presents no specific fire danger.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Advice for firefighters Consider all other materials in the vicinity.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Protection Presents no major hazards.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental Keep material out of sewers, storm drains, surface waters and soil.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Major Spillage Absorb into dry earth or sand. Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal.

Minor Spillage Contain and absorb on inert material. Transfer absorbent to container for removal.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See section 8.2 for information on protective equipment and section 13 for information on disposal.

Section 7. Storage & Handling

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid direct skin contact.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Well ventilated, cool, dry storage . Keep containers closed when not in use.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2.

Section 8. Workplace Exposure & Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

Component	CAS No	Concentration	Workplace Exposure Limits	
			Long Term (8hr TWA)	Short Term 15min period)
Crystal Violet	548-62-9	1%	-	-

Exposure data source(s) No occupational exposure data currently available.

8.2 Exposure controls

Respiratory Protection	Presents no significant inhalation health hazard.
Hand Protection	Wear gloves.
Eye Protection	Use tightly fitting chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.
Skin Protection	If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.
Special Hazards	No special precautions required.

Section 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Clear purple liquid.
Odour	No specific odour.
pH	Not applicable
Boiling Point	Not specified.
Melting Point	Not specified.
Flash Point	Not applicable
Upper Flammable Limit	Not applicable
Lower Flammable Limit	Not applicable
Auto Ignition	Not applicable
Explosive Properties	No.
Oxidising Properties	No.
Vapour Pressure	Not applicable
Relative Density	1.0000
Water Solubility	Completely miscible in water.

9.2 Other information

No data available.

Section 10. Stability & Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity	No data available.
10.2 Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions
10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions	No data available.
10.4 Conditions to Avoid	No specific conditions.

10.5 Incompatible Materials No specific materials to avoid.

10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Products None unusual.

Section 11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Eyes	The liquid will be irritating to the eyes.
Skin	Stains skin.
LD50 Skin	Not available
Ingestion	Presents no significant hazard by ingestion.
LD50 Oral	Not available
Inhalation	Presents no significant health hazard by inhalation.
LD50 Inhalation	Not available
TCLo	Not available
Carcinogenicity	Possible Carcinogen.
Mutagenicity	Not considered to be a mutagen.
Reproductive Effects	None identified.

Section 12. Ecological

12.1 Toxicity	No environmental hazard is anticipated provided that the material is handled and disposed of with due care and attention.
LC50 Algal	Not available
LC50 Crustacea	Not available
LC50 Fish	Not available
12.2 Persistence and degradability	No data available.
12.3 Bioaccumulative potential	No data available.
12.4 Mobility in soil	No data available.
12.5 Results of PBT & vPvB assessment	Assessment not required.
12.6 Other adverse effects	None known at present.

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Disposal Methods	Use a licensed waste disposer.
Contaminated Packaging	Use a licensed waste disposer.

Section 14. Transport Information

14.1 UN Number	Non-restricted
14.2 Proper Shipping Name	Non-restricted
14.3 Transport classes	
UN classification	None
Subsidiary hazard(s)	None
Transport category	None
ADR Hazard ID	Non-restricted
Tunnel Restriction Code	Non-restricted
14.4 Packing Group	None
14.5 Environment hazards	See section 12.
14.6 Special precautions for user	No special precautions required.
14.7 Transport in bulk	Not transported in bulk.

Section 15. Regulatory Information

15.1 Safety, health and environment regulations specific for substance/mixture.

Classification, Labeling & Packaging of Substances & Mixtures Regulations (1272/2008/CE)

Classification Serious eye damage/irritation, category 2; Carcinogenicity, category 2; Hazard to aquatic environment, category 2

Signal word Warning

Hazard Pictograms



Hazard Statements H319, H351, H411
Causes serious eye irritation. Suspected of causing cancer. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements P264, P280, P305+P351+P338, P337+P313
Wash thoroughly after handling. 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 and continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

Assessment not required.

Section 16. Other Information

The information contained in this document only covers the hazards presented by this material, it DOES NOT constitute a workplace risk assessment. See sections 11 for toxicological information and section 12 for ecological information.

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