

**Safety data sheet**  
**according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31**

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1 Product identifier****Trade name:** Crystal violet, C.I. 42555, indicator, EssentQ®**Article number:** VI0025**CAS Number:**

548-62-9

**EC number:**

208-953-6

**Index number:**

612-204-00-2

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

No further relevant information available.

**Application of the substance / the preparation:** Laboratory reagent**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet****Manufacturer/Supplier:**

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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

GHS08 health hazard

Carc. 2

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.



GHS05 corrosion

Eye Dam. 1

H318 Causes serious eye damage.



GHS09 environment

Aquatic Acute 1 H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

Aquatic Chronic 1 H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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GHS07

Acute Tox. 4

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

### 2.2 Label elements

#### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The substance is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

#### Hazard pictograms



GHS05



GHS07



GHS08



GHS09

#### Signal word Danger

#### Hazard statements

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H318 Causes serious eye damage.

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H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### Precautionary statements

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.

P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

#### 2.3 Other hazards

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Chemical characterisation: Substances

#### CAS No. Description

548-62-9 [4-[4,4'-bis(dimethylamino)benzhydrylidene]cyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene] dimethylammonium chloride

#### Identification number(s)

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#### SVHC

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### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

##### General information:

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

• **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

• **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

##### After eye contact:

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

• **After swallowing:** Call for a doctor immediately.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and 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: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

##### Suitable extinguishing agents:

CO<sub>2</sub>, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

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

No further relevant information available.

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

• **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

• **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions:

Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.

Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

#### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

• **7.1 Precautions for safe handling** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.

• **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

##### Storage:

• **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.

• **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.

• **Further information about storage conditions:** None.

• **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

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### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:** Not required.
- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.
- **8.2 Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**  
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.  
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.  
Avoid contact with the eyes.
- **Respiratory protection:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves**  
The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.
- **Penetration time of glove material**  
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
- **General Information**
- **Appearance:**
  - Form:** Flakes
  - Colour:** White
- **Odour:** Odourless
- **Odour threshold:** Not determined.
- **pH-value:** Not applicable.
- **Change in condition**
  - Melting point/freezing point:** Undetermined.
  - Initial boiling point and boiling range:** Undetermined.
- **Flash point:** Not applicable.

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| • <b>Flammability (solid, gas):</b>                       | Product is not flammable.                     |
| • <b>Decomposition temperature:</b>                       | Not determined.                               |
| • <b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b>                       | Not determined.                               |
| • <b>Explosive properties:</b>                            | Product does not present an explosion hazard. |
| • <b>Explosion limits:</b>                                |   |
| <b>Lower:</b>   | Not determined.                               |
| <b>Upper:</b>   | Not determined.                               |
| • <b>Vapour pressure:</b>                                 | Not applicable.                               |
| • <b>Density at 20 °C:</b>                                | 0.99 g/cm <sup>3</sup>                        |
| • <b>Relative density</b>                                 | Not determined.                               |
| • <b>Vapour density</b>                                   | Not applicable.                               |
| • <b>Evaporation rate</b>                                 | Not applicable.                               |
| • <b>Solubility in / Miscibility with water at 25 °C:</b> | 16 g/l  |
| • <b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:</b>          | Not determined.                               |
| • <b>Viscosity:</b>                                       |   |
| <b>Dynamic:</b>   | Not applicable.                               |
| <b>Kinematic:</b>   | Not applicable.                               |
| • <b>9.2 Other information</b>                            | No further relevant information available.    |

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**  
No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity**  
Harmful if swallowed.
- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**  
Oral LD50 420 mg/kg (rat)
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**  
Causes serious eye damage.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity**  
Suspected of causing cancer.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Ecotoxicological effects:**
- **Remark:** Very toxic for fish
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**  
Water hazard class 3 (German Regulation) (Assessment by list): extremely hazardous for water  
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.  
Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.  
Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.  
Very toxic for aquatic organisms
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**  
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

- **14.1 UN-Number**
  - **ADR, IMDG, IATA**
  - **14.2 UN proper shipping name**
  - **ADR**
  - **IMDG**
  - **IATA**
- UN3077
- 3077 ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. ([4-[4,4'-bis(dimethylamino)benzhydrylidene]cyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene]dimethylammonium chloride)
- ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. ([4-[4,4'-bis(dimethylamino)benzhydrylidene]cyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene]dimethylammonium chloride), MARINE POLLUTANT
- ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. ([4-[4,4'-bis(dimethylamino)benzhydrylidene]cyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene]dimethylammonium chloride)

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**14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**
**ADR, IMDG, IATA**

**Class**

9 Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles.

**Label**

9

**14.4 Packing group**
**ADR, IMDG, IATA**

III

**14.5 Environmental hazards:**
**Marine pollutant:**

Yes (P)

**Special marking (ADR):**

Symbol (fish and tree)

**Special marking (IATA):**

Symbol (fish and tree)

**14.6 Special precautions for user**

Symbol (fish and tree)

Warning: Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles.

**Stowage Category**

A

**Stowage Code**

SW23 When transported in BK3 bulk container, see 7.6.2.12 and 7.7.3.9.

**14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code**

Not applicable.

**Transport/Additional information:**
**ADR**
**Limited quantities (LQ)**

5 kg

**Transport category**

3

**Tunnel restriction code**

E

**UN "Model Regulation":**

UN 3077 ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. ([4-[4,4'-bis(DIMETHYLAMINO)BENZHYDRYLIDENE]CYCLOHEXA-2,5-DIEN-1-YLIDENE] DIMETHYLAMMONIUM CHLORIDE), 9, III

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

**15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
**Directive 2012/18/EU**
**Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I -**
**Seveso category** E1 Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment

**Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements** 100 t

**Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements** 200 t

**REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII** Conditions of restriction: 28, 72

**DIRECTIVE 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment – Annex II**

Substance is not listed.

**National regulations:**
**Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations**
**Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to REACH, Article 57**

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- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

**SECTION 16: Other information**

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

The classification of the mixture is generally based on the calculation method using substance data according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.

- **Department issuing SDS:** product safety department

- **Contact:** msds@scharlab.com

- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

P: Marine Pollutant

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4

Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1

Carc. 2: Carcinogenicity – Category 2

Aquatic Acute 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute aquatic hazard – Category 1

Aquatic Chronic 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - long-term aquatic hazard – Category 1