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(in accordance with regulation (EU) 2015/830 and regulation (EC) 1272/2008)

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Section 1. Identification

1.1	Product Identifier	3153		
	Product Name	METHYLENE BLUE 1% w/v		
	CAS Number REACH Registration No	Mixture 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 Relevent identified uses of the substance or mixure & uses advised against				
	Uses of Material	Chemical for industrial and laboratory use. Not suitable for domestic use.		
1.3	Supplier	Vickers Laboratories Ltd		
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Section 2. Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to regulation 1272/2008/EC

Not classified as hazardous.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to regulation 1272/2008/EC

Not classified as hazardous.

Section 3. Composition

3.2 Mixtures

No hazardous components.

Section 4. First Aid

4.1 Description of first aid measures

Eyes	Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open. If discomfort persists OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Skin	Wash off skin thoroughly with water.
Inhalation	Remove from exposure.
Ingestion	Wash out the patients mouth thoroughly 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	Consider what other flammable materials are present and act accordingly.
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

Enviromental Presents no major environmental hazard.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Major SpillageWash area down with copious amounts of water.Minor SpillageWash area down with copious amounts of water.

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

No specific precautions.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Well ventilated, cool, dry storage .

7.3 Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2.

Section 8. Workplace Exposure & Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

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8.2 Exposure controls

Respiratory Protection	Presents no significant inhalation health hazard.
Hand Protection	Use nitrile gloves or PVC gauntlets.
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 blue solution.
Odour	No specific odour.
pH	7 @ 20°C
Boiling Point	Aqueous solution
Melting Point	Aqueous solution
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 soluble 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	Incompatable Materials	No specific materials to avoid.
10.6	Hazardous Decomposition Products	None.

Section 11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Eyes	The liquid may be mildly irritating to the eye.
Skin	Presents no significant hazard by skin contact.
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	Not considered to be a carcinogen.
Mutagenicity	Not considered to be a mutagen.

Section 12. Ecological

12.1	Toxicity	No specific environmental hazard.
	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 MethodsFlush to drain.Contaminated PackagingUse a licensed waste disposer.

Section 14. Transport Information

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14.1	UN Number	Non-restricted
14.2	Proper Shipping Name	Non-restricted
14.3	Transport classes UN classification Subsidiary hazard(s) Transport category ADR Hazard ID	None None None Non-restricted
14.4	Tunnel Restriction Code	Non-restricted None
	Packing Group	
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 subtance/mixture.

Not classified as hazardous under Classification, Labelling & Packaging of Substances & Mixtures Regulations (1272/2008/CE).

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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