Volu-Sol SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: Sheather's Solution

SYNONYMS: Sheather's Sugar Flotation Solution, Sheather's

sucrose solution

CATALOG CODES: VSP MANUFACTURER: Volu-Sol

ADDRESS: 5095 West 2100 South

Salt Lake City, UT 84120

EMERGENCY PHONE: (800) 535-5053 OTHER CALLS: (801) 974-9474 (801) 974-9553 FAX:

CHEMICAL FAMILY: **CHEMICAL FORMULA:**

PREPARED BY: Volu-Sol

RECOMMENDED USE: Laboratory chemical

RESTRICTIONS ON USE: Use as recommended

SECTION 2: HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:

GHS Classification: Acute Toxicity, Oral (Category 4)

Acute Toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4) Acute Toxicity, Dermal (Category 4) Skin corrosion (Category 1C) Serious eye irritation (Category 2A) Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 3)

GHS LABEL ELEMENTS:

Pictogram: Signal Word:

Hazard Statement(s):

H302+H312+H332 Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if

inhaled

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H319 Causes serious eye irritation

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects H412

Precautionary Statement(s):

P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/

spray

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P273 Avoid release to the environment

P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face

protection

P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/

physician if you feel unwell

P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce

vomiting

P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately

all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with

water/shower

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

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 or doctor/

physician

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you P312

feel unwell

P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid

instruction on this label) Specific measures (see supplemental first aid

instruction on this label) P337+P313

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

P405 Store locked up P501 Dispose of contents/container to an approved

waste disposal plant.

OTHER HAZARDS: -

HMIS Classification:

Health hazard: 3 Chronic health hazard: Flammability: 0 **Physical hazards:** 0

NFPA Rating:

Health hazard: 3 Fire: 0 **Reactivity Hazard:** 0

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENT	CAS NO. EC-NO. Index-NO.		
Sucrose (<75%)	57-50-1 200-334-9		
Phenol (5-10%)	108-95-2 203-632-7 604-001-00-2		

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Consult a physician.

INGESTION: If swallowed, vomiting may occur spontaneously, but DO NOT INDUCE. If vomiting occurs, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration into lungs. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Take victim immediately to hospital. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

SKIN: Immediately flush skin with plenty of soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes, wash before reuse. Consult a physician.

EYE: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a physician.

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

FLAMMABLE LIMITS IN AIR: Percentage by Volume

Upper: -% Lower: -%

FLASH POINT:

AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon

FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: In the event of a fire, wear full protective clothing and NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus with full face piece operated in the pressure demand or other positive pressure mode.

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES: Wear respiratory protection. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. US Regulations (CERCLA) require reporting spills and releases to soil, water and air in excess of reportable quantities. The number to contact the US Coast Guard National Response Center is (800) 424-8802.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING AND STORAGE: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Keep container tightly closed in a dry, cool, and well-ventilated place.

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SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE LIMITS:

Reported in a time-weighted average (TWA)

Component	CAS-No.	Reference	OSHA		ACGIH	
			ppm	mg/m³	ppm	mg/m³
Sucrose 57-	57-50-1	F7 F0 1		15		10
	57-50-1			PEL		TLV
Phenol 108-95-2		5	19	5	19	
	108-95-2		PEL	PEL	TLV	TLV

VENTILATION SYSTEM: Local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep exposure below limits. Local exhaust ventilation is preferred for control of the emissions at its source, preventing dispersion into the general work area. For details please refer to the ACGIH document, *Industrial Ventilation: A Manual of Recommended Practices*.

PERSONAL RESPIRATORS: If exposure limit is exceeded and engineering controls are not feasible, a half-face organic vapour respirator may be worn for up to ten times the exposure limit, or the maximum use concentration specified by the appropriate regulatory agency or respirator supplier; whichever is lowest. A full-face piece organic vapour respirator may be worn up to 50 times the exposure limit, or the maximum use concentration specified by the appropriate regulatory agency or respirator supplier, whichever is lowest. For emergencies or instances where the exposure levels are not known, use a full-face, positive-pressure, air-supplied respirator. WARNING: Air-purifying respirators do not protect workers in oxygen-deficient atmospheres.

SKIN PROTECTION: Wear impervious protective clothing, including boots, gloves, lab coat, apron or coveralls, as appropriate, to prevent skin contact. Use proper glove removal technique to avoid skin contact with this product. Wash and dry hands **EYE PROTECTION:** Use chemical safety goggles and/or a full face shield where splashing is possible. Maintain eye wash fountain and quick-drench facilities in work area.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

CHEMICAL STABILITY: Stable under recommended conditions of use and

torage.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: No data available.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BY-PRODUCTS: No data available.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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Acute Toxicity: No data available. Skin/Eye Irritation: No data available.

Carcinogenicity: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed

human carcinogen by NTP or OSHA.

IARC: 3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans

(Phenol).

ROUTES OF ENTRY: Inhalation/Ingestion/Skin.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Toxicity: No data available

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

PBT/vPvB Results: PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety

assessment not required/not conducted .

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be handled as hazardous waste and sent to a RCRA approved incinerator or disposed in an RCRA approved waste facility. Processing, use, or contamination of this product may change the waste management options. State and local disposal regulations may differ from federal disposal regulations. Dispose of container and unused contents in accordance with federal, state, and local requirements. Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

US DOT
Shipping Name: Phenol Solutions
Hazard Class: 6.1
UN Number: 2821
Packing Group: III

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA 302	108-95-2
SARA 313	108-95-2
SARA 311/312 Hazards	Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard
State	Right to know lists: MA: 57-50-1, 108-95-2 PA: 57-50-1, 108-95-2, 7732-18-5 NJ: 57-50-1, 108-95-2, 7732-18-5 California Prop. 65 Components:

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

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