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SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name Color Developing Solution

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) 2763285

Safety data sheet number M01682

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Laboratory reagent. Laboratory Use.

Uses advised against None.

Restrictions on use None.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer Address

Hach Company, P.O.Box 389, Loveland, CO 80539, USA, +1(970) 669-3050

Emergency telephone number

+1(303) 623-5716 - 24 Hour Service

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A
Reproductive toxicity	Category 1B

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

Label elements

Signal word

Danger



Hazard statements

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H319 - Causes serious eye irritation
H360 - May damage fertility or the unborn child

Precautionary statements

P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, and face protection
P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
P337 + P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention
P201 - Obtain special instructions before use
P308 + P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention
P405 - Store locked up
P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

Other Hazards Known

None

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance

Not applicable

Mixture

Percent ranges are used where confidential product information is applicable.

Chemical name	CAS No.	Percent Range	HMRIC #
N,N-Dimethylformamide	68-12-2	10 - 13%	-

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

General advice	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air.
Eye contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Skin contact	Wash skin with soap and water.
Ingestion	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician.
Self-protection of the first aider	Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms	Burning sensation.
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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians	Treat symptomatically.
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5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Unsuitable Extinguishing Media	Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	No information available.
Hazardous combustion products	This material will not burn.
Special protective equipment for fire-fighters	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

U.S. Notice	Only persons properly qualified to respond to an emergency involving hazardous substances may respond to a spill according to federal regulations (OSHA 29 CFR 1910.120(a)(v)) and per your company's emergency response plan and guidelines/procedures. See Section 13, Special Instructions for disposal assistance. Outside of the US, only persons properly qualified according to state or local regulations should respond to a spill involving chemicals.
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Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions	Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required.
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Other Information	Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.
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Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions	See Section 12 for additional ecological information.
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Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
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Methods for cleaning up	Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal.
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Prevention of secondary hazards	Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.
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Reference to other sections	See section 8 for more information. See section 13 for more information.
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7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes.
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Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions	Store locked up. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.
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Flammability class	Not applicable
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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH
N,N-Dimethylformamide CAS#: 68-12-2	TWA: 5 ppm Sk*	TWA: 10 ppm TWA: 30 mg/m ³ (vacated) TWA: 10 ppm (vacated) TWA: 30 mg/m ³ (vacated) SKN*	IDLH: 500 ppm TWA: 10 ppm TWA: 30 mg/m ³

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls

Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Where reasonably practicable this should be achieved by the use of local exhaust ventilation and good general extraction.

Hand Protection

Wear suitable gloves. Barrier creams may help to protect the exposed areas of skin. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 2016/425 and the standard EN 374 derived from it. Chemical resistant gloves made of butyl rubber or nitrile rubber category III according to EN 374-1:2016.

Eye/face protection

If splashes are likely to occur, wear safety glasses with side-shields.

Skin and body protection

Wear suitable protective clothing. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

General Hygiene Considerations

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

Environmental exposure controls

Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any body of water.

Thermal hazards

None under normal processing.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Liquid	Color	colorless
Appearance	aqueous solution	Odor threshold	No data available
Odor	Odorless		

Property	Values	Remarks • Method
Molecular weight	No data available	
pH	No data available	
Melting point / freezing point	~ -3 °C / 26.6 °F	

Initial boiling point and boiling range	~ 100 °C / 212 °F
Evaporation rate	No data available
Vapor pressure	23.777 mm Hg / 3.17 kPa at 25 °C / 77 °F
Relative vapor density	0.03
Specific gravity - VALUE 1	1.0
Partition coefficient	Not applicable
Soil Organic Carbon-Water Partition Coefficient	Not applicable
Autoignition temperature	No data available
Decomposition temperature	No data available
Dynamic viscosity	No data available
Kinematic viscosity	No data available

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility

<u>Water solubility classification</u>	<u>Water solubility</u>	<u>Water Solubility Temperature</u>
Soluble	> 1000 mg/L	25 °C / 77 °F

Solubility in other solvents

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>Solubility classification</u>	<u>Solubility</u>	<u>Solubility Temperature</u>
None reported	No information available	No data available	No information available

Other information

Corrosive to metals

Steel Corrosion Rate	No data available
Aluminum Corrosion Rate	No data available

Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) Content

Chemical name	CAS No.	Volatile organic compounds (VOC) content	CAA (Clean Air Act)
N,N-Dimethylformamide	68-12-2	No data available	X

Explosive properties

Upper explosion limit	No data available
Lower explosion limit	No data available

Flammable properties

Flash point	No data available
Flammability Limit in Air	No data available

Upper flammability limit:	No data available
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Lower flammability limit:	No data available
Oxidizing properties	No data available.
Bulk density	No data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Not applicable. None under normal use conditions.

Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing.

Hazardous polymerization

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

None known based on information supplied.

Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, and strong bases.

Hazardous decomposition products

Nitrogen oxides. Carbon dioxide. Carbon monoxide.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

Inhalation	May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
Eye contact	Causes serious eye irritation. May cause redness, itching, and pain.
Skin contact	May cause irritation. Prolonged contact may cause redness and irritation.
Ingestion	Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.
Symptoms	May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.

Acute toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Acute Toxicity Data

No data available.

Chemical name	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Exposure time	Toxicological effects	Key literature references and sources for data
N,N-Dimethylformamide (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2	Rat LD ₅₀	2800 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	IUCLID
N,N-Dimethylformamide (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2	Rat LD ₅₀	1100 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	IUCLID
N,N-Dimethylformamide (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2	Rat LC ₅₀	> 5.9 mg/L	4 hours	None reported	IUCLID

Unknown Acute Toxicity

0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

Acute Toxicity Estimations (ATE)

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral)	No information available mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal)	No information available
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)	15.00 mg/l
ATEmix (inhalation-vapor)	110.00 mg/l
ATEmix (inhalation-gas)	No information available

Skin corrosion/irritation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Skin Corrosion/Irritation Data

No data available.

Chemical name	Test method	Species	Reported dose	Exposure time	Results	Key literature references and sources for data
N,N-Dimethylformamide (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2	Standard Draize Test	Human	1000 mg	None reported	Mild skin irritant	RTECS

Serious eye damage/irritation

Classification based on data available for ingredients. Irritating to eyes.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Data

No data available.

Chemical name	Test method	Species	Reported dose	Exposure time	Results	Key literature references and sources for data
N,N-Dimethylformamide	Rinse Test	Rabbit	100 mg	None reported	Corrosive to eyes	RTECS

de (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2						
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Respiratory or skin sensitization

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Sensitization Data

No data available.

Chemical name	Test method	Species	Results	Key literature references and sources for data
N,N-Dimethylformamide (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2	OECD Test No. 406: Skin Sensitization	Guinea pig	Not confirmed to be a skin sensitizer	IUCLID

STOT - single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Specific Target Organ Toxicity Single Exposure Data

No data available.

STOT - repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeat Exposure Data

No data available.

Carcinogenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Carcinogenicity Data

No data available.

Chemical name	CAS No.	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
N,N-Dimethylformamide	68-12-2	A3	Group 2A	-	X

Legend

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)	Does not apply
IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)	Group 3 - Not Classifiable as to Carcinogenicity in Humans Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans
NTP (National Toxicology Program)	Does not apply
OSHA	X - Present

Germ cell mutagenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Mixture invitro Data
No data available.

Substance invitro Data
No data available.

Chemical name	Test	Cell Strain	Reported dose	Exposure time	Results	Key literature references and sources for data
N,N-Dimethylformamide (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2	Mutation in microorganisms	<i>Salmonella typhimurium</i>	None reported	None reported	Negative	RTECS

Mixture invitivo Data
No data available.

Substance invitivo Data
No data available.

Reproductive toxicity

Classification based on data available for ingredients. Contains a known or suspected reproductive toxin. The table below indicates ingredients above the cut-off threshold considered as relevant which are listed as reproductive toxins.

Mixture

No data available.

Ingredient Reproductive Toxicity Data

No data available.

Chemical name	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Exposure time	Toxicological effects	Key literature references and sources for data
N,N-Dimethylformamide (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2	Mouse TD _{Lo}	50 mg/L	6 hours	Paternal Effects Spermatogenesis (including genetic material, sperm morphology, motility, and count)	RTECS

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Unknown aquatic toxicity 0% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

Mixture

Aquatic Acute Toxicity
No data available.

Aquatic Chronic Toxicity
No data available.

Substance

Aquatic Acute Toxicity
No data available.

Chemical name	Exposure time	Species	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Key literature references and sources for data
N,N-Dimethylformamide	96 hours	<i>Lepomis macrochirus</i>	LC ₅₀	7100 mg/L	PEEN

de (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2					
Chemical name	Exposure time	Species	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Key literature references and sources for data
N,N-Dimethylformamide (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2	48 Hours	<i>Daphnia magna</i>	EC ₅₀	7500 mg/L	PEEN

Aquatic Chronic Toxicity

No data available.

Persistence and degradability

Mixture

No data available.

Bioaccumulation

There is no data for this product

Mixture

No data available.

Partition coefficient

Not applicable

Mobility

Soil Organic Carbon-Water Partition Coefficient

Not applicable

Other adverse effects

No information available

Chemical name	EU - Endocrine Disruptors Candidate List	EU - Endocrine Disruptors - Evaluated Substances	Endocrine disrupting potential
N,N-Dimethylformamide (10 - 13%) CAS#: 68-12-2	Group III Chemical	-	-

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging

Do not reuse empty containers.

Special instructions for disposal

Dispose of material in an E.P.A. approved hazardous waste facility.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

Not regulated

TDG Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

IMDG Not regulated

Note: No special precautions necessary.

Additional information

There is a possibility that this product could be contained in a reagent set or kit composed of various compatible dangerous goods. If the item is not in a reagent set or kit, the classification given above applies.

If the item is part of a reagent set or kit the classification would change to the following:

UN3316 Chemical Kit, Hazard Class 9, Packing Group II or III.

If the item is not regulated, the Chemical Kit classification does not apply.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

National Inventories

For Inventory status, "complies" means, listed on the inventory, exempted or otherwise complies.

TSCA Complies
DSL/NDSL Complies

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

International Inventories

EINECS/ELINCS	Complies
ENCS	Complies
IECSC	Complies
KECI	Complies
PICCS	Complies
TCSI	Complies
AICS	Complies
NZIoC	Complies

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substances Inventory

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
N,N-Dimethylformamide (CAS #: 68-12-2)	0.1

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	Yes
Fire hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

Chemical name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
N,N-Dimethylformamide 68-12-2	100 lb	-	RQ 100 lb final RQ RQ 45.4 kg final RQ

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals

Chemical name	California Proposition 65
N,N-Dimethylformamide (CAS #: 68-12-2)	Carcinogen



WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including N,N-Dimethylformamide, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer.

For more information, go to <http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov>

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

This product may contain substances regulated by state right-to-know regulations.

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
N,N-Dimethylformamide 68-12-2	X	X	X

U.S. EPA Label Information

16. OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OF THE LAST REVISION

Special Comments

None

Additional information

Global Automotive Declarable Substance List (GADSL)

Chemical name	Global Automotive Declarable Substance List Classifications	Global Automotive Declarable Substance List Threshholds
N,N-Dimethylformamide 68-12-2	Declarable Substance (LR) Prohibited Substance (LR)	0.3 %

NFPA and HMIS Classifications

NFPA	Health hazards - 2	Flammability - 0	Instability - 0	Physical and chemical properties -
HMIS	Health hazards - 2 - *	Flammability - 0	Physical hazards - 0	Personal protection - X - I

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

ACGIH	ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)
ATSDR	ATSDR (Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry)
CCCRIS	CCCRIS (Chemical Carcinogenesis Research Information System)
CDC	CDC (Center for Disease Control)
CEPA	CEPA (Canadian Environmental Protection Agency)
CICAD	CICAD (Concise International Chemical Assessment Documents)
ECHA	ECHA (The European Chemicals Agency)
EEA	EEA (European Environment Agency)
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
ERMA	ERMA (New Zealand's Environmental Risk Management Authority)
ECOSARS	Estimation through ECOSARS v1.11 part of the Estimation Programs Interface (EPI) Suite™
FDA	FDA (Food & Drug Administration)
GESTIS	GESTIS (Information System on Hazardous Substances of the German Social Accident Insurance)
HSDB	HSDB (Hazardous Substances Data Bank)
INERIS	INERIS (The National Industrial Environment and Risks Institute)
IPCS INCHEM	IPCS INCHEM (International Programme on Chemical Safety)
IUCLID	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)
NITE	Japan National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)
NIH	NIH (National Institutes of Health)
NIOSH	NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)
LOLI	LOLI (List of Lists - An International Chemical Regulatory Database)
NDF	no data
NICNAS	Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)
NIOSH IDLH	Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor
PEEN	PEEN (Pan European Ecological Network)
RTECS	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)
SIDS	SIDS (Screening Information Dataset) for High Volume Chemicals
SYKE	The Finnish Environment Institute (SYKE)
USDA	USDA (United States Department of Agriculture)
USDC	USDC (United States Department of Commerce)
WHO	WHO (World Health Organization)

Legend - Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
MAC	Maximum Allowable Concentration	Ceiling	Ceiling Limit Value
X	Listed	Vacated	These values have no official status. The only binding levels of contaminants are those listed in the final OSHA PEL. These lists are for reference purposes only. Please note that some reference state regulations of these "liberated" exposure limits in their state regulations.
SKN*	Skin designation	SKN+	Skin sensitization
RSP+	Respiratory sensitization	**	Hazard Designation
C	Carcinogen	R	Reproductive toxicant
M	mutagen		

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