# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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## SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

# **Bromine**

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CHEMTREC Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300 Signal Word DANGER

Pictograms

## SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, inhalation (Category 1). Fatal if inhaled (H330).

Hazard class: Skin corrosion or irritation (Category 1). Causes severe skin burns and eye damage (H314).

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, oral (Category 5). May be harmful if swallowed (H303).



SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Bromine	7726-95-6	$\mathrm{Br}_2$	159.83	

## **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician (P311).

If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing (P304+P340).

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contacts if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing (P305+P351+P338). If on skin (or hair): Immediately remove all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water (P303+P361+P353). Wash contaminated clothing before reuse (P363).

**If swallowed:** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting (P301+P330+P331).

# **SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Noncombustible liquid. Will react with water or steam to produce toxic and corrosive fumes.	NFPA CODE
Strong oxidizer; heat of reaction may ignite combustibles on contact.	H-3
When heated to decomposition, may emit toxic fumes.	F-0
In case of fire: Use tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.	R-0
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## **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Remove all ignition sources and ventilate area. Contain the spill with sand or other inert absorbent material and cover spill with a reducing material such as sodium thiosulfate. Deposit in a sealed bag or container. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

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## **SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Inorganic #2. Store with acetates, halides, sulfates, sulfates, thiosulfates, and phosphates. Store in a cool, dry place. Store in a Flinn Chem-Saf<sup>TM</sup> bag inside a Flinn Saf-Stor<sup>TM</sup> can. Keep container tightly closed (P233). Use only in a hood or in a well-ventilated area (P271). Do not breathe vapors (P260).

# SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection (P280). Wash thoroughly after handling (P264). Use only in a hood or in a well-ventilated area (P271). Wear respiratory protection (P284).

Exposure guidelines: PEL 0.1 ppm (OSHA) TLV 0.1 ppm Ceiling 0.2 ppm (ACGIH)

# **SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Dark, reddish-brown, fuming liquid. Pungent odor.

Soluble: Most common organic solvents. Slightly in water.

Specific gravity: 3.1

Vapor density: 7.14

## **SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Very strong oxidizing agent; heat of reaction may ignite combustible materials on contact. Avoid contact with all other laboratory chemicals. Will react with water or steam to produce toxic and corrosive fumes.

Shelf life: As packaged, excellent. This is meant to be a one time use product.

## **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute effects: Highly toxic, harmful vapor, lachrymator, and ORL-RAT LD<sub>50</sub>: 2600 mg/kg corrosive.

ORL-RAT LD<sub>50</sub>: 2700 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Chronic effects: N.A. SKN-RBT LD<sub>50</sub>: N.A.

Target organs: Respiratory system, eyes & central nervous system.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

#### **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxic to fish and other aquatic organisms. LC<sub>50</sub> (rainbow trout) 0.31 mg/L (24 hr). LC<sub>50</sub> (water flea) 1.07 mg/L (48 hr).

# **SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #12a is one option.

## **SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Shipping name: Bromine. Hazard class: 8, Corrosive, Poison. UN number: UN1744.

N/A = Not applicable

# **SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (231-778-1), RCRA code D002, D003.

# SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION

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