Classified according to WHMIS 2015

### **SECTION 1: Identification**

#### 1.1. Product Identifier

Trade Name or Designation: Hydrogen Sulfide Water, Saturated

**Product Number: 3850** 

Other Identifying Product Numbers: 3850-16, 3850-32, 3850-4

#### 1.2. Recommended Use and Restrictions on Use

General Laboratory Reagent

#### 1.3. Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Company: Ricca Chemical Company Address: 448 West Fork Drive

Arlington, TX 76012 USA

Telephone: 888-467-4222

#### 1.4. Emergency Telephone Number (24 hours)

CHEMTREC (USA) 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (International) 1+ 703-527-3887

#### **SECTION 2: Hazard(s) Identification**

#### 2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

For the full text of the Hazard and Precautionary Statements listed below, see Section 16.

Hazard Class	Category	Hazard Statements	Precautionary Statements:
Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment (Acute)	Category 3	H402	P273, P501

#### 2.2. GHS Label Elements

**Pictograms:** 

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#### Signal Word:

#### **Hazard Statements:**

Hazard Number	Hazard Statement
H402	Harmful to aquatic life.

#### **Precautionary Statements:**

Precautionary Number	Precautionary Statement	
P273 Avoid release to the environment.		
P501	Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.	

#### 2.4. Hazards not Otherwise Classified or Covered by GHS

Data not available.

# **SECTION 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients**

#### 3.1. Components of Substance or Mixture

Chemical Name	Formula	Molecular Weight CAS Number	Weight%
Water	H <sub>2</sub> O	18.01 g/mol 7732-18-5	99.60
Hydrogen Sulfide	H₂S	34.08 g/mol 7783-06-4	0.40

# **SECTION 4: First-Aid Measures**

#### 4.1. General First Aid Information

**Eye Contact:** May cause irritation, redness, pain, and tearing.

**Inhalation:** Not expected to require first aid. If necessary, remove to fresh air.

**Skin Contact:** May cause irritation, redness, and pain.

**Ingestion:** Dilute with water or milk. Vomiting may occur spontaneously but do not induce. Call a physician immediately.

#### 4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

WARNING! Poisonous fumes and liquid. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapor. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. If ingested, give large quantity of water and call a physician. Wash areas of contact with plenty of water. For eyes, get medical attention. EYE CONTACT: May cause irritation, redness, pain, and tearing. SKIN CONTACT: May cause irritation, redness, and pain. CHRONIC EFFECTS / CARCINOGENICITY: May result in headaches, inflammation of the conjunctivae and eyelids, digestive disturbances, weight loss and general debility.

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### 4.3. Medical Attention or Special Treatment Needed

Irrigate immediately with large quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops. Remove to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Observe 48 hours for lung effects. Wash areas of contact with soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops. Dilute with water or milk. Vomiting may occur spontaneously but do not induce. Call a physician immediately.

### **SECTION 5: Fire-Fighting Measures**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing Media

Use any means suitable for extinguishing surrounding fire.

#### 5.2. Specific Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

Not considered to be a fire or explosion hazard.

#### 5.3. Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters

Wear full protective clothing and NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus with full facepiece operated in the pressure demand or other positive pressure mode.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures**

#### 6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Wear appropriate PPE for the size and nature of the spill. As a general rule, wear safety glasses and gloves.

#### 6.2. Cleanup and Containment Methods and Materials

Eliminate all sources of ignition. Ventilate area. Allow to vaporize. Wash area with Sodium Bicarbonate.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and Storage**

#### 7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling and Storage Conditions

As with all chemicals, wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Protect from freezing and physical damage. Keep tightly capped. Store in the refrigerator.

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# **SECTION 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

#### **8.1 Control Parameters**

Chemical Name	Limit Type	Count	ry Exposure Limit	Information Source
Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)	TLV-STEL	USA	5 ppm STEL	ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values -
				Short Term Exposure Limits
				(TLV-STEL)
Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)	TLV-TWA	USA	1 ppm TWA	ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Time
				Weighted Averages (TLV-TWA)
Hydrogen Sulfide (7783-06-4)	PEL-Ceiling	USA	20 ppm Ceiling	U.S OSHA - Final PELs - Ceiling
				Limits

#### 8.2. Exposure Controls

**Engineering Controls:** Work in fume hood.

Respiratory Protection: If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits, an

approved respirator with a multi gas cartridge can be used for escape purposes only.

**Skin Protection:** Chemical resistant gloves. **Eye Protection:** Safety glasses or goggles.

#### 8.3. Personal Protective Equipment

If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits, an approved respirator with a multi gas cartridge can be used for escape purposes only. Chemical resistant gloves. Safety glasses or goggles.

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### **SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

#### 9.1. Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: Colorless liquid

Physical State: Liquid

Odor: Data not available.

Odor Threshold: Data not available.

**pH:** 4.5

Melting/Freezing Point: 0.0°C

Initial Boiling Point/Range: 100°C - 100°C

Flash Point: Data not available.

Evaporation Rate: Data not available.

Flammability: Data not available.

Flammability/Explosive Limits: Data not available.

Vapor Pressure: Data not available.

Vapor Density: Data not available.

Relative Density: 1.00

Solubility: Miscible

Partition Coefficient: Data not available.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Data not available.

**Decomposition Temperature:** Data not available.

Viscosity: Data not available.

**Explosive Properties:** Data not available.

Oxidizing Properties: Data not available.

# **SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity**

#### 10.1. Reactivity and Chemical Stability

This solution is not stable. Turbidity or precipitation of Sulfur due to air oxidation is normal with aging.

#### 10.2. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Data not available.

#### 10.3. Conditions to Avoid and Incompatible Materials

Elevated temperatures, strong oxidizers, metals. Attacks some forms of rubber, plastics and coatings.

#### 10.4. Hazardous Decomposition Products

Will not occur.

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### **SECTION 11: Toxicological Information**

### 11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects

#### **Acute Toxicity - Oral Exposure:**

Not applicable.

#### **Acute Toxicity - Dermal Exposure:**

Not applicable.

#### **Acute Toxicity - Inhalation Exposure:**

Not applicable.

#### **Acute Toxicity - Other Information:**

LC50, Inhalation, Rat: 444 ppm (Hydrogen Sulfide), respiratory, gastrointestinal and bladder effects noted. LCLo, Inhalation, Human: (Hydrogen Sulfide) 800 ppm/5 M, details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value. Odor is perceptable at concentrations of 0.02 - 0.13 ppm.

#### **Skin Corrosion and Irritation:**

Not applicable.

#### Serious Eye Damage and Irritation:

Not applicable.

#### **Respiratory Sensitization:**

Not applicable.

#### **Skin Sensitization:**

Not applicable.

#### Germ Cell Mutagenicity:

Not applicable.

#### Carcinogenicity:

Not applicable.

#### **Reproductive Toxicity:**

Not applicable.

#### **Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Single Exposure:**

Not applicable.

#### **Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Repeated Exposure:**

Not applicable.

#### **Aspiration Hazard:**

Not applicable.

#### **Additional Toxicology Information:**

Data not available.

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# **SECTION 12: Ecological Information**

#### 12.1. Ecotoxicity

Harmful to aquatic life. Avoid release to the environment. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

### 12.2. Persistence and Degradability

Data not available.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

Data not available.

#### 12.4. Mobility in Soil

Data not available.

#### 12.5. Other Adverse Ecological Effects

Data not available.

### **SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste Treatment Methods

Add to a large volume of Ferric Chloride solution with stirring. Add more Ferric Chloride if necessary. After reduction is complete, add soda ash with stirring until neutral. Wash down drain with excess water. Always dispose of in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

# **SECTION 14: Transportation Information**

### 14.1. Transportation by Land-Department of Transportation (DOT, United States of America)

Sizes: 1 L, 120 mL, 500 mL

UN Number: UN3287

Proper Shipping Name: Toxic Liquid, Inorganic, n.o.s. (Hydrogen Sulphide)

Hazard Class: 6.1

Packing Group: |||

Hazard Label(s):



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#### 14.2. Transportation by Air - International Air Transport Association (IATA)

**Sizes:** 1 L, 120 mL, 500 mL

UN Number: UN3287

**Proper Shipping Name:** Toxic Liquid, Inorganic, n.o.s. (Hydrogen Sulphide)

Hazard Class: 6.1

Packing Group: |||

Hazard Label(s):



#### 14.3 Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG, Canada)

**Sizes:** 1 L, 120 mL, 500 mL

UN Number: UN3287

**Proper Shipping Name:** TOXIC LIQUID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (hydrogen sulphide)

Hazard Class: 6.1

Packing Group: |||

Hazard Label(s):



# **SECTION 15: Regulatory Information**

# 15.1. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Hazards

Not listed.

15.2. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): 100 lb EPCRA RQ Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): 500 lb TPQ

# 15.3. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 311/312 Hazardous Chemicals Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): 100 lb final RQ; 45.4 kg final RQ

### 15.4. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 313 Toxic Release Inventory (TRI)

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): 1.0 % de minimis concentration

#### 15.5. Massachusetts Right-to-Know Substance List

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): Extraordinarily hazardous

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#### 15.6. Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Hazardous Substances

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): "Present" As Ethyl alcohol and water [RR-00802-6]

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): Environmental hazard

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): Present

#### 15.7. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Components

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): flammable - fourth degree

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): sn 1017

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): SN 1017 500 lb TPQ

#### 15.8. California Proposition 65

Not listed.

#### 15.9. Canada Domestic Substances List / Non-Domestic Substances List (DSL/NDSL)

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present (DSL)

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): Present (DSL)

#### 15.10. United States of America Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) List

All components of this solution are listed as active on the TSCA Inventory or are mixtures (hydrates) of active items listed on the TSCA Inventory.

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present (ACTIVE)

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): Present (ACTIVE)

# 15.11. European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS), European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS), and No Longer Polymers (NLP)

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): 231-791-2

Hydrogen Sulfide (CAS # 7783-06-4): 231-977-3

#### SECTION 16: Other Information

#### 16.1. Full Text of Hazard Statements and Precautionary Statements

Harmful to aquatic life.

Avoid release to the environment.

Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

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#### 16.2. Miscellaneous Hazard Classes

Canadian Carcinogenicity Hazard Class: Not Applicable.

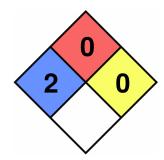
Physical Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (PHNOC): Not Applicable.

Health Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HHNOC): Not Applicable.

Biohazardous Infectious Materials Hazard Class: Not Applicable.

### 16.3. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Rating

Health: 2
Flammability: 0
Reactivity: 0
Special Hazard:



#### 16.4. Document Revision

Last Revision Date: 2023-09-11

#### **DISCLAIMER**

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