



## Safety Data Sheet

Classified according to WHMIS 2015

### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Product Identifier

**Trade Name or Designation:** Phenolphthalein Indicator, 1% (w/v) in Pyridine

**Product Number:** 5627

**Other Identifying Product Numbers:** 5627-100, 5627-16, 5627-32

#### 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

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## 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:
Acute Toxicity - Oral	Category 4	H302	P264, P270, P301+P312, P330, P501
Acute Toxicity - Dermal	Category 4	H312	P280, P302+P352, P312, P321, P362, P501
Acute Toxicity - Inhalation	Category 4	H332	P261, P271, P304+P340, P312
Skin Corrosion / Irritation	Category 2	H315	P264, P280, P302+P352, P321, P332+P313, P362
Eye Damage / Irritation	Category 2	H319	P264, P280, P305+P351+P338, P337+P313
Germ Cell Mutagenicity	Category 2	H341	P201, P202, P280, P308+P313, P405, P501
Carcinogenicity	Category 1	H350	P201, P202, P280, P308+P313, P405, P501
Reproductive Toxicity	Category 2	H361	P201, P202, P280, P308+P313, P405, P501
Specific Target Organs/Systemic Toxicity Following Repeated Exposure	Category 2	H373	P260, P314, P501
Flammable Liquids	Category 2	H225	P210, P233, P240, P241, P242, P243, P280, P303+P361+P353, P370+P378, P403+P235, P501

### 2.2. GHS Label Elements

Pictograms:



Signal Word: **Danger**

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### Hazard Statements:

Hazard Number	Hazard Statement
H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H312	Harmful in contact with skin.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H332	Harmful if inhaled.
H341	Suspected of causing genetic defects.
H350	May cause cancer.
H361	Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

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**Precautionary Statements:**

Precautionary Number	Precautionary Statement
P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P210	Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. No smoking.
P233	Keep container tightly closed.
P240	Ground container and receiving equipment.
P241	Use explosion-proof equipment.
P242	Use only non-sparking tools.
P243	Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
P260	Do not breathe fumes, mist, vapors, or spray.
P261	Avoid breathing fumes, mist, vapors, or spray.
P264	Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280	Wear protective gloves and eye protection.
P301+P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep 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.
P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention.
P312	Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.
P314	Get medical attention if you feel unwell.
P321	Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water).
P330	Rinse mouth.
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.
P362	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P370+P378	In case of fire: Use dry chemical, foam or carbon dioxide to extinguish.
P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P405	Store locked up.
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.

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## SECTION 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients

### 3.1. Components of Substance or Mixture

Chemical Name	Formula	Molecular Weight	CAS Number	Weight%
Pyridine	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>5</sub> N	79.09 g/mol	110-86-1	98.98
Phenolphthalein	C <sub>20</sub> H <sub>14</sub> O <sub>4</sub>	318.32 g/mol	77-09-8	1.02

## SECTION 4: First-Aid Measures

### 4.1. General First Aid Information

**Eye Contact:** IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. May cause irritation with burning and stinging with possible damage to the cornea and conjunctiva.

**Inhalation:** IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

**Skin Contact:** IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. May cause irritation, redness and pain. Absorption through skin may occur with toxic effects similar to inhalation.

**Ingestion:** IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell. Dilute immediately with water or milk. Induce vomiting. Call a physician.

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

Harmful if swallowed. Harmful in contact with skin. Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. Harmful if inhaled. Suspected of causing genetic defects. May cause cancer. Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Danger! Harmful or fatal if swallowed. Harmful if inhaled or absorbed through skin. Causes severe irritation of the respiratory system, skin and eyes. Affects central nervous system, liver and kidneys. If ingested, give large quantity of water and induce vomiting. Call a physician. Wash areas of contact with soap and water. EYE CONTACT: May cause irritation with burning and stinging with possible damage to the cornea and conjunctiva. SKIN CONTACT: May cause irritation, redness and pain. Absorption through skin may occur with toxic effects similar to inhalation.

### 4.3. Medical Attention or Special Treatment Needed

Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). 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. Wash areas of contact with soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops. Dilute immediately with water or milk. Induce vomiting. Call a physician.

## SECTION 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing Media

In case of fire: Use dry chemical, foam or carbon dioxide to extinguish. Alcohol foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide Water may be ineffective due to the low flash point.

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

Highly flammable liquid and vapor. Flammable liquid. Vapors are heavier than air and may travel to a source of ignition and flash back. Products of combustion include carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, and oxides of nitrogen.

## 5.3. Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters

Wear special protective clothing and positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus. Butyl rubber barrier recommended.

## SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

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

Ground container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

### 6.2. Cleanup and Containment Methods and Materials

Eliminate all ignition sources. Stop or control the leak, if this can be done without undue risk. Use water spray to cool and disperse vapors, protect personnel, and dilute spills to form nonflammable mixtures. Control runoff and isolate discharged material for proper disposal.

## SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

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

Store locked up. As with all chemicals, wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Protect from freezing and physical damage. Store in secure, flammable storage area away from all sources of ignition. Empty containers may be hazardous since they retain product residues.

## SECTION 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

### 8.1 Control Parameters

Chemical Name	Limit Type	Country	Exposure Limit	Information Source
Pyridine (110-86-1)	TWA	USA	5 ppm TWA; 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA	U.S. - OSHA - Final PELs - Time Weighted Averages (TWAs)
Pyridine (110-86-1)	TLV-TWA	USA	1 ppm TWA	ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Time Weighted Averages (TLV-TWA)

### 8.2. Exposure Controls

**Engineering Controls:** Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures below the Airborne Exposure Limit.

**Respiratory Protection:** Normal room ventilation is adequate. If the exposure limit is exceeded, a full facepiece respirator with organic vapor cartridge may be worn.

**Skin Protection:** Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Chemical resistant gloves.

**Eye Protection:** Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Safety glasses or goggles.



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### 8.3. Personal Protective Equipment

Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Normal room ventilation is adequate. If the exposure limit is exceeded, a full facepiece respirator with organic vapor cartridge may be worn. Chemical resistant gloves. Safety glasses or goggles.

## SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

### 9.1. Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

**Appearance:** Colorless to light yellow liquid

**Physical State:** Liquid

**Odor:** Penetrating, disagreeable, fishy

**Odor Threshold:** Data not available.

**pH:** 8.5 (0.2 M in water)

**Melting/Freezing Point:** -42°C

**Initial Boiling Point/Range:** 115 - 116°C

**Flash Point:** 20°C

**Evaporation Rate:** Data not available.

**Flammability:** Data not available.

**Flammability/Explosive Limits:** Data not available.

**Vapor Pressure:** 20 mmHg at 25°C

**Vapor Density:** 2.73

**Relative Density:** 0.98

**Solubility:** Soluble

**Partition Coefficient:** 0.65

**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

Stable under normal conditions of use and storage.

### 10.2. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Data not available.

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### 10.3. Conditions to Avoid and Incompatible Materials

Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. No smoking. Keep container tightly closed. Strong oxidizers (such as Chlorine, Bromine, Fluorine), strong acids (such as Hydrochloric, Sulfuric, Nitric), heat, sparks, open flame.

### 10.4. Hazardous Decomposition Products

Will not occur.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

### 11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects

#### Acute Toxicity - Oral Exposure:

Harmful if swallowed. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

#### Acute Toxicity - Dermal Exposure:

Harmful in contact with skin. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

#### Acute Toxicity - Inhalation Exposure:

Harmful if inhaled. Avoid breathing fumes, mist, vapors, or spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.

#### Acute Toxicity - Other Information:

LD50, Oral, Rat: (Pyridine) 891 mg/kg, behavioral and sense organ effects noted, (Phenolphthalein) >1000 mg/kg, details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value. LC50, Inhalation, Rat (Pyridine): 28500 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/1-hour.

#### Skin Corrosion and Irritation:

Causes skin irritation. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

#### Serious Eye Damage and Irritation:

Causes serious eye irritation. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.

#### Respiratory Sensitization:

Not applicable.

#### Skin Sensitization:

Not applicable.

#### Germ Cell Mutagenicity:

Suspected of causing genetic defects. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention. Store locked up. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.





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**Carcinogenicity:**

May cause cancer. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention. Store locked up. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

**Reproductive Toxicity:**

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention. Store locked up. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

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

Not applicable.

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

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Do not breathe fumes, mist, vapors, or spray. Get medical attention if you feel unwell. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

**Aspiration Hazard:**

Not applicable.

**Additional Toxicology Information:**

Data not available.

### SECTION 12: Ecological Information

**12.1. Ecotoxicity**

Not applicable.

**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**

Data not available.

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## SECTION 14: Transportation Information

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

**Sizes:** 1 L, 100 mL, 500 mL

**UN Number:** UN1282

**Proper Shipping Name:** Pyridine Solution

**Hazard Class:** 3

**Packing Group:** II

**Hazard Label(s):**



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

**Sizes:** 1 L, 100 mL, 500 mL

**UN Number:** UN1282

**Proper Shipping Name:** Pyridine Solution

**Hazard Class:** 3

**Packing Group:** II

**Hazard Label(s):**



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

**Sizes:** 1 L, 100 mL, 500 mL

**UN Number:** UN1282

**Proper Shipping Name:** PYRIDINE SOLUTION

**Hazard Class:** 3

**Packing Group:** II

**Hazard Label(s):**



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### 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

Not listed.

#### 15.3. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 311/312 Hazardous Chemicals

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): 1000 lb final RQ; 454 kg final RQ

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

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): 1.0 % de minimis concentration

Phenolphthalein (CAS # 77-09-8): 0.1 % de minimis concentration

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

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): Present

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

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): Environmental hazard

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): Present

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

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): flammable - third degree

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): sn 1624

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): SN 1624 500 lb TPQ

Phenolphthalein (CAS # 77-09-8): carcinogen

Phenolphthalein (CAS # 77-09-8): sn 4110

Phenolphthalein (CAS # 77-09-8): SN 4110 500 lb TPQ

#### 15.8. California Proposition 65

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): carcinogen, 5/17/2002

Phenolphthalein (CAS # 77-09-8): carcinogen, 5/15/1998

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

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): Present (DSL)

Phenolphthalein (CAS # 77-09-8): 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.**

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): Present (ACTIVE)

Phenolphthalein (CAS # 77-09-8): Present (ACTIVE)

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

Pyridine (CAS # 110-86-1): 203-809-9

Phenolphthalein (CAS # 77-09-8): 201-004-7

## SECTION 16: Other Information

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

Highly flammable liquid and vapor. Harmful if swallowed. Harmful in contact with skin. Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. Harmful if inhaled. Suspected of causing genetic defects. May cause cancer. Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. No smoking. Keep container tightly closed. Ground container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Do not breathe fumes, mist, vapors, or spray. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell. IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention. Get medical attention if you feel unwell. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). Rinse mouth. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention. If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. In case of fire: Use dry chemical, foam or carbon dioxide to extinguish.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Store locked up.

### 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.

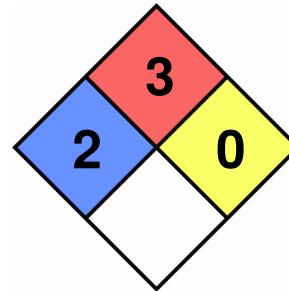
**Biohazardous Infectious Materials Hazard Class:** Not Applicable.



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

Health: 2  
Flammability: 3  
Reactivity: 0  
Special Hazard:



### 16.4. Document Revision

Last Revision Date: 2023-09-11

## DISCLAIMER

When handled properly by qualified personnel, the product described herein does not present a significant health or safety hazard. Alteration of its characteristics by concentration, evaporation, addition of other substances, or other means may present hazards not specifically addressed herein and which must be evaluated by the user. The information furnished herein is believed to be accurate and represents the best data currently available to us. No warranty, expressed or implied, is made and RICCA CHEMICAL COMPANY assumes no legal responsibility or liability whatsoever resulting from its use.