# Safety Data Sheet

**RO-250** 

# 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name RO-250

**Description** Proprietary aqueous solution

Product class Cleaners

**Supplier address** 1301 Ashwood Drive

Canonsburg, PA 15317

**Telephone numbers** 

Company Phone Number (412)-217-4032

Emergency Telephone INFOTRAC 800-535-5053

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Hazard classification** Respiratory Sensitization, Category 1B

Serious Eye Damage, Category 1

Signal word Danger

Hazard statements May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing

difficulties if inhaled.

Causes serious eye damage.

Pictograms of related hazards





# **Precautionary statements**

#### Prevention

Avoid breathing fumes, mist, vapors, or spray.

Wear respiratory protection.

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, and face protection.

#### Response

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

If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Contact a POISON CENTER or health care provider.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately contact a POISON CENTER or health care provider.

# **Disposal**

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

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# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS#	Weight %
1-Hydroxyethylidene-1,1-diphosphonic acid (HEDP)	2809-21-4	1–10
Sodium bisulfite	7631-90-5	<1
Non-hazardous substances	Proprietary	>90

# 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

**Eye contact** Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes,

lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally to ensure complete rinsing. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do, then resume rinsing. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

**Skin contact** Remove contaminated clothing and wash the affected area

with soap and water. Wash contaminated clothing before

reuse.

**Ingestion** If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth and

get emergency medical attention. Do not give anything by mouth unless instructed to do so by a poison center or

health care provider.

**Inhalation** If inhaled, move victim to fresh air. Seek emergency

medical attention if breathing is difficult; perform artificial

respiration if breathing stops.

Note to health care provider Allergic reaction or asthma exacerbation may occur in

sulfite-sensitive individuals.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media Use extinguishing media appropriate for the surrounding

fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

No information available

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Stay upwind of the fire. Full protective equipment including self-contained breathing apparatus should be used. Use

water to cool closed containers. Contain water runoff if

possible.

**Specific hazards** Combustion may produce toxic gases.

Hazardous combustion products Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxides,

phosphorous oxides

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions** Evacuate the area of all non-essential personnel. Do not

touch spilled material without proper protective equipment. Ventilate the area and mitigate further release if it is safe

to do so. Avoid contact with eyes.

Methods for clean-up

Small spills Contain spill and soak up with an inert absorbent material

and place residues in a properly labeled container for disposal. Avoid discharge into sewer or surface water.

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Large spills

Contain spill using trenches, diking, or absorption with an inert material (i.e. sand or earth). Reclaim spilled material into recovery or salvage drums or tank truck for proper disposal.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid

breathing vapor or mist. Wash hands thoroughly after

handling.

Storage conditions Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from

incompatible materials. Keep containers closed when not

in use.

Suitable materials of

construction

No information available

Unsuitable materials of

construction

No information available

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Eye/face protection** Chemical splash goggles

**Skin protection** Chemical-resistant gloves and body-covering clothing

**Respiratory protection** Observe published airborne exposure limits. NIOSH

approved respirator should be used in accordance with OSHA respiratory protection requirements (29 CFR

1910.134).

**Engineering controls** Adequate ventilation, eye-wash station, and emergency

shower

**General hygiene considerations** Do not eat, drink, or smoke while handling this product.

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV
1-Hydroxyethylidene-1,1-diphosphonic acid (HEDP)	None established	None established
Sodium bisulfite	None established	None established
Non-hazardous substances	None established	None established

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

рН	8.0-9.5
Appearance	Clear colorless to pale yellow liquid
Odor	Mild
Odor Threshold	No information available
Melting/freezing point	No information available
Initial boiling point/boiling	No information available
range	
Flash point	No information available
Evaporation rate	No information available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available
Upper/lower flammability or	No information available
explosive limits	
Vapor pressure	No information available

Vapor density	No information available
VOC content	No information available
Specific gravity	1.150-1.250
Solubility	Complete
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water	No information available
Auto-ignition temperature	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available
Viscosity	No information available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Chemical stability** Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.

**Hazardous polymerization** Polymerization will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid** Extreme temperatures, incompatibilities

**Incompatibilities** Strong acids, oxidizers

Hazardous decomposition

products

No known non-thermal decomposition hazards.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely routes of exposure

Skin, eyes, ingestion

**Acute toxicity** 

1-Hydroxyethylidene-1,1-diphosphonic acid (HEDP)

Parameter	Result
LD <sub>50</sub> , Oral (rat)	1,536-2,003 mg/kg
LD <sub>50</sub> , Oral (mouse)	1,100 mg/kg
LD <sub>50</sub> , Dermal (rabbit)	>6,000 mg/kg
Draize, Eye (rabbit)	Severe corrosion

# Sodium bisulfite

	Parameter	Result
LD <sub>50</sub> , Oral (rat)		2,000 mg/kg

#### Acute symptoms and effects

**Eye** Eye irritation with or without pain, burning, itching, redness,

and discharge.

**Skin** Skin irritation with or without pain, burning, itching,

redness, and swelling. Symptoms may be exacerbated by open wounds, excoriations, rashes, or other skin breaches.

**Ingestion** Gastrointestinal distress with or without nausea, vomiting,

and diarrhea. Ingestion may cause allergic reaction in

sulfite-sensitive individuals.

**Inhalation** Upper respiratory irritation with or without cough, watering

of the eyes, and postnasal drip. Inhalation may induce or exacerbate symptoms of allergy or asthma in sulfite-

sensitive individuals.

Reproductive effects No information available

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Teratogenicity

Mutagenicity

No information available

No information available

No information available

Sensitization to product May cause allergic reaction or delayed hypersensitivity in

susceptible individuals.

Synergistic products No information available

**Carcinogenicity** No components have been identified as carcinogenic by

OSHA, NTP, or IARC.

**Chronic** Repeat, long-term, or high-dose exposure to HEDP has

been implicated in dysregulation of blood calcium levels

and shown adverse effects on bone mineralization.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# **Aquatic toxicity**

1-Hydroxyethylidene-1,1-diphosphonic acid (HEDP)

Parameter	Result
96 hr LC <sub>50</sub> , Bluegill sunfish	>10,000 mg/L
96 hr LC <sub>50</sub> , Rainbow trout	4,900 mg/L
48 hr EC <sub>50</sub> , Daphnia magna	2,800 mg/L

# Sodium bisulfite

Parameter	Result
96 hr LC <sub>50</sub> , Bluegill sunfish	>1,000 ppm
96 hr LC <sub>50</sub> , Fathead minnow	59 mg/L
96 hr LC <sub>50</sub> , Rainbow trout	>1,000 ppm
48 hr EC <sub>50</sub> , Daphnia magna	140 mg/L

Persistence No information available
Bioaccumulative potential No information available
Mobility No information available

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Dispose of in accordance with federal, state, and local

regulations.

RCRA status Discarded product, as sold, would not be considered a

RCRA Hazardous Waste.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

# **US Department of Transportation (DOT)**

**UN Number** 

Proper shipping name Not regulated

Primary hazard class/division

Secondary hazard

**Packing group** 

Label

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# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**OSHA Hazard Communication** Respiratory Sensitization, Category 1B **Status** 

Serious Eye Damage, Category 1

**EPA Registration Number** Not applicable

**TSCA** The ingredients of this product are listed on the Toxic

Substances Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substances

Inventory.

# **CERCLA**

# EPA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)

Chemical Name	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
1-Hydroxyethylidene-1,1-diphosphonic acid (HEDP)	None
Sodium bisulfite	5,000 lb
Non-hazardous substances	None

# SARA Title III (Sections 302, 311, 312, and 313)

# Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 355)

Chemical Name	CAS#	RQ	TPQ
None			

# Section 311 and 312 Health and Physical Hazards

Immediate	Delayed	Fire	Pressure	Reactivity
Yes	No	No	No	No

# Section 313 Toxic Chemicals (40 CFR 372)

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Percent by Weight
None		

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**HMIS Ratings** Health—1; Flammability—0; Reactivity—0 Health—1; Flammability—0; Reactivity—0 **NFPA Ratings** 

**HMIS/NFPA** Rating Scale Minimal—0; Slight—1; Moderate—2; Serious—3; Severe—4

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