1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
  - Trade name: Gentian Violet 1% and 2% Solutions
  - Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against
    No further relevant information available.
  - **Product description** Gentian violet, aqueous solution

- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
  - Manufacturer/Supplier:
    Dermatologic Lab & Supply, Inc.
    608 13th Ave.
    Council Bluffs, IA USA 51501-6401
    Voice: (800) 831-6273 or (712) 323-3269
    Fax: (800) 320-9612 or (712) 323-1156
    www.delasco.com
  - **Emergency telephone number:** Chemtrec 800-424-9300

2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
  - GHS08 Health hazard
    Carc. 2  H351  Suspected of causing cancer.

- **GHS label elements**
  - GHS07
    Eye Irrit. 2A  H319  Causes serious eye irritation.
    Aquatic Chronic 3  H412  Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

- **Label elements**
  - **GHS label elements**
    The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
  - **Hazard pictograms**
    GHS07  GHS08

- **Signal word** Warning

- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**
  - C.I. Basic Violet 3
  - **Hazard statements**
    Causes serious eye irritation.
    Suspected of causing cancer.
    Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

- **Precautionary statements**
  - Wear eye protection / face protection.
  - Avoid release to the environment.
  - Wash thoroughly after handling.
  - Obtain special instructions before use.

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Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. 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 advice/attention. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. Store locked up. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Classification system: NFPA/ HMIS Definitions: 0-Least, 1-Slight, 2-Moderate, 3-High, 4-Extreme

NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)
Health = 1
Fire = 0
Reactivity = 0

HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)
HEALTH Health = *1
FIRE Fire = 0
REACTIVITY Reactivity = 0

Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC): None known

3 Composition/information on ingredients

Description: Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Dangerous Components:
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Carc. 2, H351; Eye Dam. 1, H318; Aquatic Acute 1, H400; Aquatic Chronic 1, H410; Acute Tox. 4, H302

4 First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures
After inhalation:
Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Consult doctor if symptoms persist. In case of unconsciousness, place patient securely on side position for transportation.

After skin contact:
Wash with soap and water. If skin irritation occurs, consult a doctor.

After eye contact:
Hold eyelids apart and flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

After swallowing:
Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Consume large amounts of water. If symptoms persist, consult a physician.

Information for doctor:
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: No further relevant information available.
Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing agents:
CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
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- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters** Use water spray to cool unopened containers.
- **Protective equipment:**
  - As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand (NIOSH approved or equivalent),
  - and full protective gear to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

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**6 Accidental release measures**

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
  - Ensure adequate ventilation
  - Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.
  - Keep people at a distance and stay upwind.
  - Keep away from ignition sources
  - Do not inhale gases / fumes /aerosols

- **Environmental precautions:**
  - Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.
  - Dilute with plenty of water.
  - Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
  - Absorb with liquid-binding material (i.e. sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
  - Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
  - Ensure adequate ventilation.
  - Dispose of the collected material according to regulations.

- **Reference to other sections**
  - See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
  - See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
  - See Section 13 for disposal information.

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**7 Handling and storage**

- **Handling:**
  - **Precautions for safe handling**
    - Keep away from heat and direct sunlight.
    - Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing
    - Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
    - Prevent formation of aerosols.
  - **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
  - **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
    - Store away from strong acids, strong oxidizing agents and strong reducing agents.

- **Storage:**
  - **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
  - **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
  - **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
  - **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

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**8 Exposure controls/personal protection**

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see section 7.

- **Control parameters**
  - All ventilation should be designed in accordance with OSHA standard (29 CFR 1910.94). Use mechanical (general) ventilation for storage areas. Use appropriate ventilation as required to keep Exposure Limits in Air below TLV & PEL limits.

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- **Components with occupational exposure limits:**
  The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation of this SDS were used as basis.

- **Exposure controls**
  - **Personal protective equipment:**
  - **General protective and hygienic measures:**
    The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
    Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
    Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
    Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
    Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
  - **Breathing equipment:**
    In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure, use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.

- **Protection of hands:**
  Protective gloves
  The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
  Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.
  Select glove material based on penetration times, rates of diffusion and degradation.

- **Material of gloves**
  The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material cannot be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

- **Penetration time of glove material**
  The exact break-through time has to be determined and observed by the manufacturer of the protective gloves.

- **Eye protection:**
  Tightly sealed goggles

- **Body protection:** Not required.

**9 Physical and chemical properties**

- **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
  - **General Information**
  - **Appearance:**
    - **Form:** Liquid
    - **Color:** Purple
  - **Odor:** Odorless
  - **Odor threshold:** Not determined.
  - **pH-value @ 20 °C (68 °F):** 7.0

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- Change in condition
  - Melting point/Melting range: --
  - Boiling point/Boiling range: 100 °C (212 °F)
- Flash point: Not applicable.
- Flammability (solid, gaseous): Not applicable.
- Ignition temperature:
  - Decomposition temperature: Not determined.
  - Auto igniting: Product is not self-igniting.
  - Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.
- Explosion limits:
  - Lower: 0.0 Vol %
  - Upper: 0.0 Vol %
- Vapor pressure @ 20 °C (68 °F): 23 hPa (17 mm Hg)
- Density @ 20 °C (68 °F): 1 g/cm³ (8.345 lbs/gal)
- Relative density Not determined.
- Vapor density Not determined.
- Evaporation rate Not determined.
- Solubility in / Miscibility with Water: Fully miscible.
- Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.
- Viscosity:
  - Dynamic: Not determined.
  - Kinematic: Not determined.
- Solvent content:
  - Organic solvents: 0.0 %
  - Water: 98.0 %
- Other information No further relevant information available.

*10 Stability and reactivity

- Reactivity No further relevant information available.
- Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions.
- Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- Possibility of hazardous reactions No dangerous reactions known.
- Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.
- Incompatible materials: Strong acids, strong bases and strong oxidizing agents.
- Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon Oxides, Nitrogen Oxides (NOx) and Hydrochloric Acid gas.

*11 Toxicological information

- Information on toxicological effects
- Acute toxicity:
  - LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:
  
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<th>Route</th>
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<td>Oral</td>
<td>420 mg/kg (rat)</td>
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<th>150 mg/kg (rabbit)</th>
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<td>· <strong>Primary irritant effect:</strong></td>
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<td>· on the skin: No irritating effect.</td>
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<td>· on the eye:</td>
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<td>Irritating effect.</td>
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<td>Causes serious eye irritation.</td>
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<td>· <strong>Additional toxicological information:</strong></td>
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<td>The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:</td>
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<td>Irritant</td>
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<td>· <strong>Carcinogenic categories</strong></td>
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<td>· IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)</td>
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<td>Group 1 - Carcinogenic to humans</td>
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<td>Group 2A - Probably carcinogenic to humans</td>
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<td>Group 2B - Possibly carcinogenic to humans</td>
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<td>Group 3 - Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans</td>
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<td>Group 4 - Probably not carcinogenic to humans</td>
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<td>· NTP (National Toxicology Program)</td>
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<td>· OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety &amp; Health Administration)</td>
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12 Ecological information

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<td>· Aquatic toxicity:</td>
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<td>Avoid release into the environment. Runoff from fire control or dilution water may cause pollution.</td>
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<td>EC50 0.35 mg/l (Water flea)</td>
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<td>· Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.</td>
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<td>· Behavior in environmental systems:</td>
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<td>· Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.</td>
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<td>· Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.</td>
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<td>· Ecotoxic effects:</td>
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<td>· Remark: Harmful to fish</td>
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<td>· Additional ecological information:</td>
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<tr>
<td>· General notes: Harmful to aquatic organisms</td>
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<td>· Results of PBT and vPvB assessment</td>
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<td>· PBT: Not applicable.</td>
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<td>· vPvB: Not applicable.</td>
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<td>Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.</td>
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13 Disposal considerations

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<td>· Recommendation:</td>
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<td>Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations when disposing of this material.</td>
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<td>Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.</td>
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- Uncleaned packagings:
  - Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
  - Recommended cleansing agent: Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

### 14 Transport information

- UN-Number
- DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA: Non-Regulated Material
- UN proper shipping name
- DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA: Non-Regulated Material
- Transport hazard class(es)
- DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA: Non-Regulated Material
- Class
- DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA: Non-Regulated Material
- Packing group
- DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA: Non-Regulated Material
- Environmental hazards:
- Not applicable.
- Special precautions for user
- Not applicable.
- Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code:
- Not applicable.
- UN "Model Regulation":
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### 15 Regulatory information

- Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
  - Sara
    - Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):
      - None of the ingredients are listed.
    - Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):
      - None of the ingredients are listed.
    - TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):
      - All ingredients are listed.
    - California Proposition 65
    - Chemicals known to cause cancer:
      - None of the ingredients are listed.
    - Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:
      - None of the ingredients are listed.
    - Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:
      - None of the ingredients are listed.
    - Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:
      - None of the ingredients are listed.
    - Carcinogenic categories
    - EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)
      - None of the ingredients are listed.
    - TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)
      - None of the ingredients are listed.

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- **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**
  None of the ingredients are listed.

- **GHS label elements**
  The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

- **Hazard pictograms**
  ![GHS07](image)
  ![GHS08](image)

- **Signal word** Warning

- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**
  C.I. Basic Violet 3

- **Hazard statements**
  Causes serious eye irritation.
  Suspected of causing cancer.
  Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

- **Precautionary statements**
  Wear eye protection / face protection.
  Avoid release to the environment.
  Wash thoroughly after handling.
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  Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
  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 advice/attention.
  If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
  Store locked up.
  Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

- **National regulations:**
  The product is subject to be classified according with the latest version of the regulations on hazardous substances.

- **State Right to Know**
  7732-18-5 Water, distilled water, deionized water 90-99%
  548-62-9 C.I. Basic Violet 3 ≤ 2.5%
  \(\text{Carc. 2, H351; Eye Dam. 1, H318; Acute Tox. 4, H302; Aquatic Acute 1, H400; Aquatic Chronic 1, H410;}\)

All ingredients are listed.

- **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

### 16 Other information

The information and recommendations in this safety data sheet are, to the best of our knowledge, accurate as of the date of issue. Nothing herein shall be deemed to create warranty, expressed or implied, and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship. It is the responsibility of the user to determine applicability of this information and the suitability of the material or product for any particular purpose.

- **Date of preparation / last revision** 06/11/2015 / -

- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
  - ADR: The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
  - ADN: The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
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IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
DOT: US Department of Transportation
IATA: International Air Transport Association
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)
HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 4
Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 1
Eye Irrit. 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2A
Carc. 2: Carcinogenicity, Hazard Category 2
Aquatic Acute 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard, Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard, Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 3: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard, Category 3

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