

SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixture
Product name : NSI609 Ninhydrin Spray, Special Formula
Product code : NSI609, NSI609G

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture : Latent fingerprint developer

1.3. Supplier

SIRCHIE
100 Hunter Place
Youngsville, NC 27596 - USA
T 919-554-2244; 800-356-7311 - F 919-554-2266; 800-899-8181
<http://www.sirchie.com>

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : 1.800.424.9300 (USA) +1-703-527-3887 (INTL)
CHEMTREC: 1.800.424.9300

SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS US classification

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2 H315 Causes skin irritation
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation

Full text of H statements : see section 16

2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US) :



Signal word (GHS US) : Warning

Hazard statements (GHS US) : H315 - Causes skin irritation
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

Precautionary statements (GHS US) : P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P302+P352 - If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.
P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P321 - Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instruction on this label).
P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P362+P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

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Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether	(CAS-No.) 163702-07-6	17.86 – 71.44	Not classified
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether	(CAS-No.) 163702-08-7	17.86 – 71.44	Not classified
ninhydrine	(CAS-No.) 485-47-2	5	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319 STOT SE 3, H335
ethanol	(CAS-No.) 64-17-5	5	Flam. Liq. 2, H225
acetic acid	(CAS-No.) 64-19-7	0.5	Flam. Liq. 3, H226 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:vapour), H332 Skin Corr. 1A, H314
ethyl acetate	(CAS-No.) 141-78-6	0.2	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319 STOT SE 3, H336

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

SECTION 4: First-aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

- First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).
- First-aid measures after inhalation : Allow affected person to breathe fresh air. Allow the victim to rest.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Remove affected clothing and wash all exposed skin area with mild soap and water, followed by warm water rinse.
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Obtain medical attention if pain, blinking or redness persists.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

- Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- Symptoms/effects : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

No additional information available

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

- Reactivity in case of fire : No data available.

5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

- Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.
- Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.
- Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

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6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Collect spillage. Store away from other materials.

6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapor.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : Keep container closed when not in use.
Incompatible products : Strong bases. Strong acids.
Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

NSI609 Ninhydrin Spray, Special Formula	
No additional information available	
acetic acid (64-19-7)	
USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits	
ACGIH TWA (ppm)	10 ppm
ACGIH STEL (ppm)	15 ppm
ninhydrine (485-47-2)	
No additional information available	
ethanol (64-17-5)	
USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits	
ACGIH STEL (ppm)	1000 ppm
ethyl acetate (141-78-6)	
USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits	
ACGIH TWA (ppm)	400 ppm
Methyl nonafluorobutyl ether (163702-07-6)	
No additional information available	
Methyl nonafluoroisobutyl ether (163702-08-7)	
No additional information available	

8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

Personal protective equipment:

Gas mask. Gloves. Safety glasses. Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

Hand protection:

Wear protective gloves.

Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or safety glasses

Respiratory protection:

Wear appropriate mask

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Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



Other information:

Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Clear, colorless liquid.
Color	: Colorless
Odor	: Irritating/pungent odour
Odor threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Melting point	: No data available
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: > 60 °C
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Solubility	: Literature reports: moderately soluble in water.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No data available.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions. Not established.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong bases.

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10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

fume. Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

acetic acid (64-19-7)	
LD50 oral rat	3310 mg/kg body weight (Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Oral, 6 day(s))
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	11.4 mg/l (Equivalent or similar to OECD 403, 4 h, Rat, Female, Experimental value, Inhalation (vapours), 14 day(s))

ninhydrine (485-47-2)	
LD50 oral rat	600 mg/kg (Rat, Literature study, Oral)

ethanol (64-17-5)	
LD50 oral rat	10470 mg/kg body weight (OECD 401: Acute Oral Toxicity, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Oral, 14 day(s))
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 15800 mg/kg body weight (Rabbit, Experimental value, Dermal)
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	125 mg/l air (Equivalent or similar to OECD 403, 4 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Inhalation (vapours), 14 day(s))

ethyl acetate (141-78-6)	
LD50 oral rat	10200 mg/kg body weight (Equivalent or similar to OECD 401, Rat, Female, Experimental value, Oral, 14 day(s))
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 20000 mg/kg body weight (24 hour cuff method, 24 h, Rabbit, Male, Experimental value, Dermal, 14 day(s))

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes skin irritation.
Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified
Carcinogenicity : Not classified

ethanol (64-17-5)	
Additional information	Ethyl alcohol (200 Proof) has been shown to cause cancer in Human and Animals when ingested in volume over time. There is no link to cancer in limited exposure scenarios.

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

STOT-single exposure : Not classified

ninhydrine (485-47-2)	
STOT-single exposure	May cause respiratory irritation.

ethyl acetate (141-78-6)	
STOT-single exposure	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Symptoms/effects : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

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SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

acetic acid (64-19-7)	
LC50 fish 1	> 1000 mg/l (Equivalent or similar to OECD 203, 96 h, Oncorhynchus mykiss, Semi-static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)
EC50 Daphnia 1	> 1000 mg/l (OECD 202: Daphnia sp. Acute Immobilisation Test, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)
ethanol (64-17-5)	
LC50 fish 1	15300 mg/l (US EPA, 96 h, Pimephales promelas, Flow-through system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Lethal)
ethyl acetate (141-78-6)	
LC50 fish 1	230 mg/l (US EPA, 96 h, Pimephales promelas, Flow-through system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Lethal)

12.2. Persistence and degradability

NSI609 Ninhydrin Spray, Special Formula	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.
acetic acid (64-19-7)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in the soil. Readily biodegradable in water.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.6 – 0.74 g O ₂ /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.03 g O ₂ /g substance
ThOD	1.07 g O ₂ /g substance
ninhydrine (485-47-2)	
Persistence and degradability	Not readily biodegradable in water.
ThOD	1.53 g O ₂ /g substance
ethanol (64-17-5)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradable in the soil. Readily biodegradable in water.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.8 – 0.967 g O ₂ /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.7 g O ₂ /g substance
ThOD	2.1 g O ₂ /g substance
BOD (% of ThOD)	0.43
ethyl acetate (141-78-6)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradable in the soil. Readily biodegradable in water.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.293 g O ₂ /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.69 g O ₂ /g substance
ThOD	1.82 g O ₂ /g substance

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

NSI609 Ninhydrin Spray, Special Formula	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.
acetic acid (64-19-7)	
BCF fish 1	3.16 (Pisces, Fresh water, QSAR)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-0.17 (Experimental value, 25 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.
ninhydrine (485-47-2)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	0.67 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (Log Kow < 4).
ethanol (64-17-5)	
BCF fish 1	1 (Other, 72 h, Cyprinus carpio, Static system, Fresh water, Read-across)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-0.31 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.
ethyl acetate (141-78-6)	
BCF fish 1	30 (3 day(s), Leuciscus idus, Static renewal, Experimental value)

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ethyl acetate (141-78-6)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	0.68 (Experimental value, EPA OPPTS 830.7560, 25 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).

12.4. Mobility in soil

acetic acid (64-19-7)	
Surface tension	26.3 mN/m (30 °C)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil. May be harmful to plant growth, blooming and fruit formation.

ninhydrine (485-47-2)	
Surface tension	No data available in the literature
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Koc)	0.864 – 1 (log Koc, SRC PCKOCWIN v2.0, Calculated value)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.

ethanol (64-17-5)	
Surface tension	22.31 mN/m (20 °C, 100 %)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Koc)	0.2 (log Koc, Experimental value)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.

ethyl acetate (141-78-6)	
Surface tension	No data available in the literature
Ecology - soil	Low potential for adsorption in soil.

12.5. Other adverse effects

Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.
Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Not regulated

Transport by sea

Not regulated

Air transport

Not regulated

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

No additional information available

15.2. International regulations

CANADA

No additional information available

EU-Regulations

No additional information available

National regulations

No additional information available

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15.3. US State regulations

NSI609 Ninhydrin Spray, Special Formula	
U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List	Yes
U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity	No
U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Female	No
U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Male	No

SECTION 16: Other information

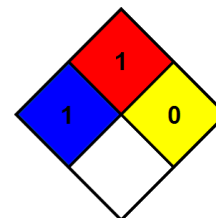
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- Data sources : REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 December 2008 on classification, labeling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.
- Training advice : Normal use of this product shall imply use in accordance with the instructions on the packaging.
- Other information : None.

Full text of H-phrases:

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapor
H226	Flammable liquid and vapor
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H315	Causes skin irritation
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H332	Harmful if inhaled
H335	May cause respiratory irritation
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness

- NFPA health hazard : 1 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause significant irritation.
- NFPA fire hazard : 1 - Materials that must be preheated before ignition can occur.
- NFPA reactivity : 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.



- Hazard Rating
- Health : 1 Slight Hazard - Irritation or minor reversible injury possible
- Flammability : 1 Slight Hazard - Materials that must be preheated before ignition will occur. Includes liquids, solids and semi solids having a flash point above 200 F. (Class IIIB)
- Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.
- Personal protection : G
G - Safety glasses, Gloves, Vapor respirator

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