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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product Identifier

Trade Name or Designation: VeriSpec™ Beryllium (Be) Standard for AAS 1000 ppm in 2% HCl
Manufactured and Tested in an ISO 17025/Guide 34 Accredited Facility

Product Number: RV010007

Other Identifying Product Numbers: RV010007-100N, RV010007-500N

1.2. Recommended Use and Restrictions on Use

Calibration Standard

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 hr)

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 (in accordance with OSHA HCS 29 CFR 1910.1200)

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

| Hazard Class | Category | Hazard Statement | Precautionary Statements |
|--|------------|------------------|--|
| 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 1 | H318 | P280, P305+P351+P338, P310 |
| Respiratory Sensitizer | Category 1 | H334 | P261, P285, P304+P341, P342+P311, P501 |
| Skin Sensitizer | Category 1 | H317 | P261, P272, P280, P302+P352, P332+P313, P321, P363, P501 |
| Carcinogenicity | Category 1 | H350 | P201, P202, P280, P308+P313, P405, P501 |
| Specific Target Organs/Systemic Toxicity Following Single Exposure | Category 1 | H370 | P260, P264, P270, P307+P311, P321, P405, P501 |
| Specific Target Organs/Systemic Toxicity Following Repeated Exposure | Category 1 | H372 | P260, P264, P270, P314, P501 |
| Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment (Acute) | Category 3 | H402 | P273, P501 |

2.2. GHS Label Elements

Pictograms:



Signal Word: **Danger**

Hazard Statements:

| Hazard Number | Hazard Statement |
|---------------|--|
| H315 | Causes skin irritation. |
| H317 | May cause an allergic skin reaction. |
| H318 | Causes serious eye damage. |
| H332 | Harmful if inhaled. |
| H334 | May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. |
| H350 | May cause cancer. |
| H370 | Causes damage to organs. |
| H372 | Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. |
| H402 | Harmful to aquatic life. |



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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. |
| P260 | Do not breathe dust, fumes or mist. |
| P261 | Avoid breathing dust, fumes or mist. |
| 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. |
| P272 | Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. |
| P273 | Avoid release to the environment. |
| P280 | Wear protective gloves and eye protection. |
| P285 | In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. |
| P302+P352 | IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. |
| P304+P340 | IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. |
| P304+P341 | IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, 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. |
| P307+P311 | IF exposed: Call a POISON CENTER or physician. |
| P308+P313 | IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention. |
| P310 | Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician. |
| 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). |
| P332+P313 | If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention. |
| P342+P311 | If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or physician. |
| P362 | Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. |
| P363 | Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. |
| P405 | Store locked up. |
| P501 | Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations. |

2.3. WHMIS Classification

WHMIS classification is not included based on the recommended option (Option 4) found in the Canada Gazette Part II, Vol. 149, No.3, page 458

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% |
|---|-------------------|------------------|------------|---------|
| Water | H ₂ O | 18.01 g/mol | 7732-18-5 | 97.11% |
| Hydrochloric Acid | HCl | 36.46 g/mol | 7647-01-0 | 2.00% |
| Beryllium chloride (BeCl ₂) | BeCl ₂ | 79.91 g/mol | 7787-47-5 | 0.89% |

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.

Inhalation: IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Skin Contact: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

Ingestion: No action required to be taken. If necessary, dilute with water.

4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

May cause mild irritation to areas of contact.

4.3. Medical Attention or Special Treatment Needed

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water).

SECTION 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

5.1. Extinguishing Media

Not considered to be a fire or explosion hazard.

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 protective clothing and NIOSH-approved breathing equipment appropriate for the surrounding fire.

SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Wear protective gloves and eye protection. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

6.2. Cleanup and Containment Methods and Materials

Absorb with suitable material and dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

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SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling and Storage Conditions

Store locked up.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

8.1. Control Parameters

| Chemical Name | Limit Type | Country | Exposure Limit | Information Source |
|--|-------------|---------|--|---|
| Beryllium chloride (BeCl ₂) (7787-47-5) | TWA | USA | 2 µg/m ³ TWA (as Be) | U.S. - OSHA - Final PELs - Time Weighted Averages (TWAs) |
| Beryllium chloride (BeCl ₂) (7787-47-5) | TLV-TWA | USA | 0.00005 mg/m ³ TWA (inhalable fraction as Be) | ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Time Weighted Averages (TLV-TWA) |
| Beryllium chloride (BeCl ₂) (7787-47-5) | PEL-Ceiling | USA | 5 µg/m ³ Ceiling (as Be) | U.S. - OSHA - Final PELs - Ceiling Limits |
| Hydrochloric Acid (7647-01-0) | TLV-Ceiling | USA | 2 ppm Ceiling | ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Ceilings (TLV-C) |
| Hydrochloric Acid (7647-01-0) | PEL-Ceiling | USA | 5 ppm Ceiling 7 mg/m ³ Ceiling | U.S. - OSHA - Final PELs - Ceiling Limits |

8.2. Exposure Controls

Engineering Controls: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Respiratory Protection: In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

Skin Protection: Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

Eye Protection: Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

8.3. Personal Protective Equipment

Wear protective gloves and eye protection. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.



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SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1. Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: Data not available.

Physical State: Liquid

Odor: Data not available.

Odor Threshold: Data not available.

pH: Data not available.

Melting/Freezing Point: Data not available.

Initial Boiling Point /Range: Data not available.

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: 1.01

Solubility: Data not available.

Partition Coefficient (n-Octanol/Water): 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

Stable under normal conditions of use and storage.

10.2. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Data not available.

10.3. Conditions to Avoid and Incompatible Materials

Protect from freezing and physical damage.

10.4. Hazardous Decomposition Products

May emit irritating fumes when heated to decomposition.



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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:

Harmful if inhaled. Avoid breathing dust, fumes or mist. 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:

Data not available.

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 damage. 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. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician.

Respiratory Sensitization:

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Avoid breathing dust, fumes or mist. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or physician. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

Skin Sensitization:

May cause an allergic skin reaction. Avoid breathing dust, fumes or mist. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity:

Not applicable.

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:

Not applicable.

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Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Single Exposure:

Causes damage to organs. Do not breathe dust, fumes or mist. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. IF exposed: Call a POISON CENTER or physician. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). Store locked up. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Repeated Exposure:

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Do not breathe dust, fumes or mist. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. 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

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

Data not available.

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SECTION 14: Transportation Information

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

Not regulated according to DOT Regulations.

Not regulated according to IATA Regulations.

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

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): 500 lb TPQ (gas only)

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): 5000 lb EPCRA RQ (gas only)

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

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): 5000 lb final RQ; 2270 kg final RQ

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): 1 lb final RQ; 0.454 kg final RQ

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

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): 1.0 % de minimis concentration (acid aerosols including mists, vapors, gas, fog, and other airborne forms of any particle size)

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): 0.1 % de minimis concentration (listed under Chemical Category N050)

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15.5. Massachusetts Right-to-Know Substance List

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): Extraordinarily hazardous

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): Carcinogen; Extraordinarily hazardous

15.6. Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Hazardous Substances

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): Environmental hazard

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): Present

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

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): Environmental hazard

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): Environmental hazard; Special hazardous substance

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): Present

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

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): corrosive

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): sn 1012

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): SN 1012 500 lb TPQ (>=37% concentration); SN 2909 500 lb TPQ (Hydrogen chloride gas only)

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): carcinogen

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): sn 0223

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): sn 2163

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): SN 2163 500 lb TPQ (Category Code N050)

15.8. California Proposition 65

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): carcinogen, 10/1/1987

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

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): Present (DSL)

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

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): Present (DSL)

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

Hydrochloric Acid (CAS # 7647-01-0): Present [T]

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

Beryllium chloride (BeCl₂) (CAS # 7787-47-5): Present

15.11. European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS),

European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS), and No Longer Polymers (NLP)

Not listed.

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SECTION 16: Other Information

16.1. Full Text of Hazard Statements and Precautionary Statements

Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes serious eye damage. Harmful if inhaled. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. May cause cancer. Causes damage to organs. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Harmful to aquatic life.

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not breathe dust, fumes or mist. 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. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. Avoid release to the environment. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and 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: Call a POISON CENTER or physician. Get medical attention if you feel unwell. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or physician. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Store locked up.

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

16.2. Miscellaneous Hazard Classes

Canadian Carcinogenicity Hazard Class: Not Applicable.

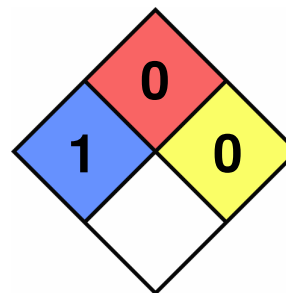
Physical Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (PHNOC): Not Applicable.

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

Biohazardous Infectious Materials Hazard Class: Not Applicable.

16.3. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Rating

Health: 1
Flammability: 0
Reactivity: 0
Special Hazard:



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16.4. Document Revision

Last Revision Date: 9/1/2016

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.