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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Name	Decalcifier, Calfor®
Product Code	CFQ025, CFQ038, CFQ100, CFQ400, CFQ438
Recommended Use	For laboratory, scientific, R&D or manufacturing use.
Company	Cancer Diagnostics, Inc. 116 Page Point Circle Durham, NC 27703 Tel. (877) 846-5393
Emergency Telephone	Call CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Gases)	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Skin sensitization	Category 1

Label elements

Signal word

Danger

Hazard statements

Harmful if swallowed. Harmful if inhaled. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. May cause an allergic skin reaction.



Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use personal protective equipment as required. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wear protective gloves.

Precautionary Statements - Response

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

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 doctor/physician.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up.

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Water	7732-18-5	<80
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	>10
Formic acid	64-18-6	<10

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Eye contact	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, separating eyelids occasionally. Remove contact lenses if present. Get immediate medical attention.
Skin contact	Wash thoroughly with soap and water while removing contaminated garments. Get medical attention if irritation develops.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention for any breathing difficulty.
Ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting unless instructed to do so by medical personnel. If conscious, rinse mouth and give several glasses of water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get immediate medical attention.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Causes skin and eye irritation/burns. If swallowed, causes GI disturbances.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No information available.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus with full facepiece operated in pressure-demand or other positive pressure mode.

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Health hazards 3

Flammability 1

Instability 0

Physical and Chemical
Properties -

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Environmental precautions Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Absorb spill with inert material, scoop up and containerize for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Incompatible materials None known based on information supplied.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational exposure limits

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Formaldehyde 50-00-0	STEL: 0.3 ppm TWA: 0.1 ppm	TWA: 0.75 ppm (vacated) TWA: 3 ppm unless specified in 1910.1048 (vacated) STEL: 10 ppm 30 min unless specified in 1910.1048 (vacated) Ceiling: 5 ppm unless specified in 1910.1048 STEL: 2 ppm see 29 CFR 1910.1048	IDLH: 20 ppm Ceiling: 0.1 ppm 15 min TWA: 0.016 ppm
Formic acid 64-18-6	STEL: 10 ppm TWA: 5 ppm	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³ (vacated) TWA: 5 ppm (vacated) TWA: 9 mg/m ³	IDLH: 30 ppm TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 9 mg/m ³

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Emergency showers, eyewash stations, ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Tight sealing safety goggles.

Skin and body protection Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.

Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Liquid
Appearance	Clear, colorless
Odor	Odorless
Odor threshold	No information available
pH	No information available
Melting point / freezing point	No information available
Boiling point / boiling range	No information available
Flash point	No information available
Evaporation rate	No information available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available
Flammability Limit in Air	
Upper flammability limit:	No information available
Lower flammability limit:	No information available
Vapor pressure	No information available
Vapor density	No information available
Relative density	No information available
Water solubility	Miscible with water
Solubility in other solvents	No information available
Partition coefficient	No information available
Autoignition temperature	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available
Kinematic viscosity	No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	None under normal processing.
Conditions to avoid	Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.
Incompatible materials	None known based on information supplied.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	None known based on information supplied.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation	No data available.
Eye contact	No data available.
Skin contact	No data available.
Ingestion	No data available.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Water 7732-18-5	> 90 mL/kg (Rat)	-	-
Formaldehyde 50-00-0	= 100 mg/kg (Rat)	= 270 mg/kg (Rabbit)	= 0.578 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Formic acid 64-18-6	= 1100 mg/kg (Rat)	-	= 15 g/m ³ (Rat) 15 min

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation	Irritating to skin.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Irritating to eyes. Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Sensitization	No information available.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No information available.
Carcinogenicity	This chemical does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by ACGIH, OSHA, IARC or NTP

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Formaldehyde 50-00-0	-	0.032 - 0.226: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mL/L LC50 flow-through 23.2 - 29.7: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 22.6 - 25.7: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through 41: 96 h Brachydanio rerio mg/L LC50 static 1510: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus µg/L LC50 static 100 - 136: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static	2: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L LC50 11.3 - 18: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 Static
Formic acid 64-18-6	25: 96 h Desmodesmus subspicatus mg/L EC50 26.9: 72 h Desmodesmus subspicatus mg/L EC50	175: 24 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static	120: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 138 - 165.6: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 Static

Persistence and degradability

No information available.

Bioaccumulation

No information available.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
Formaldehyde 50-00-0	0.35
Formic acid 64-18-6	-0.54

Other adverse effects

No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Disposal of wastes

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated packaging

Do not reuse container. Emptied containers may contain residue. Continue to follow label warnings after container is emptied.

Chemical Name	RCRA	RCRA - Basis for Listing	RCRA - D Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Formaldehyde 50-00-0	U122	Included in waste streams: K009, K010, K038, K040, K156, K157	-	U122
Formic acid 64-18-6	U123	Included in waste streams: K009, K010	-	U123

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Formaldehyde 50-00-0	Toxic Ignitable
Formic acid	Toxic

64-18-6	Corrosive
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14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transportation information is provided as a general reference only and may not be applicable in all situations. This information applies to non-bulk shipments only. Per 49 CFR §173.22, it is the shipper's responsibility to ensure that all materials are properly packaged, classified and labeled prior to shipment.

DOT

UN/ID no.	UN1760
Proper shipping name	Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (dilute formic acid solution)
Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	III

IATA

UN/ID no.	UN1760
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Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	III

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical Name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Formaldehyde - 50-00-0	0.1
Formic acid - 64-18-6	1.0

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard	No
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Formaldehyde 50-00-0	100 lb	-	-	X
Formic acid 64-18-6	5000 lb	-	-	X

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Formaldehyde 50-00-0	100 lb	100 lb	RQ 100 lb final RQ RQ 45.4 kg final RQ
Formic acid 64-18-6	5000 lb	-	RQ 5000 lb final RQ RQ 2270 kg final RQ

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals

Chemical Name	California Proposition 65
Formaldehyde - 50-00-0	Carcinogen

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Water 7732-18-5	-	-	X
Formaldehyde 50-00-0	X	X	X
Formic acid 64-18-6	X	X	X

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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