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EMERGENCY NUMBER (SPILLS, EXPOSURES): 301/431-8585 (24 HOUR)
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NON-EMERGENCY INFORMATION: 800/955-6288

Product Name: PTHIOHIS A 20UG
Stock Number: 350528

NOTE: If this product is a kit or is supplied with more than one material, please refer to the MSDS for each component for hazard information.

Product Use:
These products are for laboratory research use only and are not intended for human or animal diagnostics, therapeutic, or other clinical uses, unless otherwise stated.

Synonyms:
Not available.

2. COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

The following list shows components of this product classified as hazardous based on physical properties and health effects:

Component	CAS No.	Percent
EDTA	60-00-4	1 - 5
TRIS	77-86-1	40 - 70

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

********** EMERGENCY OVERVIEW **********
Warning!
Irritant.
Harmful if swallowed.
May cause allergic skin reaction.
Possible reproductive system hazard based on animal data.
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Potential Health Effects:
Eye:
Contact with the eyes may cause moderate to severe eye injury. Eye contact may result in tearing and reddening, but not likely to permanently injure eye tissue. Temporary vision impairment (cloudy or blurred vision) is possible.

Skin:
Can cause severe irritation, defatting, and dermatitis. Irritation effects may last for hours or days but will not likely result in permanent damage.
May cause allergic skin reaction.

Inhalation:
Can cause severe respiratory irritation, dizziness, weakness, fatigue, nausea, headache and possible unconsciousness.
Other possible symptoms include; wheezing and coughing due to pulmonary edema (fluid build-up in lungs).
No toxicity expected from inhalation.

Ingestion:
Irritating to mouth, throat, and stomach. Can cause abdominal discomfort, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.
Ingestion of this product may result in central nervous system effects including headache, sleepiness, dizziness, slurred speech and blurred vision.
May cause liver disorder (e.g., edema, proteinuria) and damage. Overexposure may cause kidney damage.
Harmful if swallowed. May cause systemic poisoning.

Chronic:
No data on cancer.
Contains a substance that is a possible reproductive system hazard based on animal studies at doses that could be encountered in the workplace.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye:
Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 20 minutes retracting eyelids often. Tilt the head to prevent chemical from transferring to the uncontaminated eye. Get immediate medical attention

4. FIRST AID MEASURES (CONT.)

and monitor the eye daily as advised by your physician.

Skin:
Wash with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing, launder immediately, and discard contaminated leather goods. Get medical attention immediately.

Inhalation:
Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, have a trained individual administer oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration and have a trained individual administer oxygen. Get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion:
Severely irritating. Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical attention immediately. Drink 2 glasses of water or milk to dilute.

Note To Physician:
Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flashpoint Deg C:	Not available.
Upper Flammable Limit %:	Not available.
Lower Flammable Limit %:	Not available.
Autoignition Temperature Deg C:	Not available.

Extinguishing Media:
Use alcohol resistant foam, carbon dioxide, or dry chemical when fighting fires. Water or foam may cause frothing if liquid is burning but it still may be a useful extinguishing agent if carefully applied to the surface of the fire. Do Not direct a stream of water into the hot burning liquid.

Firefighting Techniques/Equipment:
Do not enter fire area without proper protection including self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective equipment. Fight fire from a safe distance and a protected location due to the potential of hazardous vapors and decomposition products.

Hazardous Combustion Products:
Includes carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, dense smoke.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Accidental releases may be subject to special reporting requirements and other regulatory mandates. Refer to Section 8 for personal protection equipment recommendations.

Spill Cleanup:
Exposure to the spilled material may be severely irritating or toxic. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section VIII of this MSDS. Personal protective equipment needs must be evaluated based on information provided on this sheet and the special circumstances created by the spill including; the material spilled, the quantity of the spill, the area in which the spill occurred, and the expertise of employees in the area responding to the spill. Never exceed any occupational exposure limits.
Ventilate the contaminated area.
Prevent the spread of any spill to minimize harm to human health and the environment if safe to do so. Wear complete and proper personal protective equipment following the recommendation of Section VIII at a minimum. Dike with suitable absorbent material like granulated clay. Gather and store in a sealed container pending a waste disposal evaluation.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Storage of some materials is regulated by federal, state, and/or local laws.

Storage Pressure:
Ambient

Handling Procedures:
Toxic or severely irritating material. Avoid contacting and avoid breathing the material. Use only in a well ventilated area.
Keep closed or covered when not in use.

Storage Procedures:
Store in a cool dry ventilated location. Isolate from incompatible materials and conditions. Keep container(s) closed.
Suitable for most general chemical storage areas.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Limits:

Component	OSHA PEL (ppm)	AGCIH TWA (ppm)
EDTA	Not established.	Not established.
TRIS	Not established.	Not established.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION (CONT.)

Engineering Controls:
Local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls are normally required when handling or using this product to avoid overexposure.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Eye:
An eye wash station must be available where this product is used. Wear chemically resistant safety glasses with side shields when handling this product. Wear additional eye protection such as chemical splash goggles and/or face shield when the possibility exists for eye contact with splashing or spraying liquid, or airborne material. Do not wear contact lenses. Have an eye wash station available.

Skin:
Avoid skin contact by wearing chemically resistant gloves, an apron and other protective equipment depending upon conditions of use. Inspect gloves for chemical break-through and replace at regular intervals. Clean protective equipment regularly. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, and when leaving work. Have a safety shower available.

Respiratory:
NIOSH approved air purifying respirator with dust/mist filter.
A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant a respirator's use.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance/physical state:	Powder.
Odor:	No odor.
	Not established.
	Not established.
	Not established.
	Not established.
	Not established.
	Not established.
	Not established.
Octanol/water Partition Coeff:	Not established.
Volatiles:	Not established.
	Not established.
	Not established.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:
Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid:
Strong oxidizing agents. High temperatures. Strong alkalies. Copper alloys. Aluminum alloys. Strong acids. Brass. Hypochlorites. Aldehydes.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:
Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide. Nitrogen oxides.

Hazardous Polymerization:
Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity:

Dermal/Skin:
Not determined.

Inhalation/Respiratory:
Not determined.

Oral/Ingestion:
Tris: 5900 MG/KG

Target Organs: Kidneys. Bone marrow.

Carcinogenicity:

NTP:
Not tested.

IARC:
Not listed.

OSHA:
Not regulated.

Other Toxicological Information

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicological Information: No ecological information available.

Environmental Fate (Degradation, Transformation, and Persistence):
Bioconcentration is not expected to occur.
Biodegrades slowly.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Regulatory Information:
Not applicable.

Disposal Method:
Clean up and dispose of waste in accordance with all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Proper Shipping Name: Not regulated.
Subsidiary Hazards:

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

UNITED STATES:

TSCA:
This product is solely for research and development purposes only and may not be used, processed or distributed for a commercial purpose. It may only be handled by technically qualified individuals.
Materials used in manufacturing processes which are subject to compliance with the Federal Food Drug and Cosmetic Act (FDA) are not subject to the Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA). The TSCA research use only restriction does not apply to FDA regulated manufacturing processes nor the resulting product per 15 U.S.C. 2602(2).

Prop 65 Listed Chemicals:	PROP 65	PERCENT
No Prop 65 Chemicals.		

No 313 Chemicals

CANADA:

DSL/NDSL:

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION (CONT.)

Not determined.

COMPONENT	WHMIS Classification
EDTA	D2A
TRIS	Not classified as hazardous.

EUROPEAN UNION:

PRODUCT RISK PHRASES:
None assigned.

PRODUCT SAFETY PHRASES:
Not applicable.

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Component	EINECS Number
EDTA	200-449-4
TRIS	201-064-4

16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS Rating 0-4:
FIRE: Not determined.
HEALTH: Not determined.
REACTIVITY: Not determined.

Abbreviations
N/A - Data is not applicable or not available
SARA - Superfund and Reauthorization Act
HMIS - Hazard Material Information System
WHMIS - Workplace Hazard Materials Information System
NTP - National Toxicology Program
OSHA - Occupational Health and Safety Administration
IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer
PROP 65 - California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986
EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

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16. OTHER INFORMATION (CONT.)

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