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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name** Instatest 3-Way Pool and Spa Test Strips  
**Product Code(s)** 2976  
**Synonyms** none  
**Recommended Use** Industrial (not for food or food contact use). Test kit for water testing.  
**Company** LaMotte Company, Inc.  
802 Washington Avenue  
P.O. Box 329  
Chestertown, MD 21620  
USA  
**Emergency Telephone Number** 24 Hour Emergency Number (CHEM-TEL):  
USA, Canada, Puerto Rico 1-800-255-3924  
Outside North American Continent (Call collect) 813-248-0585

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Emergency Overview**  
May be harmful if swallowed  
**Appearance** White plastic strip with multiple test pads. **Physical State** Test strip **Odor** Odorless

**OSHA Regulatory Status** This product is an article which contains a chemical substance. Safety information is given for exposure to the article as sold, but considers exposure to the chemical if user has direct eye and skin contact with the chemical.

**Potential Health Effects**

**Acute Toxicity**

**Eyes** May cause irritation.  
**Skin** Prolonged skin contact may defat the skin and produce dermatitis.  
**Inhalation** Not an expected route of exposure.  
**Ingestion** May cause gastrointestinal discomfort if consumed in large amounts.

**Chronic Effects** No known effect.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %
Buffers	0000	<1
Indicators	0	<1
Surfactants	00000	<1

Ingredients not listed by name are proprietary to the LaMotte Company and may be disclosed only in a medical emergency.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**General Advice** No hazards which require special first aid measures.

**Eye Contact** Rinse thoroughly with water as necessary.

**Skin Contact** Wash skin with soap and water.

**Inhalation** Not applicable.

**Ingestion** Consult a physician. White plastic strip is indigestible, may cause gastrointestinal discomfort if many have been swallowed.

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Flash Point** Not applicable

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), or foam.

**Explosion Data**

<b>NFPA</b>	<b>Health Hazard</b> 0	<b>Flammability</b> 0	<b>Stability</b> 0	<b>Physical and Chemical Hazards</b> -
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**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Methods for Containment** Not applicable.

**Methods for Cleaning Up** Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Prevent contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Do not ingest. Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product.

**Storage** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool, and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Buffers 0000	None Known	None Known	None Known
Indicators 0	None Known	None Known	None Known
Surfactants 00000	None Known	None Known	None Known

**Engineering Measures** None under normal use conditions.

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye/Face Protection** No special protective equipment required.

**Skin and Body Protection** No special protective equipment required.

**Hygiene Measures** Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

<b>Appearance</b>	White plastic strip with multiple test pads.	<b>Odor</b>	Odorless
<b>Physical State</b>	Test strip	<b>pH</b>	Not applicable

<b>Flash Point</b>	Not applicable	<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	Not applicable
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	Not applicable		

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Stability</b>	Stable.
<b>Incompatible Products</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	None known.
<b>Hazardous Reactions</b>	None under normal processing.
<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Acute Toxicity

**Product Information** Product does not present an acute toxicity hazard based on known or supplied information.

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Buffers	None Known	None Known	None Known
Indicators	None Known	None Known	None Known
Surfactants	None Known	None Known	None Known

### Chronic Toxicity

**Chronic Toxicity** No known effect.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Buffers	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Indicators	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Surfactants	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known

Chemical Name	EU - Endocrine Disruptors Candidate List	EU - Endocrine Disruptors - Evaluated Substances	Japan - Endocrine Disruptor Information
Buffers	None Known	None Known	None Known
Indicators	None Known	None Known	None Known
Surfactants	None Known	None Known	None Known

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

Chemical Name	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Microtox	Daphnia Magna (Water Flea)
Buffers	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Indicators	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Surfactants	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known

**Persistence and Degradability** No information available.

**Bioaccumulation/Accumulation** No information available.

Chemical Name	Log Pow
Buffers	None Known
Indicators	None Known
Surfactants	None Known

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Waste Disposal Method** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. This material, as supplied, is not a hazardous waste according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261). This material could become a hazardous waste if it is mixed with or otherwise comes in contact with a hazardous waste, if chemical additions are made to this material, or if the material is processed or otherwise altered. Consult 40 CFR 261 to determine whether the altered material is a hazardous waste. Consult the appropriate state, regional, or local regulations for additional requirements.

Chemical Name
Buffers - 0000
Indicators - 0
Surfactants - 00000

Chemical Name	RCRA - Halogenated Organic Compounds	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes
Buffers - 0000	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Indicators - 0	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Surfactants - 00000	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Indicators	

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**DOT** Not regulated

**IATA** Not regulated

**IMDG/IMO** Not regulated

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**International Inventories**

Component	TSCA	DSL	EINECS/ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Buffers 0000 (<1)	TSCA	DSL	EINECS/ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Indicators 0 (<1)	TSCA	DSL	EINECS/ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Surfactants 00000 (<1)	TSCA	DSL	EINECS/ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS

**U.S. Federal Regulations**

**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Buffers	0000	<1	None Known
Indicators	0	<1	None Known
Surfactants	00000	<1	None Known

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

<b>Acute Health Hazard</b>	No
<b>Chronic Health Hazard</b>	No
<b>Fire Hazard</b>	No
<b>Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard</b>	No
<b>Reactive Hazard</b>	No

**Clean Water Act**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

Component	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Buffers 0000 ( <1 )	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Indicators 0 ( <1 )	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Surfactants 00000 ( <1 )	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known

**Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPS) (see 40 CFR 61)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous air pollutants (HAPS) under Section 112 of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %	HAPS data	VOC Chemicals	Class 1 Ozone Depleters	Class 2 Ozone Depleters
Buffers	0000	<1	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Indicators	0	<1	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Surfactants	00000	<1	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known

**CERCLA**

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs
Buffers	None Known	None Known
Indicators	None Known	None Known
Surfactants	None Known	None Known

**U.S. State Regulations**

**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

Chemical Name	CAS-No	California Prop. 65
Buffers	0000	None Known
Indicators	0	None Known
Surfactants	00000	None Known

Chemical Name	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Buffers	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Indicators	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known
Surfactants	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known	None Known

**International Regulations**

**Mexico - Grade** Minimum risk, Grade 0

Chemical Name	Carcinogen Status	Exposure Limits
Buffers	None Known	None Known
Indicators	None Known	None Known
Surfactants	None Known	None Known


Canada

WHMIS Hazard Class

Non-controlled

Chemical Name	NPRI
Indicators	

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA	HMIS	PPE	Transport Symbol						
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