



# Material Safety Data Sheet

## RODINAL SPECIAL (Working solution)

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**Not classified as hazardous according to criteria of NOHSC**

### COMPANY DETAILS

**Company**

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**Other**

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### IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name** RODINAL SPECIAL (Working solution)

**Proper**

**Shipping**

**Name** None Allocated

**Other Names** **Name**

**Product Code**

RODINAL SPECIAL DEV 10 x 125ml

BVL4J

**UN Number** None Allocated

**DG Class** None Allocated

**Packing**

**Group** None Allocated

**Hazchem**

**Code** None Allocated

**Poisons**

**Schedule** Not Scheduled

**Product Use** Photographic developer. Working solution.

### Physical Data

**Appearance** Colourless liquid.

**Melting Point** Below 0°C.

<b>Boiling Point</b>	Above 100°C.
<b>Vapour Pressure</b>	Approx. 23 mbar at 20°C.
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	Not supplied.
<b>Flash Point</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Solubility in Water</b>	Miscible at all ratios.

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## Other Properties

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<b>pH Value</b>	Approx. 9.3.
<b>Odour</b>	Odourless.
<b>Form</b>	Liquid

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## Ingredients

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Ingredients	Name	CAS	Proportion
	Potassium sulfite	10117-38-1	1-5 %
	Triethanolamine	102-71-6	1-5 %
	Hydroquinone	123-31-9	0-1 %
	Phenidone	92-43-3	0-1 %
	Potassium bromide	7758-02-3	0-1 %
	EDTA-alkali salt		0-1 %
	Water	7732-18-5	(To 100%)

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## HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION

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### Health Effects

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<b>Acute - Swallowed</b>	Harmful if swallowed.
<b>Acute - Eye</b>	Irritating to eyes.
<b>Acute - Skin</b>	Irritating to skin.
<b>Acute - Inhaled</b>	May cause irritation by inhalation.
<b>Chronic</b>	Repeated or prolonged exposure may result in allergic skin reactions.

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### First Aid

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<b>Swallowed</b>	Give plenty of water to drink. Seek immediate medical assistance.
<b>Eye</b>	Immediately irrigate with copious quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held open. Seek medical advice if effects persist.
<b>Skin</b>	Remove contaminated clothing and wash before re-use. Wash affected areas with copious quantities of water immediately.
<b>Inhaled</b>	Remove victim to fresh air.
<b>First Aid Facilities</b>	Eye wash facilities should be available.

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## Advice to Doctor

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**Advice to Doctor** Treat according to symptoms.

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## Other Health Hazard Information

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## PRECAUTIONS FOR USE

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Exposure Limits	Name	STEL (mgm3)	STEL (ppm)	TWA (mgm3)	TWA (ppm)	FootNote
	Hydroquinone			2		

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**Eng. Controls** Exhaust ventilation is recommended with a room air exchange rate sufficient to maintain airborne concentrations of Hydroquinone at or below the exposure limit.

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## Personal Protection

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### Respirator

**Type (AS 1716)** Not normally necessary. Avoid breathing vapours.

**Eye Protection** Wear splash proof goggles in accordance with AS1337.

**Glove Type** Wear gloves of impervious material such nitrile, neoprene, PVC or rubber in accordance with AS2161.

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## Flammability

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**Fire Hazards** Not flammable.

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## SAFE HANDLING INFORMATION

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## Storage and Transport

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### Storage

**Precautions** Keep container tightly sealed. Ensure adequate ventilation of the workplace.

**Transport** Classified as non-dangerous for transport.

### Proper

**Shipping Name** None Allocated

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## Spills and Disposal

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**Spills & Leaks** Apply inert absorbant material such as sand or vermiculite and collect into sealable container for disposal.

**Disposal** Waste products must be disposed of to landfill or incinerator in accordance with local regulations.

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## Fire/Explosion Hazard

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**Fire/Explos. Hazard**

No fire or explosion hazards under normal conditions for use or storage.

**Hazardous  
Decomposition**

**or Byproducts** When heated to decomposition Sulfur Dioxide fumes will be released.

**Hazchem Code** None Allocated

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## OTHER INFORMATION

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**Toxicology** Hydroquinone - acute oral LD50 (rat) 320 mg/Kg  
- acute dermal LD50 (rat) > 900 mg/Kg  
- acute intraperitoneal LD50 (rat) approx. 170 mg/Kg

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## CONTACT POINT

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**Contact** Hazardous Goods Controller  
Tel: (03) 9264 7711  
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