1. Material and Supply Company Identification

**Product Name:** PeCOD Pre-mixed Calibrant  
**Chemical Name:** Sorbitol and Lithium Nitrate Solution

**Synonyms:**  
Advanced Blue Range Pre-mixed Calibrant  
Green Range Pre-Mixed Calibrant  
Yellow Range Pre-Mixed Calibrant  
Red Range Pre-Mixed Calibrant

**Product Use:** For the calibration of the MANTECH PeCOD® COD Analyzer. Laboratory and industrial use only.

**Manufacturer Information:**  
579453 Ontario Inc.  
o/a MANTECH  
5473 Highway 6 North  
Guelph, ON, N1H 6J2  
Phone: 519-763-4245  
Emergency Phone Number: 519-763-4245 or 519-835-5252

2. Hazards Identification

**Hazard Classification**  
*Health Hazard*

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**Label Elements**  
*Symbol:*
Signal Word: Warning

Hazard Statements: May cause eye irritation H320
May be harmful in contact with skin H313
May be harmful if inhaled H333
May be harmful if swallowed H303

Precautionary Statements: Wash hands thoroughly after handling P264
Avoid breathing mists or vapours P261

HMIS Ratings: Health: 1 Fire: 0 Physical Hazard: 0
Hazard Scale: 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe * = Chronic

3. Composition Information

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<th>CAS #</th>
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<td>&lt;10%</td>
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<td>Sorbitol</td>
<td>50-70-4</td>
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<td>Silver Nitrate</td>
<td>7761-88-8</td>
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<td>Water</td>
<td>7732-18-5</td>
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4. First Aid Measures

Eye: Immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyes open. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

Skin: Wash area with soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation develops.

Ingestion: Rinse mouth with water. If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a medical physician. Give a glass of water or milk. Never give anything by mouth to a patient who is unconscious or having convulsions.

Inhalation: Remove patient to fresh air. Seek medical attention for any breathing difficulties.

Advice to Doctor: Treat symptomatically.

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

General Fire Hazards:
This product is an aqueous solution which will not burn. However, if evaporated to dryness this product is an oxidizer and can sustain combustion.
**Hazardous Combustion Properties:**
Thermal decomposition products may include irritating vapors and toxic gases including oxides of lithium and nitrogen. If heated to evaporation, this product may evolve oxygen and increase fire hazard.

**Extinguishing Media:**
Dry chemical, foam, carbon dioxide, water fog.

**Fire Fighting Equipment/Instructions:**
Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if risk of exposure to products of decomposition.

**NFPA Ratings:**

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6. **Accidental Release Measures**

**Containment Procedures:**
Contain the discharged material. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment during clean-up. Avoid contact with combustible material.

**Clean-Up Procedures:**
Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Absorb spill with inert material such as lime, poly pads, or other suitable absorbent material. Shovel the absorbed material into appropriate container for disposal.

**Evacuation Procedures:**
Isolate area. Keep unnecessary people away.

**Special Procedures:**
Follow all local, State, Federal, and Provincial regulations for disposal. Wash area down with excess water.

7. **Handling and Storage**

**Handling Procedures:**
Avoid eye contact and repeated or prolonged skin contact. Exercise good industrial and personal hygiene procedures. Avoid breathing fumes, mists or vapors. Wash thoroughly after handling.
Storage Procedures:
Store in cool, dry, well ventilated place and out of direct sunlight. Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10. Keep containers closed when not in use.

8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Guidelines

A: General Product Information:
Exposures should be minimized in accordance with good industrial hygiene practices. Keep formation of airborne mists to a minimum.

B: Component Exposure Limits:
ACGIH, OSHA, NIOSH or the provinces of Canada have not developed exposure limits for this product.

Engineering Controls:
Natural ventilation should be adequate under normal conditions. Keep containers closed when not in use.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Eyes/Face: Wear safety glasses
Skin: Wear impervious (neoprene) gloves and cotton/polyester lab coat or overalls
Respiratory: Use in a ventilated area.
General: Wash hands after handling material and before eating or drinking.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

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10. Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability:
This is a stable material.

Conditions of Avoid:

Incompatibility:
Strong oxidizers; Strong acids; Fuel; Combustible materials.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:
Decomposition may yield Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide, and/or low molecular weight hydrocarbons, Lithium oxide; Nitrogen oxides (NOx); Oxygen, when heated.

11. Toxicological Information

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A: General Product Information:
Over exposure may be irritating to contaminated tissues.

B: Component Analysis – LD50 / LC50:
No LD50 or LC50 available for this product.

Epidemiology:
No Epidemiology data is available for this product.

Carcinogenicity:
A: General Product Information:
No carcinogenicity data available for this product

B: Component Carcinogenicity:
None of the products components are listed by ACGIH, IARC, OSHA, NIOSH or NTP

Mutagenicity:
No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.
Teratogenicity:
No Teratogenicity data available for this product

Neurological Effects:
No Neurological data available for this product

Other Toxicological Information:
No additional information available

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity:
No Ecotoxicity data available for this product

Environmental Fate:
No information available for this product

13. Disposal Considerations

Disposal Instructions:
Dispose of waste according to Local, State, Federal and Provincial Environmental Regulations.

14. Transport Information

UN Number: None allocated
UN Proper Shipping Name: None allocated
DG Class & Subsidiary Risk: None allocated
Packing Group: None allocated

DOT:
This product is not regulated as a hazardous material for transportation

IATA:
This product is not regulated as a hazardous material for transportation

IMDG:
This product is not regulated as a hazardous material for transportation
15. Regulatory Information

**US Federal regulations**
This material contains one or more of the following chemicals required to be identified under SARA Section 302 (40 CFR 355 Appendix A), SARA Section 313 (40 CFR 372.65) and/or CERCLA (40 CFR 302.4).

**Lithium nitrate (7790-69-4)**  
SARA 313: 1.0 % de minimis concentration (reportable only when in aqueous solution, Chemical Category N511) (related to Nitrate Compounds, water dissociable)

**Canadian regulations**
Not listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory  
**WHMIS Classification:** Class D2B: Material Causing Other Toxic Effects

**EU Regulations**
No additional information available

16. Other Information

Workers should be trained to handle hazardous chemicals. It is recommended that they are familiar with the contents of this safety data sheet (SDS). This SDS is not a risk assessment; recipients are advised to make their own risk assessment as required by other Health and Safety legislations.

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