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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name

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1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses

For research use only.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier

Web: www.bio-rad-antibodies.com
Bio-Rad
Endeavour House
Langford Business Park
Kidlington
Oxford
OX5 1GE
Tel. +44 (0)1865 852700
antibody_safetydatasheets@bio-rad.com

Contact person

Technical Services Manager

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone

Tel. +44 (0) 1865 852700 (9.00 a.m. - 5.00 p.m. Mon-Fri)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification

Physical hazards

Not Classified

Health hazards

Not Classified

Environmental hazards

Not Classified

2.2. Label elements

Hazard statements

NC Not Classified

2.3. Other hazards

No information available.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

Composition comments

No classified ingredients, or those having occupational exposure limits, present above the levels of disclosure.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures
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Inhalation
Due to the small packaging, the risk of inhalation is minimal. If spray/mist has been inhaled, proceed as follows. Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Ingestion
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues. Due to the small packaging, the risk of ingestion is minimal.

Skin contact
Due to the small packaging, the risk of skin contact is minimal. Remove contaminated clothing and rinse skin thoroughly with water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Eye contact
Due to the small packaging, the risk of eye contact is minimal. Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids wide apart. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Inhalation
May cause cause coughing or mild irritation.

Ingestion
May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Skin contact
Prolonged skin contact may cause redness and irritation.

Eye contact
May cause temporary eye irritation.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes for the doctor
No specific recommendations.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media
The product is not flammable. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards
There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product. No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

Hazardous combustion products
Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during firefighting
No specific firefighting precautions known.

Special protective equipment for firefighters
Use protective equipment appropriate for surrounding materials.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions
Wear suitable protective equipment, including gloves, goggles/face shield, respirator, boots, clothing or apron, as appropriate.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions
Avoid the spillage or runoff entering drains, sewers or watercourses.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up
Absorb spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. Avoid the spillage or runoff entering drains, sewers or watercourses.
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6.4. Reference to other sections
Reference to other sections Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling
Usage precautions Avoid spilling. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Good personal hygiene procedures should be implemented. Wash hands and any other contaminated areas of the body with soap and water before leaving the work site.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Storage precautions Keep only in the original container. Store at specified temperature. Refer to product label.

Storage class Refer to product datasheet.

7.3. Specific end use(s)
Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.2. Exposure controls
Protective equipment

Appropriate engineering controls Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid inhalation of vapours and spray/mists. Observe any occupational exposure limits for the product or ingredients.

Eye/face protection Eyewear complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates eye contact is possible. The following protection should be worn: Chemical splash goggles or face shield.

Hand protection Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates skin contact is possible.

Other skin and body protection Wear appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of skin contact. Wear apron or protective clothing in case of contact.

Hygiene measures Provide eyewash station. Do not smoke in work area. Wash hands at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes contaminated. Use appropriate skin cream to prevent drying of skin. When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

Respiratory protection No specific recommendations. Respiratory protection must be used if the airborne contamination exceeds the recommended occupational exposure limit.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties
Appearance Solid or liquid (may vary).

Colour Various colours.

Odour No characteristic odour.

Melting point Not determined.
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Initial boiling point and range  
<100 °C @ 760 mm Hg

Flash point  
Not applicable.

Evaporation rate  
Not determined.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits  
Not applicable.

Vapour pressure  
Not determined.

Vapour density  
Not determined.

Relative density  
Not determined.

Solubility(ies)  
Soluble in water.

Partition coefficient  
Not determined.

Auto-ignition temperature  
Not determined.

Decomposition Temperature  
Not determined.

Viscosity  
Not determined.

Explosive properties  
Not determined.

Oxidising properties  
Not determined.

9.2. Other information  
None.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity  
Reactivity  
There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

10.2. Chemical stability  
Stability  
Stable at normal ambient temperatures.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions  
Possibility of hazardous reactions  
Will not polymerise.

10.4. Conditions to avoid  
Conditions to avoid  
Avoid exposure to high temperatures or direct sunlight.

10.5. Incompatible materials  
Materials to avoid  
Strong acids.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products  
Hazardous decomposition products  
Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects  
Toxicological effects  
No information available.

Acute toxicity - oral  
Notes (oral LD₅₀)  
Not determined.
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Skin corrosion/irritation
Human skin model test Not determined.

Extreme pH

Serious eye damage/irritation
Serious eye damage/irritation Not determined.

Germ cell mutagenicity
Genotoxicity - in vitro Not determined.

Carcinogenicity
Carcinogenicity Not determined.

Reproductive toxicity
Reproductive toxicity - fertility Not determined.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
STOT - single exposure Not determined.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
STOT - repeated exposure Not determined.

Aspiration hazard
Aspiration hazard Not determined.

Inhalation
Gas or vapour in high concentrations may irritate the respiratory system. Symptoms following overexposure may include the following: Coughing.

Ingestion
May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Skin contact
Liquid may irritate skin.

Eye contact
Vapour or spray in the eyes may cause irritation and smarting.

Acute and chronic health hazards
Because of the product's quantity and composition, the health hazard is regarded as low.

Route of entry
Ingestion. Skin and/or eye contact

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity
There are no data on the ecotoxicity of this product.

12.1. Toxicity
Acute toxicity - fish Not determined.

12.2. Persistence and degradability
Persistence and degradability There are no data on the degradability of this product.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential
Bioaccumulative potential No data available on bioaccumulation.
Partition coefficient Not determined.

12.4. Mobility in soil
Mobility The product is soluble in water.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
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Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
No information available

12.6. Other adverse effects
Other adverse effects
Not determined.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods
General information
When handling waste, the safety precautions applying to handling of the product should be considered.

Disposal methods
Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

SECTION 14: Transport information

General
The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

Road transport notes
Not classified.

Rail transport notes
Not classified.

Sea transport notes
Not classified.

Air transport notes
Not classified.

14.1. UN number
Not applicable.

14.2. UN proper shipping name
Not applicable.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)
Not applicable.

14.4. Packing group
Not applicable.

14.5. Environmental hazards
Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant
No.

14.6. Special precautions for user
Not applicable.

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code
Not applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
EU legislation
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Guidance
Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.
Approved Classification and Labelling Guide (Sixth edition) L131.
Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment
No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

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