Safety Data Sheet

# **MDX004**

# **Tissue Extract-PCR Buffers**



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SEC	FION 1: Identification of the substan	ce/mixture and of the company/undertaking	
1.1	Product identifier		
	Product form:	Mixture	
	Product name:	Buffer A	
	CAS No.:	N/A	
	EC No.:	N/A	
	REACH No.:	A registration number is not available for this substance as the	
		substance or its uses are exempted from registration, the annual	
		tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is	
		envisaged for a later registration deadline.	
1.2	Relevant identified uses of the substance	or mixture and uses advised against	
	Relevant identified uses:	Product for analytical use	
	Uses advised against:	Not described	
1.3	Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet		
	Bioline Reagents Ltd, part of Meridian Biosci	ence	
	Humber Road	Phone: +44 (0)20 8830 5300	
	London	Fax: +44 (0)20 8452 2822	
	NW2 6EW	E-mail: mbi.tech@meridianlifescience.com	
	United Kingdom		
1.4	Emergency telephone number		
	Emergency number:	+44 (0)1865 407 333 – English speaking (24 hours, 7 days)	
	Contact:	CareChem 24	
SEC	FION 2: Hazards identification		
2.1	Classification of the substance or mixture		
	Buffer A		
	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008		
	Not a hazardous substance or mixture		
2.2	Label elements		
	Buffer A		
	Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008		
	Not a hazardous substance or mixture		
	Hazard Statements (CLP)	Precautionary Statements (CLP)	



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#### 2.3 Other hazards

#### Possible hazards from physicochemical properties:

Some hazards associated with individual components of this mixture are not relevant because the substances are present in concentrations below the GHS cut-off levels, change of physical state or because the mixture/ solution is buffered to pH 4-9 (see GHS Directive 1272/2008/EC Annex I, chapter 3.2.3.1.2.).

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

### 3.1/3.2 Substance or Mixture

#### Buffer A

Name, synonyms and	Product Identifier	Composition	Classification according to
formulae			Regulation (EC) No.
			1272/2008 (CLP)
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

This mixture does not contain any substances to be mentioned according to the criteria of section 3.2 of REACH annex II

#### 3.3 Remarks

List of H, EUR and P phrases: see section 16

### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	If necessary consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the medical professional in attendance.
First-aid measures after inhalation	Remove to fresh air, keep the patient warm and provide resuscitation if necessary. If symptoms develop, obtain medical attention.
First-aid measures after skin contact	Remove contaminated clothing. Rinse the affected skin or mucous membrane thoroughly under running water. (If possible) use soap.
First-aid measures after eye contact	After contact with the eyes rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes with the eyelid wide open.
First-aid measures after ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth and drink plenty of water.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling section 2.2 and/or in section 11 Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

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

No additional recommendations.



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### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Fire extinguishers appropriate to the fire classification, and, if applicable, a fire blanket must be available in a prominent location in the work area.

Suitable extinguishing media	All extinguishers like FOAM, WATER SPRAY, DRY POWDER, CARBON
	DIOXIDE can be used.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	None known.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire Hazard	Not flammable.
Hazardous decomposition products in	Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides, Sulphur oxides, Potassium oxides,
case of fire	Hydrogen chloride gas.

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions         Product package burns like paper or plastic.	
	Spray any vapours released with water.
	Retain fire water where possible.
Protection during firefighting	Protective breathing apparatus, independent of the ambient air (isolated
	equipment), and sealed protective clothing is necessary in the event of large-
	scale formation of toxic substances.

#### 5.4 Additional Information

None.

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel	Evacuate unnecessary personnel.
	Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas.
	Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.
	Regular staff training is necessary, indicating hazards and precautions on
	the basis of operating instructions.
	Restrictions on activity must be observed.
For emergency responders	Wear suitable protective equipment as defined in section 8.2
	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
	Avoid release of materials into the environment.

#### 6.2

#### Environmental precautions

Notify authorities if large amounts of the product enters sewers or public waters.

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#### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Small Scale release	Make use of general chemical spill kit or other absorbent material.
	Clean any contaminated equipment and floors with plenty of water.
	Collect small amounts of leaked liquid and flush with copious amounts of
	water into drains.
Large Scale release	Bind any escaping liquid with inert absorbent material (sand, vermiculite or
	similar).
	Block/ prevent liquid entering any open drain.
	Collect contaminated materials and dispose in accordance to local
	regulations for the disposal of hazardous chemicals.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

SECTION 5.4: Additional fire precautions.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling	Handling in accordance with the instructions supplied with the product.
	Provide adequate ventilation.
	Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas.
	Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.
Hygiene measures	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
	Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
	Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before
	eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions	Keep only in the original container.
	Store in a cool well ventilated place out of direct sunlight.
	Keep container closed when not in use.
Incompatible materials	Store separately from: Bases, Oxidizing agents.

#### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.



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### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1 Control parameters

Buffer A			
United Kingdom	WEL TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	N/A	
United Kingdom	WEL TWA (ppm)	N/A	
United Kingdom	WEL STEL (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	N/A	
United Kingdom	WEL STEL (ppm)	N/A	
United Kingdom	Remark (WEL)	Contains no substances with occupational	
		exposure limit values.	

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls:	Good ventilation or extraction system in the room, floor resistant to
	chemicals and washing facilities available.
General controls	Avoid all unnecessary exposure.
	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
Respiratory protection	Respiratory protection not required.
	For nuisance exposures or if risk assessment requires, use type OV/AG (US)
	or type ABEK (EU EN 14387) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and
	components tested and approved under appropriate government standards
	such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).
Eye protection	Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate
	government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN166 (EU) with integrated
	side shields or wrap-around protection.
Hand protection	Handle with gloves.
	Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique
	(without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this
	product.
	Wear protective gloves that satisfy the specifications of EU Directive
	89/686/EEC and the standard EN374 derived from it.
	Exact breakthrough times to be found through the manufacturer of the
	protective gloves and must be observed.
	Gloves should be removed and replaced if there are any signs of
	degradation or breakthrough.
	If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions
	which differ from EN374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves.
Skin and body protection	Long sleeved protective clothing.
Thermal protection	Not required for normal conditions of use.
Other information	Eating, drinking, smoking, taking snuff and storage of food in work areas and
	at outdoor workplaces is prohibited. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and
	clothing. Rinse any clothing on which the substance has been spilled, and
	soak it in water. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water when stopping
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These recommendations are advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

9.1

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Buffer A	
Physical state:	Liquid
Colour:	Colourless
Molecular Mass:	No data available
Odour:	Odourless
Odour threshold:	No data available
pH:	No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1):	No data available
Melting point:	No data available
Freezing point:	No data available
Boiling point:	No data available
Flash point:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available
Decomposition temperature:	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas):	Not applicable
Vapour pressure:	No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C:	No data available
Relative density:	~1.0 g/cm³ (Water = 1)
Solubility:	No data available
Log Pow:	No data available
Viscosity, kinematic:	No data available
Viscosity, dynamic:	No data available
Oxidising properties:	No data available
Explosive properties:	No data available
Explosive limits:	No data available

#### 9.2 Other information

Data for the other parameters of the mixtures are not available, because no registration and no chemical safety report is required.

Relevant Properties of Substance Group:

None

# SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity 10.1 Reactivity Stable under normal conditions.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended conditions.

#### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions None known.



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10.4 Conditions to avoid

Extremely high or low temperatures.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Bases, Oxidizing agents.

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions – Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides, Sulphur oxides, Potassium oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas.

In the event of fire: see section 5

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#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Quantitative data on the toxicity of this product is not available.

Buffer A	
Acute toxicity	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Skin corrosion/irritation	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Serious eye damage/irritation	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Carcinogenicity	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Reproductive toxicity	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Aspiration hazard	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Potential adverse human health effects and	Not expected to present a significant hazard under
symptoms:	anticipated conditions of normal use.

### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1 Toxicity

Buffer A	
Ecology - Water	Not Classified

Environmental hazards must not be labelled with P phrases until 125 mL or 125 g (EU 1272/2008 Annex I - 1.5.2).



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#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Buffer A	
Biodegradation	No data available

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Buffer A	
Bioconcentration factor (BCF REACH)	No additional information available
Log Pow	No data available

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

Buffer A	
Ecology - Soil	No data available.

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Buffer A
This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII
This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

Buffer A

No additional information available.

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations:	Product
	Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.
	Contaminated packaging
	Dispose of as unused product.

#### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

#### 14.1 UN number

UN-No. (ADR)	Not regulated
UN-No. (IMDG)	Not regulated
UN-No. (IATA)	Not regulated
UN-No. (ADN)	Not regulated
UN-No. (RID)	Not regulated



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#### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG)	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (IATA)	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (ADN)	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (RID)	Not regulated

#### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR)	Not regulated
Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG)	Not regulated
Transport hazard class(es) (IATA)	Not regulated
Transport hazard class(es) (ADN)	Not regulated
Transport hazard class(es) (RID)	Not regulated

#### 14.4 Packing group

Packing group	Not regulated
Packing group (IMDG)	Not regulated
Packing group (IATA)	Not regulated
Packing group (ADN)	Not regulated
Packing group (RID)	Not regulated

#### 14.5 Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment	No
Marine pollutant	No
Other information	No supplementary information available

#### 14.6 Special precautions for user

Overland transport	Not regulated
Transport by sea	Not regulated
Air transport	Not regulated
Inland waterway transport	Not regulated
Rail transport	Not regulated

#### 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

Not applicable

#### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Contains no REACH substances with Annex XVII restrictions

Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list  $\geq$  0,1 % / SCL

Contains no REACH Annex XIV substances

#### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

#### **SECTION 16: Other Information**

#### 16.1 Full text of H, EUH and P statements

None

None.

16.2 Training Advice

Regular safety training



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#### 16.3 Abbreviations and acronyms

ADR       Accord europeen relatif au transport international des marchandises Dangereuses par Route         ATE       Acute Toxicity Estimate         CAS       Chemical Abstracts Service number         CLP       Classification, Labeling and Packaging         DNEL       Derived No effect Limit         EC       European Community         ECS0       Effective Concentration 50%         EN       European Norm         IARC       International Agency for Research on Cancer         IATA       International Agency for Research on Cancer         IMDG       International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code         IMO       International Maritime Organisation         LC50       Lethal Concentration 50%         LD50       Lethal Concentration 50%         LD50       Lethal Concentration 50%         LD50       Lethal Dose 50%         MAC       Maximal Allowed Concentration         O/W       Oli-in-Water (chemistry)         OECD       Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development         PBT       Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic         PMcc       Pensky-Martens Closed Cup test         PNEC       Predicted no effect concentration         REACH       Registration, Evaluation and Authorisation of CHemicals		
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UNXXXX Number assigned by the United Nations Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods	TWA	Time Weighted Average
	UNXXXX	Number assigned by the United Nations Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods
vPvB Very persistent and very bioaccumulative	vPvB	Very persistent and very bioaccumulative

#### 16.4 Recommended Restriction on Use

Only for professional user working under controlled conditions.

Consider employee restrictions for young people (e.g. 94/33/EC)

Consider employee restrictions for pregnant women and nursing women (e.g. 92/85/EEC)

#### 16.5 Further Information

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#### 16.6 Sources of Key Data

UK – Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended). Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 (as amended). Guidance Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.

EU – REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006. Regulation 453/2010/EU REACH - REQUIREMENTS FOR THE COMPILATION OF SAFETY DATA SHEETS Regulation 487/2013/EU, 4th adaptation of CLP regulation to technical and scientific progress. Legislation Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) (as amended). Commission Regulation (EU) No 2015/830 of 28 May 2015.

German act governing protection from hazardous substances (Chemicals Act / Chemikaliengesetz- ChemG), revised on August 2013 German order governing protection from hazardous substances (Ordinance on Hazardous Substances / Gefahrstoffverordnung - GefStoffV), revised on November 2010, according to Directive 98/24/EC TRGS 900, German engineering rules governing limits in air at work, updated February 2015 SUVA .CH, Limits in air at work 2009, revised on 01.2009. KÜHN, BIRETT Merkblätter Gefährliche Arbeitsstoffe (Data Sheets of Hazardous Substances)., updated October 2011

Republic of China – 职业病防治法

USA – Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Occupational Exposure Limits - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants. The American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH).

Australia - Work Health and Safety (WHS) Act and the WHS Regulations.



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SEC	TION 1: Identification of the substan	ce/mixture and of the company/undertaking	
1.1	Product identifier		
	Product form:	Mixture	
	Product name:	Buffer B	
	CAS No.:	N/A	
	EC No.:	N/A	
	REACH No.:	A registration number is not available for this substance as the	
		substance or its uses are exempted from registration, the annual	
		tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is	
		envisaged for a later registration deadline.	
1.2	Relevant identified uses of the substance	e or mixture and uses advised against	
	Relevant identified uses:	Product for analytical use	
	Uses advised against:	Not described	
1.3	Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet		
	Bioline Reagents Ltd, part of Meridian Biosc	ience	
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	London	Fax: +44 (0)20 8452 2822	
	NW2 6EW	E-mail: mbi.tech@meridianlifescience.com	
	United Kingdom		
1.4	Emergency telephone number		
	Emergency number:	+44 (0)1865 407 333 – English speaking (24 hours, 7 days)	
	Contact:	CareChem 24	
SEC	TION 2: Hazards identification		
2.1	Classification of the substance or mixture	e	
	Buffer B		
	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008		

Respiratory sensitisation (Category 1), H334 Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure, respiratory system, (Category 3), H335



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#### 2.2 Label elements

According CLP (GHS) inner packages must be only labelled with symbol(s) and product identificator (EU 1272/2008 Annex I - 1.5.1.2).

Harmful chemicals/mixtures with signal word: **WARNING** must not be labelled with H and P phrases **until 125 mL** or **125 g** (EU 1272/2008 Annex I - 1.5.2).

#### Buffer B

#### Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



GHS Pictogram: Signal word:

Hazard Statements (CLP)	Precautionary Statements (CLP)
H334 – May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or	P261 – Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
breathing difficulties if inhaled.	P342 & P311 – If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a
H335 – May cause respiratory irritation.	POISON CENTER or doctor/
	physician.

#### 2.3 Other hazards

#### Possible hazards from physicochemical properties:

Some hazards associated with individual components of this mixture are not relevant because the substances are present in concentrations below the GHS cut-off levels, change of physical state or because the mixture solution is buffered to pH 4-9 (see GHS Directive 1272/2008/EC Annex I, chapter 3.2.3.1.2.).

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### 3.1/3.2 Substance or Mixture

#### Buffer B

Name, synonyms and formulae	Product Identifier	Composition	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP)
Proteinase K, Endopeptidase K	(CAS No.) 39450-01-6 (EC No.) 254-457-8	<5%	Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2; Resp. Sens. 1; STOT SE 3; H315, H319, H334, H335
Glycerol, 1,2,3-PropanetriolGlycerin C3H8O3	(CAS No.) 56-81-5 (EC No.) 200-289-5	40-60%	Not a hazardous substance or mixture

#### 3.3 Remarks

List of H, EUR and P phrases: see section 16



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#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	If necessary consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the medical
	professional in attendance.
First-aid measures after inhalation	Remove to fresh air, keep the patient warm and provide resuscitation if
	necessary. If symptoms develop, obtain medical attention.
First-aid measures after skin contact	Remove contaminated clothing. Rinse the affected skin or mucous
	membrane thoroughly under running water. (If possible) use soap.
First-aid measures after eye contact	After contact with the eyes rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least
	15 minutes with the eyelid wide open.
First-aid measures after ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious
	person. Rinse mouth and drink plenty of water.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling section 2.2 and/or in section 11 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Toxic effects to lungs if inhaled.

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

No additional recommendations.

#### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Fire extinguishers appropriate to the fire classification, and, if applicable, a fire blanket must be available in a prominent location in the work area.

Suitable extinguishing media	All extinguishers like FOAM, WATER SPRAY, DRY POWDER, CARBON
	DIOXIDE can be used.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	None known.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire Hazard	Not flammable.
Hazardous decomposition products in	Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas, Calcium oxide.
case of fire	

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions	Product package burns like paper or plastic.	
	Spray any vapours released with water.	
	Retain fire water where possible.	
Protection during firefighting	Protective breathing apparatus, independent of the ambient air (isolated	
	equipment), and sealed protective clothing is necessary in the event of large-	
	scale formation of toxic substances.	



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#### 5.4 Additional Information

None.

### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel	Evacuate unnecessary personnel.
	Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas.
	Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.
	Regular staff training is necessary, indicating hazards and precautions on
	the basis of operating instructions.
	Restrictions on activity must be observed.
For emergency responders	Wear suitable protective equipment as defined in section 8.2
	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
	Avoid release of materials into the environment.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Notify authorities if large amounts of the product enters sewers or public waters.

#### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Small Scale release	Make use of general chemical spill kit or other absorbent material.	
	Clean any contaminated equipment and floors with plenty of water.	
	Collect small amounts of leaked liquid and flush with copious amounts of	
	water into drains.	
Large Scale release	Bind any escaping liquid with inert absorbent material (sand, vermiculite or	
	similar).	
	Block/ prevent liquid entering any open drain.	
	Collect contaminated materials and dispose in accordance to local	
	regulations for the disposal of hazardous chemicals.	

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

SECTION 5.4: Additional fire precautions.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations.



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### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling	Handling in accordance with the instructions supplied with the product.	
	Provide adequate ventilation.	
	Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas.	
	Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.	
Hygiene measures	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.	
	Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.	
	Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before	
	eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.	

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions	Keep only in the original container.	
	Store in a cool well ventilated place out of direct sunlight.	
	Keep container closed when not in use.	
	Hygroscopic.	
Incompatible materials	Store separately from: Bases, Oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Borane/boron	
	oxides, Zinc, Calcium oxide, Methyl vinyl ether, Calcium chloride is attacked	
	by bromine trifluoride.	

#### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1 Control parameters

Proteinase K		
United Kingdom	WEL TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	N/A
United Kingdom	WEL TWA (ppm)	N/A
United Kingdom	WEL STEL (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	N/A
United Kingdom	WEL STEL (ppm)	N/A
United Kingdom	Remark (WEL)	N/A
Glycerol		
United Kingdom	WEL TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
United Kingdom	WEL TWA (ppm)	N/A
United Kingdom	WEL STEL (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	N/A
United Kingdom	WEL STEL (ppm)	N/A
United Kingdom	Remark (WEL)	Where no specific short-term exposure
		limit is listed, a figure three
		times the long-term exposure should be
		used.



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#### 8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls:	Good ventilation or extraction system in the room, floor resistant to
Appropriate engineering controls.	chemicals and washing facilities available.
Concernel constrain	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
General controls	Avoid all unnecessary exposure.
	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
Respiratory protection	Respiratory protection not normally required.
	For nuisance exposures or if risk assessment requires, use type OV/AG (US)
	or type ABEK (EU EN 14387) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and
	components tested and approved under appropriate government standards
	such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).
Eye protection	Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate
	government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN166 (EU) with integrated
	side shields or wrap-around protection.
Hand protection	Handle with gloves.
	Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique
	(without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this
	product.
	Wear protective gloves that satisfy the specifications of EU Directive
	89/686/EEC and the standard EN374 derived from it.
	Exact breakthrough times to be found through the manufacturer of the
	protective gloves and must be observed.
	Gloves should be removed and replaced if there are any signs of
	degradation or breakthrough.
	If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions
	which differ from EN374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves.
Skin and body protection	Long sleeved protective clothing.
Thermal protection	Not required for normal conditions of use.
Other information	Eating, drinking, smoking, taking snuff and storage of food in work areas and
	at outdoor workplaces is prohibited. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and
	clothing. Rinse any clothing on which the substance has been spilled, and
	soak it in water. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water when stopping
	work and before eating.

These recommendations are advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.



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#### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Buffer B	
Physical state:	Liquid
Colour:	Colourless
Molecular Mass:	No data available
Odour:	Odourless
Odour threshold:	No data available
pH:	No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1):	No data available
Melting point:	No data available
Freezing point:	No data available
Boiling point:	No data available
Flash point:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available
Decomposition temperature:	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas):	Not applicable
Vapour pressure:	No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C:	No data available
Relative density:	~1.0 g/cm³ (Water = 1)
Solubility:	Water: Miscible
Log Pow:	No data available
Viscosity, kinematic:	No data available
Viscosity, dynamic:	No data available
Oxidising properties:	No data available
Explosive properties:	No data available
Explosive limits:	No data available

#### 9.2 Other information

Data for the other parameters of the mixtures are not available, because no registration and no chemical safety report is required.

	Relevant Properties of Substance Group:	None	
SECT	ION 10: Stability and reactivity		
10.1	Reactivity		
	Stable under normal conditions.		
10.2	Chemical stability		
	Stable under recommended conditions.		
10.3	Possibility of hazardous reactions		
	None known.		

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Extremely high or low temperatures.



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#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

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Bases, Oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Borane/boron oxides, Zinc, Calcium oxide, Methyl vinyl ether, Calcium chloride is attacked by bromine trifluoride.

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions – Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas, Calcium oxide.

In the event of fire: see section 5

#### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Proteinase K		
TSCA Inventory:	Listed (CAS 102925-54-2)	
California Proposition 65 List:	Not listed	
Australia NICNAS:	Not listed	
Canada CEPA 1999:DSL:	Not listed	
Japan CSCL/PRTR:	Not listed	
Japan PDSCL:	Not listed	
Japan ISHL:	Not listed	
South Korea TCCA:	Not listed	
Korea Exist.Chem.Inventory:	Not listed	
RTECS:	Not listed	
Glycerol		
LD50 oral rat	12,600 mg/kg	
LC50 inhalation rat 4hr	>2.75 mg/l	
LD50 Dermal rabbit	>10,000 mg/kg	
LD50 Dermal guinea pig	56750 mg/kg	
TSCA Inventory:	Listed (1,2,3-Propanetriol)	
California Proposition 65 List:	Not listed	
Australia NICNAS:	Not listed	
Canada CEPA 1999:DSL:	Not listed	
Japan CSCL/PRTR:	Not listed	
Japan PDSCL:	Not listed	
Japan ISHL:	Not listed	
South Korea TCCA:	Not listed	
Korea Exist.Chem.Inventory:	KE-29297	
RTECS:	MA8050000	

Quantitative data on the toxicity of this product is not available.



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Buffer B	
Acute toxicity	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Skin corrosion/irritation	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Serious eye damage/irritation	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	Respiratory Category 1
Additional information	Based on concentration of Proteinase K in mixture.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Carcinogenicity	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Reproductive toxicity	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Respiratory system Category 3
Additional information	Based on concentration of Proteinase K in mixture.
Aspiration hazard	Not classified.
Additional information	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Potential adverse human health effects and	Not expected to present a significant hazard under
symptoms:	anticipated conditions of normal use.

### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1 Toxicity

Proteinase K	
Ecology - Water	No data available
Glycerol	
Ecology - Water	Not Classified
LC50 – Fish (Salmo gairdneri) 96hr	54,000 mg/l
LC50 - Bacteria, activated sludge	> 1,000 mg/l
EC50 – Daphnia (daphnia magna, locomotor effect)	> 10,000 mg/l
24hr	

Environmental hazards must not be labelled with P phrases until 125 mL or 125 g (EU 1272/2008 Annex I - 1.5.2).

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Proteinase K	
Biodegradation	No data available.
Glycerol	
Biodegradation	No data available.



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#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Proteinase K		
Bioconcentration factor (BCF REACH)	No additional information available.	
Log Pow	No additional information available.	
Glycerol		
Bioconcentration factor (BCF REACH)	No additional information available.	
Log Pow	-1.76	

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

Proteinase K	
Ecology - Soil No data available.	
Glycerol	
Ecology - Soil	Miscible with water.

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

Proteinase K
No additional information available.
Glycerol
No additional information available.

### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations:	Product
	Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.
	Contaminated packaging
	Dispose of as unused product.



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### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

#### 14.1 UN number

UN-No. (ADR)	Not regulated
UN-No. (IMDG)	Not regulated
UN-No. (IATA)	Not regulated
UN-No. (ADN)	Not regulated
UN-No. (RID)	Not regulated

#### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG)	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (IATA)	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (ADN)	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (RID)	Not regulated

#### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR)	Not regulated
Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG)	Not regulated
Transport hazard class(es) (IATA)	Not regulated
Transport hazard class(es) (ADN)	Not regulated
Transport hazard class(es) (RID)	Not regulated

#### 14.4 Packing group

Packing group	Not regulated
Packing group (IMDG)	Not regulated
Packing group (IATA)	Not regulated
Packing group (ADN)	Not regulated
Packing group (RID)	Not regulated

#### 14.5 Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment	No
Marine pollutant	No
Other information	No supplementary information available

#### 14.6 Special precautions for user

Overland transport	Not regulated
Transport by sea	Not regulated
Air transport	Not regulated
Inland waterway transport	Not regulated
Rail transport	Not regulated

#### 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

Not applicable

### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

**15.1** Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture Contains no REACH substances with Annex XVII restrictions

Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list ≥ 0,1 % / SCL

Contains no REACH Annex XIV substances





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#### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

### **SECTION 16: Other Information**

#### 16.1 Full text of H, EUH and P statements

H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P342 & P311	If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

#### 16.2 Training Advice

Regular safety training

#### 16.3 Abbreviations and acronyms

ADR	Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises Dangereuses par Route
ATE	Acute Toxicity Estimate
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service number
CLP	Classification, Labeling and Packaging
DNEL	Derived No effect Limit
EC	European Community
EC50	Effective Concentration 50%
EN	European Norm
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IBC	Intermediate Bulk Container
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
IMO	International Maritime Organisation
LC50	Lethal Concentration 50%
LD50	Lethal Dose 50%
MAC	Maximal Allowed Concentration
O/W	Oil-in-Water (chemistry)
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#### 16.6 Sources of Key Data

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