

Material Safety Data Sheet

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

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Micro A1c Calibrator II, III
- **Catalog or product number:** 192-8012, 192-8013
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** In-vitro laboratory reagent or component
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Bio-Rad Laboratories, Diagnostic Group
4000 Alfred Nobel Drive
Hercules, California 94547 1(510)724-7000
- **Information department:**
Technical services, customer support
TechsupportUSSD@bio-rad.com
- **Emergency telephone number:**
1(800) 424-9300 Use only in the event of a CHEMICAL EMERGENCY involving a SPILL, LEAK, FIRE, EXPLOSION, or ACCIDENT.

2 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with non-hazardous additions.

· **Listing of dangerous and non-hazardous components:**

56-40-6	glycine	Xn R22 Xi R36	50-100%
57-50-1	sucrose, pure		35-50%
6381-92-6	Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid disodium salt dihydrate	Xn R22 Xi R36/37/38	1.0-2.5%
7647-14-5	sodium chloride	Xi R36/38	0.1-1.0%

- **Additional information**
Contains human sourced and/or potentially infectious components.
For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 15.

3 Hazards identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC**
Irritant to eyes.
Xn; Harmful
R22: Harmful if swallowed.
.....
Xi; Irritant
R36: Irritating to eyes.
- **Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:**
The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.
- **Classification system:**
The classification was made according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and expanded upon from company and literature data.

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The classification was made according to OSHA 29CFR 1910.1200 and 1910.1030, and is expanded upon from company and/or literature information.

- **Label elements**

- **Labelling according to EU guidelines:**

The product has been classified and marked in accordance with EU Directives / Ordinance on Hazardous Materials

- **Code letter and hazard designation of product:**



Xn Harmful

- **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**

glycine

- **Risk phrases:**

22 Harmful if swallowed.

36 Irritating to eyes.

- **Safety phrases:**

26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

36 Wear suitable protective clothing.

60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

- **Emergency overview:**

- **Routes of exposure:** Ingestion

- **Classification system**

- **NFPA ratings (scale 0-4)**

Health = 2

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

4 First aid measures

- **General information**

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

- **After inhalation** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

- **After skin contact** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

- **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

- **After swallowing** Immediately call a doctor.

5 Firefighting measures

- **Suitable extinguishing agents**

CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.

- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

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6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Handle as potentially infectious.
- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:** Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
- **Reference to other sections**
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **Precautions for safe handling** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** According to product specification
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

57-50-1 sucrose, pure

PEL (United States)	15* 5** mg/m ³ *total dust **respirable fraction
REL (United States)	10* 5** mg/m ³ *total dust **respirable fraction
TLV (United States)	10 mg/m ³

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**
Follow the usual biosafety practices for handling potentially infectious materials.
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Avoid contact with the eyes.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Protection of hands:** Protective gloves.
- **Material of gloves**
The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.
Synthetic gloves
- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:**
Safety glasses

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Tightly sealed goggles.

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9 Physical and chemical properties

· General Information

· Appearance:

Form: Solid.
Color: Light red
Odor: Light

· Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: undetermined
Boiling point/Boiling range: undetermined

· Flash point: Not applicable

· Auto igniting: Product is not selfigniting.

· Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· Density: Not determined

· Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water: Fully miscible

· Solvent content:

Organic solvents: 0.0 %

Solids content: 100.0 %

· Other information No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known

11 Toxicological information

· Acute toxicity:

· LD/LC50 values for hazardous components per OSHA criteria:

56-40-6 glycine

Oral	LD50	7930 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	5200 mg/kg (rat)

· Primary irritant effect:

- on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
- on the eye:** Irritant effect.
- Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

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Additional toxicological information:

The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:

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Harmful

Irritant

Target organs: Eye.

12 Ecological information

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.

Behavior in environmental systems:

Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information:

General notes:

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

13 Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Recommendation

Hand over to hazardous waste disposers.

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

Uncleaned packagings:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

UN-Number

DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA

Void

UN proper shipping name

DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA

Void

Transport hazard class(es)

ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA

Class

Void

Packing group

DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA

Void

Environmental hazards:

Marine pollutant:

No

Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

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· **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable.

15 Regulatory information

· **SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 - USA)**

· **Section 302/304 (40CFR355.30 / 40CFR355.40):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Section 313 (40CFR372.65):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

56-40-6 glycine

57-50-1 sucrose, pure

7647-14-5 sodium chloride

· **California Proposition 65:**

· **Developmental Toxicity**

32986-56-4 tobramycin

1405-41-0 Gentamicin Sulfate

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **National regulations**

· **Water hazard class:** Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Department issuing MSDS:** Environmental Health and Safety.

· **Contact:**

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· *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**