

Safety Data Sheet
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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Variant nbs Wash Solution
- **Catalog or product number:** 250-3008
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** *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

- **Chemical characterization: Substances**
- **CAS No. Description:**
7732-18-5 water
- **Identification number(s):**
- **EC number:** 231-791-2
- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** *Mixture of the substances listed below with non-hazardous additions.*

Listing of dangerous and non-hazardous components:

7732-18-5	water	50-100%
26628-22-8	sodium azide	.001-.01%

· **Additional information** *For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 15.*

3 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
The product is not classified according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** *Void*
- **Hazard pictograms** *Void*
- **Signal word** *Void*
- **Hazard statements** *Void*
- **Classification system**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0-4)**
Health = 0
Fire = 0
Reactivity = 0

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4 First-aid measures

- **General information** No special measures required.
- **After inhalation** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact**
Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing** Induce vomiting and call for medical help.

5 Fire-fighting 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:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Wear protective clothing.
- **Environmental precautions:** Dilute with plenty of water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
- **Reference to other sections**
No dangerous substances are released.
See Section 7 for information on safe handling
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 measures required.
- **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:** None.
- **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.

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· Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**26628-22-8 sodium azide**REL (United States) Short-term value: C 0.3** mg/m³, C 0.1* ppm
*as HN₃ vapor; **as NaN₃; SkinTLV (United States) Short-term value: C 0.29** mg/m³, C 0.11* ppm
*as HN₃ vapor **as NaN₃**· Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.**· Personal protective equipment****· General protective and hygienic measures** The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.**· Breathing equipment:** Not required.**· Protection of hands:**

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Protective gloves.

· Material of gloves 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**9 Physical and chemical properties****· General Information****· Appearance:**

Form:	Liquid
Color:	Colorless
Odor:	Odorless
Odour threshold:	Not determined.

· pH-value at 20 °C: 7**· Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:	0 °C
Boiling point/Boiling range:	100 °C

· Flash point: Not applicable**· Flammability (solid, gaseous)** Not applicable.**· Ignition temperature:****Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.**· Auto igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.**· Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.**· Explosion limits:**

Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.

· Vapor pressure at 20 °C: 23 hPa**· Density at 20 °C:** 1 g/cm³**· Relative density** Not determined.

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· Vapour density	Not determined.
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Fully miscible
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
dynamic:	Not determined.
kinematic:	Not determined.
· Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	0.0 %
Water:	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:**
This product contains sodium azide. Sodium azide can react with copper, brass, lead, and solder in piping systems to form explosive compounds of lead azide and copper azide.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known

11 Toxicological information

- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritant effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
The product is not subject to classification according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:
When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects according to our experience and the information provided to us.

· **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.

· **Target organs:** Not applicable.

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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:** Generally not hazardous for water.

13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Dispose of waste in accordance to applicable national, regional, or local regulations.
Flush pipes with water frequently if discarding solutions containing sodium azide into metal piping systems.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

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.
· Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
· Transport/Additional information:	Not dangerous according to the above specifications.
· UN "Model Regulation":	-

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15 Regulatory information

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

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

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· **Section 313 (40CFR372.65):**

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

All ingredients are listed.

· **National regulations**

· **Water hazard class:** Generally not 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 SDS:** Environmental Health and Safety.

· **Contact:**

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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

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