

# Safety Data Sheet

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### 1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Liquichek™ ToRCH Plus Control, Negative
- **Catalog or product number:** 228, 228X
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
- **Sector of Use** SU20 Health services
- **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  
9500 Jeronimo Road  
Irvine, California 92618-2017 1(949) 598-1200
- **Information department:** Technical services, customer support
- **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 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**  
Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS07

- **Signal word** Warning
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**  
5-chloro-2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one
- **Hazard statements**  
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- **Precautionary statements**  
P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
P280 Wear protective gloves.  
P272 Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.  
P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  
P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
P302+P352 If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.
- **Emergency overview:**
- **Routes of exposure:**  
Ingestion  
Skin  
Inhalation

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- **Classification system**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0-4)**  
Health = 0  
Fire = 0  
Reactivity = 0
- **Special Hazards** Contains human sourced and/or potentially infectious components.
- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

### 3 Composition/information on ingredients

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

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

EINECS: 268-338-3	Human Source Material	50-100%
CAS: 26172-55-4 EINECS: 247-500-7	5-chloro-2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one	.001-.01%

- **Additional information**  
Contains human sourced and/or potentially infectious components.  
Contains added constituents of animal origin.

### 4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **After inhalation** Supply fresh air and to be sure call for a doctor.
- **After skin contact** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing** Rinse mouth with water. Seek medical attention and appropriate follow-up.
- **Information for doctor**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**  
Skin irritation  
Eye irritation
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed** No further relevant information available.

### 5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents**  
CO<sub>2</sub>, 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.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **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:**  
Keep contaminated washing water and dispose of appropriately.  
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb liquid components with liquid-binding material.  
Pick up mechanically.  
Clean the affected area carefully; suitable cleaners are:  
Disinfectant
- **Reference to other sections** 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.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **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:**  
Refer to package insert for additional information regarding storage conditions.
- **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.
- **Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**  
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**  
Follow the usual biosafety practices for handling potentially infectious materials.  
The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **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. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.  
Synthetic gloves

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- **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
- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

### 9 Physical and chemical properties

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

##### · General Information

##### · Appearance:

Form:	Liquid
Color:	Light yellow
Odor:	Odorless

· pH-value at 20 °C: 7.3-7.5

##### · Change in condition

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

· Flash point: Not applicable

· 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 %

· Other information: No further relevant information available.

### 10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known

### 11 Toxicological information

#### · Information on toxicological effects

##### · Acute toxicity:

##### · Primary irritant effect:

· **on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.

· **on the eye:** Irritant effect.

· **Sensitization:** Sensitization possible through skin contact.

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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:

Irritant

· **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.

## 12 Ecological information

· **Toxicity**

· **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.

· **Mobility in soil** 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.

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

· **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

## 13 Disposal considerations

· **Waste treatment methods**

· **Recommendation** Dispose of waste in accordance to applicable national, regional, or local regulations.

· **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**

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· <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
· <b>ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA</b>	
· <b>Class</b>	Void
· <b>Packing group</b>	
· <b>DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>	Void
· <b>Environmental hazards:</b>	
· <b>Marine pollutant:</b>	No
· <b>Special precautions for user</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>UN "Model Regulation":</b>	Void

## 15 Regulatory information

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **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):**

Proprietary Reagent J12

26172-55-4 5-chloro-2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one

Proprietary Reagent J9

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **MAK (German Maximum Workplace Concentration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **National regulations**

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

- **Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.**

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### 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:**

Life Science Group, Environmental Health and Safety, 2000 Alfred Nobel Drive, Hercules, California, 94547: 1(510) 741-1000

Diagnostic Group, Environmental Health and Safety, 4000 Alfred Nobel Drive, Hercules, California, 94547: 1(510) 724-7000

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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

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

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)

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Skin Sens. 1: Sensitisation - Skin, Hazard Category 1

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