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**Kit Components**

Product code	Description
<b>229X</b> <b>229PX</b> <b>230NX</b>	<b>Liquichek™ ToRCH Plus IgM Control, MiniPak</b> <b>Refer to Kit Components for Individual MSDSs</b>

Components:

229	Liquichek ToRCH Plus IgM Control, Positive
230	Liquichek ToRCH Plus IgM Control, Negative

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

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Liquichek ToRCH Plus IgM Control, Positive
- **Catalog or product number:** 229
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **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  
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 Hazards identification**

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
  - **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC**  
Xi; Irritant  
R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact.
  - **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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- **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:**  
 Xi Irritant
  - **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**  
5-chloro-2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one
  - **Risk phrases:**  
43 May cause sensitization by skin contact.
  - **Safety phrases:**  
24 Avoid contact with skin.  
35 This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way.  
37 Wear suitable gloves.
  - **Emergency overview:**
  - **Routes of exposure:**  
Ingestion

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- Skin
- **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	T R23/24/25 C R34 Xi R43 N R50/53	.001-.01%

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

**4 First aid measures**

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **After inhalation**  
 Supply fresh air and to be sure call for a doctor.  
 In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.
- **After skin contact** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **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.
- **Medical conditions aggravated by exposure:** None expected.

**5 Firefighting measures**

- **Extinguishing media**
- **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.

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

## 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.  
Dilute with plenty of water.  
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Clean the affected area carefully; suitable cleaners are:  
Disinfectant  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).  
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 measures required.  
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.  
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:** 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.
- **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.  
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

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- Avoid contact with the skin.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:** 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
- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

**9 Physical and chemical properties**

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

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

Form:	Liquid
Color:	Clear
Odor:	Odorless

· **pH-value at 20°C:** 7

· **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:** 1.0 %

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

**10 Stability and reactivity**

· **Reactivity**

· **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

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**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.

· **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.

**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.

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.

· **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

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**14 Transport information**

· <b>UN-Number</b> · <b>DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA</b>	Void
· <b>UN proper shipping name</b> · <b>DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA</b>	Void
· <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.

**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):**

532-32-1 | sodium benzoate

· **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.

· **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.

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

**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:**

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

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Liquichek ToRCH Plus IgM Control, Negative
- **Catalog or product number:** 230, 230X
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **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  
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 Hazards identification**

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC**  
Xi; Irritant  
R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact.
- **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:**



Xi Irritant

- **Risk phrases:**  
43 May cause sensitization by skin contact.
- **Safety phrases:**  
24 Avoid contact with skin.  
35 This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way.  
37 Wear suitable gloves.
- **Emergency overview:**
- **Routes of exposure:**  
Ingestion  
Skin
- **Classification system**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0-4)**  
Health = 0  
Fire = 0  
Reactivity = 0
- **Special Hazards** Contains human sourced and/or potentially infectious components.

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- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

**3 Composition/information on ingredients**

- **Chemical characterization: Substances**
- **CAS No. Description:**  
Human Source Material
- **Identification number(s):**
- **EC number:** 268-338-3
- **Additional information:**  
Contains human sourced and/or potentially infectious components.  
For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 15.
- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**

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

CAS: 26172-55-4	5-chloro-2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one	T R23/24/25	.001-.01%
EINECS: 247-500-7		C R34	
		Xi R43	
		N R50/53	

**4 First aid measures**

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **After inhalation**  
Supply fresh air and to be sure call for a doctor.  
In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.
- **After skin contact** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **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.
- **Medical conditions aggravated by exposure:** None expected.

**5 Firefighting measures**

- **Extinguishing media**
- **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.
- **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.
  - Dilute with plenty of water.
  - Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
  - Clean the affected area carefully; suitable cleaners are:
    - Disinfectant
    - Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
    - 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 measures required.
  - Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
  - 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:** 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.
- **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.
  - Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
  - Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
  - Avoid contact with the skin.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:** Protective gloves.

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

**9 Physical and chemical properties**

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

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

- Form:** Liquid
- Color:** Opaque
- Odor:** Odorless

· **pH-value at 20°C:** 7

· **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 %

**Solids content:** 0.3 %

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

**10 Stability and reactivity**

· **Reactivity**

· **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.

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- **on the eye:** Irritant effect.
- **Sensitization:** Sensitization possible through skin contact.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **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.

**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.  
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.
- **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

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- **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.

**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):**

532-32-1 | sodium benzoate

· **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.

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

**16 Other information**

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· **Contact:**

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