

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** EQAS® Immunoassay (Monthly) Program
- **Catalog or product number:** BC70, BC75, QC75
- **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 Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.
Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
 - **Label elements**
 - **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
 - **Hazard pictograms**
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GHS07
- **Signal word** Warning
 - **Hazard statements**
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
 - **Precautionary statements**
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
 - **Emergency overview:**
 - **Routes of exposure:**
Ingestion
Inhalation
Skin

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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: 7647-14-5 EINECS: 231-598-3	sodium chloride	5-10%
CAS: 6131-90-4	Sodium Acetate 3-Hydrate	5-10%
CAS: 57-13-6 EINECS: 200-315-5	urea	0.1-1.0%
CAS: 50-06-6 EINECS: 200-007-0	phenobarbital	0.1-1.0%
CAS: 7732-18-5 EINECS: 231-791-2	water	10-20%

- **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; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **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.

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

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:**

57-13-6 urea

WEEL (United States) Long-term value: 10 mg/m³

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26628-22-8 sodium azide

REL (United States)	Ceiling limit value: 0.3** mg/m ³ , 0.1* ppm *as HN ₃ ; **as NaN ₃ ; Skin
TLV (United States)	Ceiling limit value: 0.29** mg/m ³ , 0.11* ppm *as HN ₃ vapor **as NaN ₃

· **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

· **Exposure controls**

· **Personal protective equipment**

· **General protective and hygienic measures**

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
Follow the usual biosafety practices for handling potentially infectious materials.

· **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

· **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:	Solid
Color:	Light yellow
Odor:	Light

· **pH-value at 20 °C:** 7.2-8.0

· **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: Soluble

· **Solvent content:**

Organic solvents: 0.0 %
Water: 10-20 %

Solids content: 15.1 %

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· **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**
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.
- **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:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **Carcinogenic categories**

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

50-06-6	phenobarbital	2B
58-55-9	theophylline	3

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

57-83-0	progesterone	R
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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.

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· **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.
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.

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.
- **UN "Model Regulation":** -

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):**

26628-22-8 sodium azide

20830-75-5 digoxin

· **Section 313 (40CFR372.65):**

26628-22-8 sodium azide

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

7647-14-5 sodium chloride

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57-13-6	urea
7447-40-7	potassium chloride
7558-79-4	disodium hydrogenorthophosphate
7447-41-8	lithium chloride
630-93-3	Phenytoin Sodium
69-93-2	uric acid
58-55-9	theophylline
26628-22-8	sodium azide
60-27-5	Creatinine
7778-77-0	potassium dihydrogenphosphate
68-19-9	cyanocobalamin
52-39-1	aldosterone
50-23-7	hydrocortisone
20830-75-5	digoxin

· **California Proposition 65:**

· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

50-06-6	phenobarbital
630-93-3	Phenytoin Sodium
50-28-2	estradiol
57-83-0	progesterone
58-22-0	testosterone

· **Developmental Toxicity**

298-46-4	Carbamazepin
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· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

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

26628-22-8	sodium azide	A4
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· **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**

· **Technical instructions (air):**

Class	Share in %
I	0.1-1.0

· **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 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

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)

Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 2

Eye Irrit. 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2A

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