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Kit components

Product code	Description
1708890 1708891	iScript™ CDNA Synthesis Kit

Components:

4206446	5X Reaction Mix
4206444	iScript™ Reverse Transcriptase
4206448	Nuclease-Free Water

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1 Identification of substance:

- **Product details:**
- **Trade name:** 5X Reaction Mix
- **Article number:** 4206446, 4206447, 9306694, 1708888, 1708889, 10000423, 10000420
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** Laboratory chemicals
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Bio-Rad Laboratories (Canada) Ltd.,
1329 Meyerside Drive,
Mississauga, Ontario
L5T 1C9
Canada
- **Information department:** Technical services, customer support.
- **Emergency information:** 1(905)712-2771

phone: 1(905)712-2771 fax: 1-905-712-2990

2 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization**
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 7732-18-5 EINECS: 231-791-2 RTECS: ZC 0110000	water		50-100%
CAS: 56-81-5 EINECS: 200-289-5 RTECS: MA 8050000	glycerol		10-20%
CAS: 7447-40-7 EINECS: 231-211-8 RTECS: TS 8050000	potassium chloride		2.5-5%
CAS: 7786-30-3 EINECS: 232-094-6 RTECS: OM2800000	Magnesium Chloride	Xi; R 36/37/38 Warning: Exclamation mark 3.2/2, 3.3/2A, 3.8/3	0.1-1.0%
CAS: 7447-41-8 EINECS: 231-212-3 RTECS: OJ 5950000	lithium chloride	Xn, Xi; R 22-36/37/38 Danger: Skull and crossbones 3.1.0/3, 3.2/2, 3.3/2A, 3.8/3	0.1-1.0%

- **Additional information** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

3 Hazards identification

- **Hazard description:** not applicable
- **Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment**
The product does not have 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.
- **GHS label elements** Void

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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.
- **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** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Person-related safety precautions:** Not required.
- **Measures for environmental protection:**
Dilute with plenty of water.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Measures for cleaning/collecting:** Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
- **Additional information:** No dangerous substances are released.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **Information for safe handling:**
No special measures required.
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:** None.

8 Exposure controls and 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:**

56-81-5 glycerol

EL ()	10* 3** mg/m ³
	*mist; **mist, respirable

- **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 should be adhered to when handling chemicals.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.

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- **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

9 Physical and chemical properties:

· **General Information**

Form:	Fluid
Colour:	Whitish
Odour:	Odourless

· **Change in condition**

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

· **Flash point:** > 100°C

· **Ignition temperature:** 400°C

· **Self igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

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

· **Explosion limits:**

Lower: 0.9 Vol %

· **Vapour pressure at 20°C:** 23 hPa

· **Density:** Not determined

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

Water: Fully miscible

· **pH-value at 20°C:** 7

· **Solvent content:**

· **Organic solvents:** 20.0 %

· **Water:** 73.0 %

· **Solids content:** 7.0 %

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Dangerous reactions:** No dangerous reactions known
- **Dangerous products of decomposition:** No dangerous decomposition products known

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11 Toxicological information

- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating 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.

12 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

- **Product:**
- **Recommendation** Hand over to hazardous waste disposers.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

- **TDG (Transport dangerous goods):**
- **TDG class:** -
- **Maritime transport IMDG:**
- **IMDG Class:** -
- **Marine pollutant:** No
- **Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:**
- **ICAO/IATA Class:** -
- **UN "Model Regulation":** -
- **Transport/Additional information:** Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

15 Regulations

- **Markings according to EU guidelines:**
Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals

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The product is not subject to identification regulations under EU Directives and the Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (GefStoffV).

- **Safety phrases:**

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

- **National regulations**

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations

Class	Share in %
NK	10-20

- **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:**

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

- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

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1 Identification of substance:

- **Product details:**
- **Trade name:** *iScript™ Reverse Transcriptase*
- **Article number:** 4206444, 4206445, 9306692
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** *Laboratory chemicals*
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
*Bio-Rad Laboratories (Canada) Ltd.,
1329 Meyerside Drive,
Mississauga, Ontario
L5T 1C9
Canada*
- **Information department:** *Technical services, customer support.*
- **Emergency information:** *1(905)712-2771*

phone: 1(905)712-2771 fax: 1-905-712-2990

2 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization**
- **Description:** *Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.*

· **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 56-81-5 EINECS: 200-289-5 RTECS: MA 8050000	glycerol	35-50%
CAS: 7732-18-5 EINECS: 231-791-2 RTECS: ZC 0110000	water	35-50%

- **Additional information** *For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.*

3 Hazards identification

- **Hazard description:** *not applicable*
- **Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment**
The product does not have 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.
- **GHS label elements** *Void*

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.*
- **After eye contact** *Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.*
- **After swallowing** *Induce vomiting and call for medical help.*

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5 Fire fighting measures

- **Suitable extinguishing agents** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Person-related safety precautions:** Not required.
- **Measures for environmental protection:**
Dilute with plenty of water.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Measures for cleaning/collecting:** Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
- **Additional information:** No dangerous substances are released.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **Information for safe handling:**
No special measures required.
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:** None.

8 Exposure controls and 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:**

56-81-5 glycerol

EL ()	10* 3** mg/m ³
	*mist; **mist, resirable

- **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 should be adhered to when handling chemicals.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:** Protective gloves.
- **Material of gloves** Synthetic gloves
- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break trough 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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9 Physical and chemical properties:

· **General Information**

Form: Fluid
Colour: According to product specification
Odour: Odourless

· **Change in condition**

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

· **Flash point:** > 100°C

· **Ignition temperature:** 400°C

· **Self igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

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

· **Explosion limits:**

Lower: 0.9 Vol %

· **Vapour pressure at 20°C:** 23 hPa

· **Density:** Not determined

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

Water: Fully miscible

· **pH-value at 20°C:** 7

· **Solvent content:**

· **Organic solvents:** 50.0 %

· **Water:** 47.9 %

· **Solids content:** 1.5 %

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Dangerous reactions** No dangerous reactions known
- **Dangerous products of decomposition:** No dangerous decomposition products known

11 Toxicological information

- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating 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:

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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.

12 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

· Product:

· Recommendation Hand over to hazardous waste disposers.

· Uncleaned packagings:

· Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

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

14 Transport information

· TDG (Transport dangerous goods):

· TDG class: -

· Maritime transport IMDG:

· IMDG Class: -

· Marine pollutant: No

· Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:

· ICAO/IATA Class: -

· UN "Model Regulation": -

· Transport/Additional information: Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

15 Regulations

· Markings according to EU guidelines:

Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals

The product is not subject to identification regulations under EU Directives and the Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (GefStoffV).

· Safety phrases:

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

· National regulations

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations

Class	Share in %
NK	35-50

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

16 Other information:

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1 Identification of substance:

- **Product details:**
- **Trade name:** Nuclease-Free Water
- **Article number:** 4206448, 9306693, 10003225
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** Laboratory chemicals
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Bio-Rad Laboratories (Canada) Ltd.,
1329 Meyerside Drive,
Mississauga, Ontario
L5T 1C9
Canada
phone: 1(905)712-2771 fax: 1-905-712-2990
- **Information department:** Technical services, customer support.
- **Emergency information:** 1(905)712-2771

2 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization:**
- **CAS No. Description:**
7732-18-5 water
- **Identification number(s):**
- **EINECS Number:** 231-791-2
- **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

3 Hazards identification

- **Hazard description:** not applicable
- **Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment** not applicable
- **GHS label elements** Void

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.
- **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.
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Person-related safety precautions:** Not required.
- **Measures for environmental protection:** Dilute with plenty of water.
- **Measures for cleaning/collecting:** Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

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· **Additional information:** No dangerous substances are released.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **Information for safe handling:**
No special measures required.
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:** None.

8 Exposure controls and 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:** Not required.
- **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 should be adhered to when handling chemicals.
- **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

9 Physical and chemical properties:

· **General Information**

Form:	Fluid
Colour:	Colourless
Odour:	Odourless

· **Change in condition**

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

· **Flash point:** Not applicable

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

· **Vapour pressure at 20°C:** 23 hPa

· **Density at 20°C:** 1 g/cm³

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- **Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:** Fully miscible
- **pH-value at 20°C:** 7
- **Organic solvents:** 0.0 %
- **Water:** 100.0 %

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Dangerous reactions:** No dangerous reactions known
- **Dangerous products of decomposition:** No dangerous decomposition products known

11 Toxicological information

- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
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.
The substance is not subject to classification according to the latest version of the EU lists.

12 Ecological information:

- **General notes:** Generally not hazardous for water.

13 Disposal considerations

- **Product:**
- **Recommendation:** Hand over to hazardous waste disposers.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

- **TDG (Transport dangerous goods):**
- **TDG class:** -
- **Maritime transport IMDG:**
- **IMDG Class:** -

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- **Marine pollutant:** No
- **Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:**
- **ICAO/IATA Class:** -
- **UN "Model Regulation":** -
- **Transport/Additional information:** Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

15 Regulations

- **Markings according to EU guidelines:**
Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals
The substance is not subject to classification according to EU lists and other sources of literature known to us.
The product is not subject to identification regulations under EU Directives and the Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (GefStoffV).
- **National regulations**
This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those 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.
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ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)