

**Safety Data Sheet**  
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**1 Identification**

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** *RAPID'PsA (20 x 55mm)*
- **Catalog or product number:** 3563984
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** *Laboratory chemicals*
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
*Bio-Rad Laboratories, Life Science Group  
2000 Alfred Nobel Drive  
Hercules, California 94547* (510)741-1000
- **Information department:**  
*Technical services, customer support  
lsg\_techserv\_us@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.  
510-741-1000*

**2 Hazard(s) identification**

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

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- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** *Void*
- **Hazard pictograms** *Void*
- **Signal word** *Void*
- **Hazard statements** *Void*
- **Additional information:** *Contact with acids may cause release of toxic gases*
- **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:**

7732-18-5	water	50-100%
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- **Additional information** *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; consult doctor in case of complaints.*

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- **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing** Induce vomiting and call for medical help.
- **Information for doctor**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **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:** No special measures required.

### 6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Wear protective clothing.
- **Environmental precautions:** No special measures required.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:** Pick up mechanically.
- **Reference to other sections**  
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 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.

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- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures** *The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.*
- **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**

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

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

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|---------------------------|------------------------|
| · <b>Form:</b>            | <i>Solid</i>           |
| · <b>Color:</b>           | <i>Light yellow</i>    |
| · <b>Odor:</b>            | <i>Odorless</i>        |
| · <b>Odour threshold:</b> | <i>Not determined.</i> |

· **pH-value at 20 °C:** *7*

· **Change in condition**

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|---------------------------------------|---------------------|
| · <b>Melting point/Melting range:</b> | <i>undetermined</i> |
| · <b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b> | <i>undetermined</i> |

· **Flash point:** *Not applicable*

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous)** *Not determined.*

· **Ignition temperature:**

· **Decomposition temperature:** *Not determined.*

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

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

· **Explosion limits:**

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|-----------------|------------------------|
| · <b>Lower:</b> | <i>Not determined.</i> |
| · <b>Upper:</b> | <i>Not determined.</i> |

· **Vapor pressure at 20 °C:** *23 hPa*

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|---------------------------|------------------------|
| · <b>Density:</b>         | <i>Not determined</i>  |
| · <b>Relative density</b> | <i>Not determined.</i> |
| · <b>Vapour density</b>   | <i>Not applicable.</i> |
| · <b>Evaporation rate</b> | <i>Not applicable.</i> |

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

· **Water:** *Insoluble*

· **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** *Not determined.*

· **Viscosity:**

· **dynamic:** *Not applicable.*

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<b>kinematic:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>· Solvent content:</b>	
<b>Organic solvents:</b>	0.0 %
<b>Water:</b>	97.4 %
<b>· Solids content:</b>	100.0 %
<b>· Other information</b>	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:** 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.

**12 Ecological information**

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.

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- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:** Generally not hazardous for water.
- **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**  
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.

**14 Transport information**

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| · <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>DOT, 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.

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· **Section 313 (40CFR372.65):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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

9002-18-0 Agar

Proprietary Reagent WL33

Proprietary Reagent WL 15

8013-01-2 Yeast Extract

1132-61-2 4-morpholinopropanesulphonic acid

7487-88-9 magnesium sulphate

Proprietary Reagent WL 30

7732-18-5 water

· **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:** Generally not hazardous for water.

· **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:**

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)

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

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vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

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

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