

Safety Data Sheet
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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** *RAPID Staph Agar (dehydrated)*
- **Catalog or product number:** 3564704
- **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).
- **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:**

9002-18-0	Agar	20-35%
56-40-6	Glycine	10-20%
91079-40-2	Peptones, casein	10-20%
113-24-6	sodium pyruvate	10-20%
93685-90-6	Lecithins, egg yolk	10-20%
	Protein Extract	5-10%
7447-41-8	lithium chloride	5-10%

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8013-01-2 Yeast Extract

1.0-2.5%

· **Additional information** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 15.

4 First-aid measures

- **Description of 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.
- **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**
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** Wear protective clothing.
- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:** Pick up mechanically.
- **Reference to other sections**
No dangerous substances are released.
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 measures required.
- **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.

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· **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** 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:**

Form:	Solid
Color:	White
Odor:	Odorless
Odour threshold:	Not determined.
- **pH-value at 20 °C:** 7.2
- **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:	undetermined
Boiling point/Boiling range:	undetermined
- **Flash point:** Not applicable
- **Flammability (solid, gaseous)** Not determined.
- **Ignition temperature:**

Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
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- **Auto igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.
- **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.
- **Explosion limits:**

Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
- **Vapor pressure:** Not applicable.

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· Density:	Not determined
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not applicable.
· Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Fully miscible
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
dynamic:	Not applicable.
kinematic:	Not applicable.
· Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	0.0 %
Solids content:	100.0 %
· 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:**

· **LD/LC50 values for hazardous components per OSHA criteria:**

9002-18-0 Agar

Oral	LD50	11000 mg/kg (rat)
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56-40-6 Glycine

Oral	LD50	7930 mg/kg (rat)
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Dermal	LD50	5200 mg/kg (rat)
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- **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.

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· **Carcinogenic categories**

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

57-68-1 sulfadimidine

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· **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.

· **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** 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

· **UN-Number**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

Void

· **UN proper shipping name**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

Void

· **Transport hazard class(es)**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

· **Class**

Void

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

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Section 313 (40CFR372.65):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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

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7447-41-8	lithium chloride
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57-68-1	sulfadimidine

· **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:**

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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation

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)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

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