

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Opti-4CN Substrate
- **Catalog or product number:** 9703210
- **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:** 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**
Flam. Liq. 2 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.
- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02 GHS07

- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**
3,3',5,5'-tetramethylbenzidine
- **Hazard statements**
H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
H302 Harmful if swallowed.
- **Precautionary statements**
P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P303+P361+P353 If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
- **Emergency overview:**
- **Routes of exposure:** Ingestion
- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.

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· **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:**

64-17-5	ethanol	Flam. Liq. 2, H225	50-100%
67-68-5	dimethyl sulfoxide		35-50%
604-44-4	4-chloro-1-naphthol	Skin Irrit. 2, H315; Eye Irrit. 2A, H319; STOT SE 3, H335	1-2.5%

- **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**
Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.
- **After inhalation** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact**
Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
Immediately rinse with water.
- **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing**
Immediately call a doctor.
Rinse mouth with water. Seek medical attention and appropriate follow-up.
- **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.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents** Water with full jet.
- **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 equipment (See section 8). Keep unprotected persons away.
Wear protective clothing.

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- **Environmental precautions:**
Prevent seepage into sewage system, workpits and cellars.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **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.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

· PAC-1:		
	ethanol	1,800 ppm
	dimethyl sulfoxide	150 ppm
· PAC-2:		
64-17-5	ethanol	3300* ppm
67-68-5	dimethyl sulfoxide	290 ppm
· PAC-3:		
64-17-5	ethanol	15000* ppm
67-68-5	dimethyl sulfoxide	1,800 ppm

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **Precautions for safe handling** No special measures required.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:**
Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.
Protect against electrostatic charges.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store in a cool location.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.
- **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 following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit.
At this time, the remaining constituent has no known exposure limits.

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PEL	Long-term value: 1900 mg/m ³ , 1000 ppm
REL	Long-term value: 1900 mg/m ³ , 1000 ppm
TLV	Short-term value: 1880 mg/m ³ , 1000 ppm

67-68-5 dimethyl sulfoxide

WEEL	Long-term value: 250 ppm
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- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
- **Breathing equipment:**
Not required.
Not necessary if room is well-ventilated. Adequate ventilation 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
Tightly sealed goggles.

9 Physical and chemical properties

- **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
- **General Information**
- **Appearance:**

Form:	Liquid
Color:	Colored
- **Odor:** Alcohol-like
- **Odor threshold:** Not determined.
- **pH-value:** Not determined.
- **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:	undetermined
Boiling point/Boiling range:	78 °C
- **Flash point:** < 23 °C
- **Flammability (solid, gaseous)** Not applicable.
- **Ignition temperature:** 270 °C
- **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.
- **Auto igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

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· Danger of explosion:	Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapor mixtures are possible.
· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	1.8 Vol %
Upper:	63 Vol %
· Vapor pressure at 20 °C:	59 hPa
· Density:	Not determined
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapor density	Not determined.
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Fully miscible
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
dynamic:	Not determined.
kinematic:	Not determined.
· Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	98.0 %
Solids content:	2.0 %
· 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:**

64-17-5 ethanol

Oral	LD50	7,060 mg/kg (rat)
Inhalative	LC50/4 h	20,000 mg/l (rat)

67-68-5 dimethyl sulfoxide

Oral	LD50	14,500 mg/kg (rat)
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritant effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:** Harmful
- **Carcinogenic categories**

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

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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.

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**
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
Dispose of waste in accordance to applicable national, regional, or local regulations.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

- **UN-Number**
- **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA** UN1993

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · UN proper shipping name · DOT, IMDG, IATA · ADR 	<p>FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (ETHANOL MIXTURE) 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (vapor pressure at 50 °C at most 110 kPa) (ETHANOL (ETHYL ALCOHOL))</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transport hazard class(es) · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA · Class · Label 	<p>3 Flammable liquids 3</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Packing group · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA 	<p>II</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Environmental hazards: · Marine pollutant: 	<p>No</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Special precautions for user · Danger code (Kemler): · EMS Number: · Stowage Category 	<p>Warning: Flammable liquids 33 F-E, S-E B</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code 	<p>Not applicable.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transport/Additional information: · DOT · Quantity limitations · Remarks: 	<p>Void Void ERG 128</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · ADR · Excepted quantities (EQ) 	<p>Code: E2 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · IMDG · Limited quantities (LQ) · Excepted quantities (EQ) 	<p>1L Code: E2 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · UN "Model Regulation": 	<p>UN 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (VAPOUR PRESSURE AT 50 °C NOT MORE THAN 110 KPA) (ETHANOL (ETHYL ALCOHOL)), 3, II</p>

15 Regulatory information

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **SARA (Superfund Amendants 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):**

All ingredients are listed.

· **TSCA new (21st Century Act)**

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67-68-5 dimethyl sulfoxide

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· **California Proposition 65:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

The product does not contain listed components.

· **Developmental Toxicity**

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* 53.7000%

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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

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· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **National regulations**

· **Technical instructions (air):**

Class	Share in %
I	0.1-1
NK	50-100

· **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

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

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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
NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety
OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health
TLV: Threshold Limit Value
PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit
REL: Recommended Exposure Limit
Flam. Liq. 2: Flammable liquids – Category 2
Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4
Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2
Eye Irrit. 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2A
STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3

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