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# Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1 Product identifier

Trade name: SERION ELISA RTU Control

Product no.: BCxxxxx

#### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and discouraged uses

*Identified use:* In vitro diagnostic agent or component of an in vitro diagnostic agent *Discouraged uses:* No other relevant data available.

## 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Institut Virion\Serion GmbH Friedrich-Bergius-Ring 19 97076 Würzburg Germany Tel. 0049 (0) 931 – 30 45 0

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Manufacturer: 0049 (0) 931 – 30 45 0 (Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.)

#### Section 2: Hazards identification

# 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008

Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to EC Regulation No. 1272/2008.

#### 2.2 Label elements

This product does not need to be labelled in accordance with EC Directives or applicable national laws.

#### 2.3 Other hazards

This product contains chemically and/or physically inactivated biological agents and should be considered potentially infectious. This mixture does not meet the criteria to be classified as PBT or vPvB.

# Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1 Substance

Not applicable

#### 3.2 Mixture

SODIUM AZIDE

EC No.; 247-852-1 EINECS: 011-004-00-7; CAS no. 26628-22-8

Concentration: < 0.1% w/w

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008:

Acute Tox. 2; H300 • Aquatic Acute 1; H400 • Aquatic Chronic 1; H410

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# Section 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

Following inhalation: Fresh air. Consult a doctor if feeling unwell.

Following skin contact: Wash off with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing

immediately. Treat affected areas with skin disinfectant. See a

doctor if there are any symptoms.

Following eye contact: Flush eyes with plenty of water and intermittently lift the upper and

lower eyelids. Check for contact lenses and remove if present.

Consult a doctor if irritation occurs.

Following ingestion: Rinse out mouth and drink plenty of water. Consult a doctor if

feeling unwell.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No information available.

# 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

## Section 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures appropriate to the environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

There are no restrictions for the extinguishing media used for this substance/mixture.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-flammable. A fire in the nearby surroundings may generate hazardous vapours.

## 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Self-contained breathing apparatus required when in the hazard area. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

#### Section 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

# 6.1.1 Information for non-emergency personnel

Do not inhale vapours/aerosols. Avoid contact with substance. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger zone, follow the emergency plan, consult specialists.

# 6.1.2 Information for emergency responders

Protective equipment: see section 8.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not allow discharge into the sewer system.

# 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Remove containers from the discharge area. Avoid discharging into the sewer system, bodies of water, basements or closed areas. Collect the material and put in appropriately labelled waste containers. Dispose of through an accredited waste disposal company. Clean.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

Instructions for disposal, see section 13.

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# Section 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

# 7.1.1 Advice on safe handling

Avoid exposure. Follow the instructions on the label.

# 7.1.2 Hygiene measures

Change contaminated clothing immediately. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands after working with substance.

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and vessels:

Store only in original container.

#### 7.3 Specific end uses

Apart from the intended use as per Section 1.2, no other specific end uses are stipulated.

# Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection/ personal protective equipment

#### 8.1 Control parameters

Does not contain substances with occupational exposure limits.

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### 8.2.1 Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure good general ventilation at the workplace.

# 8.2.2 Personal protection measures

Do not eat, drink or smoke when working. Wash hands before breaks and after work. Apply preventive skin protection.

# 8.2.2.1 Eye/face protection

Safety glasses

#### 8.2.2.2 Skin protection

#### Hand protection

Glove material, e.g., nitrile rubber or butyl rubber

The protective gloves must conform to the specifications of EC Directive 89/686/EEC and the related standard EN 374.

#### Other safety precautions

Protective clothing

## 8.2.2.3 Respiratory protection

Not required.

#### 8.2.3 Environmental exposure controls

No special precautions required.

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# Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

# 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Physical state: Liquid

Colour: Blue

Odour Characteristic

Odour threshold No information available

pH Not applicable

Melting point No information available Boiling point No information available

Flash point Not applicable

Evaporation rate No information available

Flammability (solid, gas)

Lower explosion limit

Upper explosion limit

Not applicable

Not applicable

Vapour pressure

Relative vapour density

Relative density

No information available

No information available

1.0 g/cm³ at 20 °C

Water solubility at 20 °C

Not applicable

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water No information available

Auto-ignition temperature Not applicable

Decomposition temperature
Viscosity, dynamic
Explosive properties

No information available
No information available
Not classified as explosive

Oxidising properties None

# 9.2 Other information

No other relevant information available.

# Section 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1 Reactivity

No information available.

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under the specified storage conditions.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Contact with acids releases toxic gases.

The following can be generated:

Nitrous gases

# 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No information available.

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Acids, heavy metals

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Nitrous gases see Section 10.3

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# Section 11: Toxicological information

## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Mixture

#### **Acute oral toxicity**

No information available.

#### Acute inhalative toxicity

No information available.

#### Acute dermal toxicity

No information available.

#### Skin irritation

No information available.

#### Eve irritation

No information available.

#### Sensitisation

No information available.

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

No information available.

#### Carcinogenicity

No information available.

# Reproductive toxicity

No information available.

#### **Teratogenicity**

No information available.

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No information available.

# Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No information available.

#### **Aspiration hazard**

No information available.

#### 11.2 Other information

Quantitative data on the toxicity of this product are not available.

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# Section 12: Ecological information

Mixture

#### 12.1 Toxicity

No information available.

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No information available.

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulation potential

No information available.

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

No information available.

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

There is no PBT/vPvB assessment available because no chemical safety assessment is required/was conducted.

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No information available.

#### Additional ecological information

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

# Ingredients

Sodium azide (solid)

#### **Toxicity to fishes**

Lepomis macrochirius: 0.7 mg/L; 96 h

# Toxicity to Daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

EC50 Daphnia pulex; 4.2 mg/L; 48 h

# Section 13: Disposal considerations

#### Waste treatment methods

Dispose of leftover product in accordance with Directive 2008/98/EC on waste and national and regional regulations. Do not mix with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

# Section 14: Transport information

- **14.1 UN number** not classified as dangerous goods as per ADR/RID (land transport), IATA (air transport) and IMDG (marine transport).
- **14.2** Proper UN shipping name not applicable
- 14.3 Transport hazard class not applicable
- **14.4** Packing group not applicable
- 14.5 Environmental hazard none
- 14.6 Special precautions for user none
- 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of the MARPOL Convention 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not relevant

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# Section 15: Regulatory information

# 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/

#### legislation specific for the substance or mixture

EU regulations

Directive 96/82/EC (On the Control of Major-Accident Hazards Involving Dangerous Substances):

Directive 96/82/EC does not apply.

Employment restrictions:

The employment restrictions set down in the German Youth Employment Protection Act (94/33/EG) must be observed.

National regulations

Water hazard class:

Not a water hazard as per VwVwS (Administrative Regulation on Substances Hazardous to Waters)

# 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A chemical safety assessment has not been conducted for this product.

#### Section 16: Other information

The information describes the product with reference to the applicable safety precautions. It is not an assurance of the properties of the product.