



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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UK REACH Regulations (SI 2019/758 as amended)

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

### 1.1. Product identifier

**Product Name** Liquichek ToRCH Plus Control, Negative

**Catalogue Number(s)** 228, 228X

**Pure substance/mixture** Mixture

Contains 5-Chloro-2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone, mixture with 2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone

### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

**Recommended use** In vitro diagnostic

**Uses advised against** No information available

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

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#### **Manufacturer**

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Techsupport.UK@bio-rad.com

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

24 Hour Emergency Phone Number CHEMTREC UK: 44-870-8200418

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

<b>Skin sensitisation</b>	Category 1 - (H317)
<b>Hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic</b>	Category 3 - (H412)

### 2.2. Label elements

Contains 5-Chloro-2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone, mixture with 2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone

**Signal word**

Warning

**Hazard statements**

H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction

H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

**Precautionary statements**

P333 + P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention

P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable

P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection

**2.3. Other hazards**

Contains human source material and / or potentially infectious components

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****3.1 Substances**

Not applicable

**3.2 Mixtures**

Chemical name	Weight-%	EC No (EU Index No)	UK REACH registration number	Classification according to GB CLP (SI 2020/1567 as amended)	Specific concentration limit (SCL)	M-Factor	M-Factor (long-term)
5-Chloro-2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone, mixture with 2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone 55965-84-9	0.001 - 0.01	(613-167-00-5)	-	Acute Tox. 3 (H301) Acute Tox. 3 (H311) Acute Tox. 3 (H331) Skin Corr. 1B (H314) Eye Dam. 1 (H318) Skin Sens. 1A (H317) (EUH071) Aquatic Acute 1 (H400) Aquatic Chronic 1 (H410)	Eye Irrit. 2 :: 0.06%≤C<0.6% Skin Corr. 1C :: C≥0.6% Skin Irrit. 2 :: 0.06%≤C<0.6% Skin Sens. 1A :: C≥0.0015% Eye Dam. 1 :: C≥0.6%	100	100

**Full text of H- and EUH-phrases: see section 16**

This product does not contain candidate substances of very high concern at a concentration  $\geq 0.1\%$  (UK REACH Article 59)

**SECTION 4: First aid measures****4.1. Description of first aid measures**

<b>General advice</b>	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Contains human source material and / or potentially infectious components. Call a doctor. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash with soap and water. May cause an allergic skin reaction. In the case of skin irritation or allergic reactions see a doctor.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Contains human source material and / or potentially infectious components. Call a doctor.

**4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

<b>Symptoms</b>	Itching. Rashes. Hives.
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**4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

<b>Note to doctors</b>	May cause sensitisation in susceptible persons. Treat symptomatically. Contains human source material and / or potentially infectious components.
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**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****5.1. Extinguishing media**

<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
<b>Large Fire</b>	CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	Product is or contains a sensitiser. May cause sensitisation by skin contact.
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**5.3. Advice for firefighters**

<b>Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters</b>	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.
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**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

<b>Personal precautions</b>	Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away
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from and upwind of spill/leak.

**For emergency responders** Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

#### **6.2. Environmental precautions**

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

#### **6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Methods for containment** Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any body of water.

**Methods for cleaning up** Use: Disinfectant. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

**Prevention of secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

#### **6.4. Reference to other sections**

**Reference to other sections** See section 8 for more information. See section 13 for more information.

### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### **7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

**Advice on safe handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

**General hygiene considerations** Follow universal and standard precautions for handling potentially infectious materials.

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

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store according to product and label instructions.

#### **7.3. Specific end use(s)**

**Risk Management Methods (RMM)** The information required is contained in this Safety Data Sheet.

### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### **8.1. Control parameters**

**Exposure Limits** This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Biological occupational exposure limits** This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)** No information available.

**Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)** No information available.

**8.2. Exposure controls**

**Engineering controls** No information available.

**Personal protective equipment**

**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

**General hygiene considerations** Follow universal and standard precautions for handling potentially infectious materials.

**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties****9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Physical state</b>	Liquid
<b>Appearance</b>	Clear to slightly cloudy
<b>Colour</b>	light yellow
<b>Odour</b>	Odourless.
<b>Odour threshold</b>	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
<b>Melting point / freezing point</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flammability</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>		None known
<b>Upper flammability or explosive limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Flash point</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>		None known
<b>pH</b>	7.4-7.9	
<b>pH (as aqueous solution)</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Water solubility</b>	Miscible in water	
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Vapour pressure</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Relative density</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Bulk density</b>	No data available	
<b>Liquid Density</b>	No data available	
<b>Relative vapour density</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Particle characteristics</b>		
<b>Particle Size</b>	No information available	
<b>Particle Size Distribution</b>	No information available	

**9.2. Other information**

**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity****10.1. Reactivity**

**Reactivity** No information available.

**10.2. Chemical stability**

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Explosion data**

**Sensitivity to mechanical impact** None.

**Sensitivity to static discharge** None.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** None under normal processing.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid**

**Conditions to avoid** None known based on information supplied.

**10.5. Incompatible materials**

**Incompatible materials** None known based on information supplied.

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

**Hazardous decomposition products** None known based on information supplied.

**SECTION 11: Toxicological information****11.1. Information on toxicological effects****Information on likely routes of exposure****Product Information**

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Eye contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Skin contact** May cause sensitisation by skin contact. Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause allergic reactions with susceptible persons (based on components).

**Ingestion** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics**

**Symptoms** Itching. Rashes. Hives.

**Acute toxicity****Numerical measures of toxicity****Component Information**

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
5-Chloro-2-methyl-3(2H)-isothia	= 53 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 87.12 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-

zolone, mixture with 2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone			
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**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure**

<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	No information available.
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	No information available.
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitisation</b>	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	No information available.
<b>Other adverse effects</b>	No information available.

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1. Toxicity**

<b>Ecotoxicity</b>	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
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**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	No information available.
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**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential****Bioaccumulation****Component Information**

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
5-Chloro-2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone, mixture with 2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone	0.7

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

<b>Mobility in soil</b>	No information available.
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**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

**PBT and vPvB assessment** No information available.

Chemical name	PBT and vPvB assessment
5-Chloro-2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone, mixture with 2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone	The substance is not PBT / vPvB

**12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties**

No information available.

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****13.1. Waste treatment methods**

**Waste from residues/unused products** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse empty containers.

**SECTION 14: Transport information****IATA**

<b>14.1 UN number or ID number</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.2 UN proper shipping name</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.3 Transport hazard class(es)</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.4 Packing group</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.5 Environmental hazards</b>	Not applicable
<b>14.6 Special precautions for user</b>	
<b>Special Provisions</b>	None

**IMDG**

<b>14.1 UN number or ID number</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.2 UN proper shipping name</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.3 Transport hazard class(es)</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.4 Packing group</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.5 Environmental hazards</b>	Not applicable
<b>14.6 Special precautions for user</b>	
<b>Special Provisions</b>	None
<b>14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments</b>	No information available

**RID**

<b>14.1 UN number or ID number</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.2 UN proper shipping name</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.3 Transport hazard class(es)</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.4 Packing group</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.5 Environmental hazards</b>	Not applicable
<b>14.6 Special precautions for user</b>	
<b>Special Provisions</b>	None

**ADR**

<b>14.1 UN number or ID number</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.2 UN proper shipping name</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.3 Transport hazard class(es)</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.4 Packing group</b>	Not regulated
<b>14.5 Environmental hazards</b>	Not applicable



**14.6 Special precautions for user****Special Provisions**

None

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****National regulations****Authorisations and/or restrictions on use:**

This product does not contain substances subject to authorisation (UK REACH - Annex XIV). This product does not contain substances subject to restriction (UK REACH - Annex XVII).

**Persistent Organic Pollutants**

Not applicable

**Export Notification requirements**

Not applicable

**Named dangerous substances per COMAH (SI 2015/483 as amended)**

Not applicable

**The Ozone-Depleting Substances Regulations 2015**

Not applicable

**The Biocidal Products Regulations 2001 (as amended)**

Chemical name	The Biocidal Products Regulations 2001 (as amended)
5-Chloro-2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone, mixture with 2-methyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone - 55965-84-9	PT2 PT4 PT6 PT11 PT12 PT13

**The Water Environment (Water Framework Directive) (England and Wales) Regulations 2017 (as amended)**

Not applicable

**Poisons and Explosive Precursors**

Not applicable

**International Inventories**

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

**15.2. Chemical safety assessment****Chemical Safety Report**

No information available

**SECTION 16: Other information****Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet****Full text of any hazard and/or precautionary statements referred to under Sections 2-15**

EUH071 - Corrosive to the respiratory tract

H301 - Toxic if swallowed

H311 - Toxic in contact with skin

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction  
 H318 - Causes serious eye damage  
 H331 - Toxic if inhaled  
 H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life  
 H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

**Legend**

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation:

**Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	Sk*	Skin designation
+	Sensitisers		

**Classification procedure**

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]	Method Used
Acute oral toxicity	Calculation method
Acute dermal toxicity	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - gas	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - vapour	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - dust/mist	Calculation method
Skin corrosion/irritation	Calculation method
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Calculation method
Respiratory sensitisation	Calculation method
Skin sensitisation	Calculation method
Mutagenicity	Calculation method
Carcinogenicity	Calculation method
Reproductive toxicity	Calculation method
STOT - single exposure	Calculation method
STOT - repeated exposure	Calculation method
Acute aquatic toxicity	Calculation method
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Calculation method
Aspiration hazard	Calculation method
Ozone	Calculation method

**Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS**

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database  
 European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)  
 European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) Committee for Risk Assessment (ECHA\_RAC)  
 European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) (ECHA\_API)  
 Environmental Protection Agency  
 Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals  
 Food Research Journal  
 Hazardous Substance Database  
 International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)  
 National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)  
 Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)  
 NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)  
 National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)  
 National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)  
 U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)  
 New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)  
 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications  
 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme  
 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set  
 World Health Organization

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This SDS complies with the requirements of UK REACH Regulations SI 2019/758 (as amended)

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

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