



# 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** UriSelect 4, 20 x 90 mm Plates

**Catalogue Number(s)** 63726

**Pure substance/mixture** Mixture

Contains Quartz, N,N-Dimethylformamide

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

**Recommended use** Restricted to professional users In vitro diagnostic

**Uses advised against** No information available

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

#### **Corporate Headquarters**

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### 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>Carcinogenicity</b>	Category 1A - (H350)
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	Category 1B - (H360)

### 2.2. Label elements

Contains Quartz, N,N-Dimethylformamide

**Signal word**

Danger

**Hazard statements**

H350 - May cause cancer

H360 - May damage fertility or the unborn child

**Precautionary statements**

P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

P308 + P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

P405 - Store locked up

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

**2.3. Other hazards**

Contains animal source material. This product is a gel. In the gel state users should not be exposed to the cancer-causing crystalline powder. The carcinogen risk applies to the product if it dries out, such as during desiccation, improper storage, or disposal.

## 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)
Quartz 14808-60-7	1 - 2.5	238-878-4	-	-	-	-	-
N,N-Dimethylformamide 68-12-2	0.1 - 0.299	(616-001-00-X) 200-679-5	-	Acute Tox. 4 (H312) Acute Tox. 4 (H332) Eye Irrit. 2 (H319) Repr. 1B (H360D)	Repr. 1B :: C>=0.1%	-	-

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

Chemical name	CAS No	SVHC candidates
N,N-Dimethylformamide	68-12-2	X

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

<b>General advice</b>	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a doctor.
<b>Skin contact</b>	In the case of skin irritation or allergic reactions see a doctor. Wash skin with soap and water.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Rinse mouth.

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

<b>Symptoms</b>	No information available.
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**4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

<b>Note to doctors</b>	Treat symptomatically.
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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>	No information available.
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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>	Ensure adequate ventilation.
<b>Other information</b>	Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.
<b>For emergency responders</b>	Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

**6.2. Environmental precautions**

<b>Environmental precautions</b>	See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.
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**6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

<b>Methods for containment</b>	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
<b>Methods for cleaning up</b>	Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal.
<b>Prevention of secondary hazards</b>	Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

**6.4. Reference to other sections**

<b>Reference to other sections</b>	See section 8 for more information. See section 13 for more information.
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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

<b>Advice on safe handling</b>	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes.
<b>General hygiene considerations</b>	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

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

<b>Storage Conditions</b>	Store locked up. Store according to product and label instructions.
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**7.3. Specific end use(s)**

<b>Risk Management Methods (RMM)</b>	The information required is contained in this Safety Data Sheet.
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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

**8.1. Control parameters****Exposure Limits**

Chemical name	United Kingdom
Quartz 14808-60-7	TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
N,N-Dimethylformamide 68-12-2	TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 10 ppm STEL: 30 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Sk*

<b>Biological occupational exposure limits</b>	This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.
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<b>Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)</b>	No information available.
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<b>Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)</b>	No information available.
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**8.2. Exposure controls**

<b>Engineering controls</b>	No information available.
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**Personal protective equipment**

<b>Eye/face protection</b>	No special protective equipment required.
<b>Hand protection</b>	Wear suitable gloves.
<b>Skin and body protection</b>	Wear suitable protective clothing.
<b>Respiratory protection</b>	No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.
<b>General hygiene considerations</b>	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

**9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Physical state</b>	Solid
<b>Appearance</b>	gel
<b>Colour</b>	Opaque
<b>Odour</b>	Varies.
<b>Odour threshold</b>	No information available

<b><u>Property</u></b>	<b><u>Values</u></b>	<b><u>Remarks • Method</u></b>
<b>Melting point / freezing point</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</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>	215 °C	
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>		None known
<b>pH</b>		None known
<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>	No data available	None known
<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>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**

<b>Reactivity</b>	No information available.
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**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. Toxicological information****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** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

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

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

**Symptoms** No information available.

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

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
N,N-Dimethylformamide	= 2800 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 1100 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 5.85 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure**

**Skin corrosion/irritation** No information available.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** No information available.

<b>Respiratory or skin sensitisation</b>	No information available.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Contains a known or suspected carcinogen. Classification based on data available for ingredients. May cause cancer.
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	Contains a known or suspected reproductive toxin. Classification based on data available for ingredients. May damage fertility or the unborn child.

The table below indicates ingredients above the cut-off threshold considered as relevant which are listed as reproductive toxins.

Chemical name	United Kingdom
N,N-Dimethylformamide	Repr. 1B

<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

#### Ecotoxicity

**Unknown aquatic toxicity** Contains 0 % of components with unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
N,N-Dimethylformamide	EC50: >500mg/L (96h, <i>Desmodesmus subspicatus</i> )	LC50: =6300mg/L (96h, <i>Lepomis macrochirus</i> ) LC50: =9800mg/L (96h, <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> ) LC50: =10410mg/L (96h, <i>Pimephales promelas</i> )	-	EC50: =7500mg/L (48h, <i>Daphnia magna</i> ) EC50: =8485mg/L (48h, <i>Daphnia magna</i> ) EC50: 6800 - 13900mg/L (48h, <i>Daphnia magna</i> )

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

**Persistence and degradability** No information available.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

#### Bioaccumulation

#### Component Information

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
N,N-Dimethylformamide	-1.028

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility in soil** No information available.

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment****PBT and vPvB assessment**

Chemical name	PBT and vPvB assessment
N,N-Dimethylformamide	The substance is not PBT / vPvB

**12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties**

No information available.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

**13.1. Waste treatment methods**

<b>Waste from residues/unused products</b>	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>	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 Users</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 Users</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</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 Users</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
<b>14.6 Special Precautions for Users</b>	
<b>Special Provisions</b>	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 contains one or more substances subject to restriction (UK REACH - Annex XVII).

Chemical name	Restricted substance per REACH Annex XVII	Substance subject to authorisation per REACH Annex XIV
N,N-Dimethylformamide - 68-12-2	Use restricted. See item 30. Use restricted. See item 72. Restricted Reproductive Toxin 1B	-

##### Persistent Organic Pollutants

Not applicable

##### Export Notification requirements

Not applicable

##### Named dangerous substances per COMAH Regulations 2015 (as amended)

Not applicable

##### The Ozone-Depleting Substances Regulations 2015

Not applicable

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

Not applicable

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

Not applicable

##### Poisons Act 1972 (Explosive Precursors) Regulations (as Amended)

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 H-Statements referred to under section 3

H312 - Harmful in contact with skin

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H332 - Harmful if inhaled

H360D - May damage the unborn child

#### Legend

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation:

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

TWA TWA (time-weighted average)

Ceiling Maximum limit value

+ Sensitisers

STEL

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STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Skin designation

**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
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)  
EPA (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)  
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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**Revision Note** Significant changes throughout SDS. Review all sections

**This material safety data sheet 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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