## GE Healthcare

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

Australia English

1. Identification of the material and supplier

Product name Protein precipitation buffer type 1; part of 'illustra

triplePrep Kit, 50 purifications'

Catalogue Number 28-9364-81

Component Number 28936879

Company details

Manufacturer Supplier

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ADG ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.

<u>Uses</u>

Classification

Safety phrases

Area of application Industrial applications. Analytical reagent. Research. Material uses

Product type

2. Hazards identification

> C: R35 N; R51/53

R35- Causes severe burns. Risk phrases

R51/53- Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. S26- In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

S36/37/39- Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

S45- In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where

S61- Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheet.

Statement of hazardous/dangerous nature

HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE. DANGEROUS GOODS.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixture

Ingredient name CAS number Concentration trichloroacetic acid 76-03-9

**Additional information** 

Other ingredients, determined not to be hazardous according to NOHSC criteria, and not dangerous according to the ADG Code, make up the product concentration to 100%.



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#### 4. First-aid measures

#### First-aid measures

Ingestion

Get medical attention immediately. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the Eye contact

upper and lower eyelids. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Continue to rinse for at least 10

minutes. Chemical burns must be treated promptly by a physician.

Get medical attention immediately. Flush contaminated skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated Skin contact

clothing and shoes. Wash contaminated clothing thoroughly with water before removing or wear gloves. Continue to rinse for at least 10 minutes. Chemical burns must be treated promptly by a physician. Wash

clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse.

Get medical attention immediately. Move exposed person to fresh air. If it is suspected that fumes are still Inhalation present, the rescuer should wear an appropriate mask or self-contained breathing apparatus. Keep

person warm and at rest. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention immediately. Wash out mouth with water. Remove dentures if any. Move exposed person to fresh air. Keep person warm and at rest. If material has been swallowed and the exposed

person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. Stop if the exposed person feels sick as vomiting may be dangerous. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. If vomiting occurs, the head should be kept low so that vomit does not enter the lungs. Chemical burns must be treated promptly by a physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Maintain an open airway.

Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.

Protection of first-aiders No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. If it is suspected that

fumes are still present, the rescuer should wear an appropriate mask or self-contained breathing apparatus. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Wash

contaminated clothing thoroughly with water before removing or wear gloves.

#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

### Extinguishing media

Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire. Suitable

Not suitable

Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No Special exposure hazards

action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. This material is toxic to aquatic organisms. Fire water contaminated with this material must be contained and prevented from

being discharged to any waterway, sewer or drain.

In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst.

Special protective equipment for Hazardous combustion products

**Environmental precautions** 

fire-fighters

Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus

(SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode. Decomposition products may include the following materials:

carbon dioxide

carbon monoxide halogenated compounds carbonyl halides metal oxide/oxides

#### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilt

material. Avoid breathing vapour or mist. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see section 8). Avoid dispersal of spilt material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

Water polluting material. May be harmful to the environment if released in large quantities.

Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Approach the release from upwind. Prevent Methods for cleaning up

entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Wash spillages into an effluent treatment plant or proceed as follows. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazard as the spilt product. Note: see section 1 for emergency

contact information and section 13 for waste disposal.

Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble or Small spill

absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Dispose of via a

licensed waste disposal contractor.



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#### 7. Handling and storage

Handling Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see section 8). Eating, drinking and smoking should be

prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Do not breathe vapour or mist. Do not ingest. Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheet. If during normal use the material presents a respiratory hazard, use only with adequate ventilation or wear appropriate respirator. Keep in the original container or an approved alternative made from a compatible material, kept tightly closed when not in use. Empty containers retain product residue and can

be hazardous. Do not reuse container

Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a Storage

dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabelled containers. Use

appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

#### Exposure controls/personal protection 8.

#### Occupational exposure limits

Ingredient name Occupational exposure limits trichloroacetic acid NOHSC (Australia, 8/2005). TWA: 6.7 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hour(s).

Recommended monitoring

procedures

If this product contains ingredients with exposure limits, personal, workplace atmosphere or biological monitoring may be required to determine the effectiveness of the ventilation or other control measures

TWA: 1 ppm 8 hour(s).

and/or the necessity to use respiratory protective equipment.

If user operations generate dust, fumes, gas, vapour or mist, use process enclosures, local exhaust **Engineering measures** 

ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any

recommended or statutory limits.

Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and Hygiene megsures

using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that

eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal protection

Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates Eves

this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists, gases or dusts.

Hands Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times

when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk Respiratory

assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

Skin Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and

the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the **Environmental exposure controls** 

requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable

#### Physical and chemical properties 9.

Physical state Liquid Colour Colourless

4.8 [Conc. (% w/w): 100%] pН

#### 10. Stability and reactivity

#### 11. Toxicological information

### Potential acute health effects

Inhalation May give off gas, vapor or dust that is very irritating or corrosive to the respiratory system.

May cause burns to mouth, throat and stomach. Ingestion Severely corrosive to the skin. Causes severe burns. Skin contact Severely corrosive to the eyes. Causes severe burns. Eye contact

**Acute toxicity** 

Product/ingredient name Result **Species** Dose Exposure LD50 Oral 1710 mg/kg Zinc sulphate, heptahydrate Rat LD50 Oral Mouse 245 mg/kg

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

Potential chronic health effects

Chronic toxicity



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Not available.

Conclusion/Summary

Carcinogenicity

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

**Mutagenicity** 

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

**Teratogenicity** 

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

Reproductive toxicity

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

Chronic effects
No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Carcinogenicity
No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Mutagenicity
No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Teratogenicity
No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Developmental effects
No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Fertility effects
No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Over-exposure signs/symptoms

**Inhalation** No specific data.

**Ingestion** Adverse symptoms may include the following:

**Skin** stomach pains

Adverse symptoms may include the following:

Eyes pain or irritation

redness

blistering may occur

Adverse symptoms may include the following:

pain watering redness

Target organs Contains material which causes damage to the following organs: mucous membranes, gastrointestinal

tract, upper respiratory tract, skin, eyes, stomach.

### 12. Ecological information

**Environmental effects** 

Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

#### **Aquatic ecotoxicity**

Product/ingredient name	Test	Result	Species	Exposure
Trichloroacetic acid	Intoxication	Acute EC50 2000 mg/L	Daphnia	48 hours
	Intoxication	Acute EC50 146 mg/L	Daphnia	48 hours
	Mortality	Acute LC50 3100 mg/L	Daphnia	96 hours
	Mortality	Acute LC50 2000 mg/L	Fish	96 hours
	Mortality	Acute LC50 2500 mg/L	Fish	96 hours

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

**Biodegradability** 

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

 Product/ingredient name
 Aquatic half-life
 Photolysis
 Biodegradability

 trichloroacetic acid
 Not readily

Bioaccumulative potential

Product/ingredient nameLogPowBCFPotentialtrichloroacetic acid1.330.4 to 1.7low

Other adverse effects No known significant effects or critical hazards.

### 13. Disposal considerations

Methods of disposal The generation of waste should be avoided or minimised wherever possible. Empty containers or liners

may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of

environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements.

Avoid dispersal of spilt material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.



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### 14. Transport information

### International transport regulations

Regulation	UN number	Proper shipping name	Class	PG	Label	Additional information
ADG	3082	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.	9	III	MSCELLMEOUS DINCEROLIS GOODS	-
IMDG	3082	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.	9	III		-
IATA	3082	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.	9	III		-

### 15. Regulatory information

### Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons

Not regulated.

### Control of Scheduled Carcinogenic Substances

Ingredient name
Not available.

Australia inventory (AICS) Australia inventory (AICS): All components are listed or exempted.

EU Classification C; R35 N; R51/53

HCS ClassificationCorrosive materialTarget organ effects

### 16. Other information

#### <u>History</u>

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