# **GE** Healthcare

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

Conforms to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Annex II - Switzerland

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

## 1.1 Product identifier

Cy<sup>TM</sup>5 Reactive, Ambion, 5 vial (20X)

Catalogue Number RPK5661B

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EC number Not available.

CAS number Not available.

Product description Not available.

Product type Solid.

Other means of identification Not available.

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

Research and Development Analytical reagent. Analytical chemistry.

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

SupplierGE Healthcare UK LtdHours of operationAmersham Place08.30 - 17.00

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### National advisory body/Poison Centre

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(Swiss Toxicological Information Centre)

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Substance

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP/GHS]



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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Product definition Mono-constituent substance

### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP/GHS]

Acute Tox. 4, H302 Acute Tox. 4, H312 Acute Tox. 4, H332 Resp. Sens. 1, H334 Skin Sens. 1, H317

### Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC [DSD]

Xn: R20/21/22 R42/43

See Section 16 for the full text of the R phrases or H statements declared above.

See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

#### 2.2 Label elements

Hazard pictograms





Signal word Danger

Harmful if swallowed **Hazard statements** Harmful in contact with skin.

Harmful if inhaled.

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Precautionary statements** 

Wear protective gloves. Wear protective clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Prevention

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If Response

experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or physician.

Storage Not applicable. Disposal Not applicable. Supplemental label elements Not applicable.

Special packaging requirements

Containers to be fitted with child-resistant fastenings

Not applicable.

Not applicable. Tactile warning of danger

2.3 Other hazards

Substance meets the criteria for PBT according to Regulation (EC)

P: Not available. B: Not available. T: No.

No. 1907/2006, Annex XIII Substance meets the criteria for

vPvB according to Regulation (EC)

Not available.

No. 1907/2006, Annex XIII

Other hazards which do not result Not available.

in classification



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# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Substance/mixture

Mono-constituent substance

			<u>Classification</u>		
Product/ingredient name	Identifiers	%	67/548/EEC	Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]	Туре
Cy5 (mono-reactive)	-	100	Xn; R20/21/22 R42/43	Acute Tox. 4, H302 Acute Tox. 4, H312 Acute Tox. 4, H332 Resp. Sens. 1, H334 Skin Sens. 1, H317	[A]
			See Section 16 for the full text of the R-phrases declared above.	See Section 16 for the full text of the H statements declared above.	

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier, are classified and contribute to the classification of the substance and hence require reporting in this section.

### **Type**

[A] Constituent

[B] Impurity

[C] Stabilising additive

Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

**Eye contact** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Check for

and remove any contact lenses. Continue to rinse for at least 10 minutes. Get medical attention if

irritation occurs.

**Inhalation** Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If it is suspected that

fumes are still present, the rescuer should wear an appropriate mask or self-contained breathing apparatus. 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. Get medical attention. If necessary, call a poison center or physician. 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. In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed. The exposed person may need to be kept under medical surveillance for 48 hours. In the event of any complaints or symptoms, avoid further exposure.

Skin contact

Wash with plenty of soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash contaminated

clothing thoroughly with water before removing it, or wear gloves. Continue to rinse for at least 10 minutes. Get medical attention. If necessary, call a poison center or physician. In the event of any complaints or symptoms, avoid further exposure. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly

before reuse.

**Ingestion** Wash out mouth with water. Remove dentures if any. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a

position comfortable for breathing. 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. Get medical attention. If necessary, call a poison center or 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 it, or wear gloves.

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

Potential acute health effects

**Eye contact** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Inhalation** Harmful if inhaled. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Exposure

to decomposition products may cause a health hazard. Serious effects may be delayed following

exposure.

**Skin contact** Harmful in contact with skin. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed

Over-exposure signs/symptoms

**Eye contact** No specific data.



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

wheezing and breathing difficulties

isthma

**Skin contact** Adverse symptoms may include the following:

irritation

redness

**Ingestion** No specific data.

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

Notes to physician In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed. The exposed person

may need to be kept under medical surveillance for 48 hours.

**Specific treatments** No specific treatment.

## **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

## 5.1 Extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known.

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

Hazards from the substance or

mixture

No specific fire or explosion hazard.

Hazardous combustion products Decomposition products may include the following materials:

carbon dioxide carbon monoxide nitrogen oxides sulfur oxides metal oxide/oxides

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special precautions for fire-

fiahters

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

action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

Special protective equipment for

6.4 Reference to other sections

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. Clothing for fire-fighters (including helmets, protective boots and gloves) conforming to European standard EN 469 will provide a basic level

of protection for chemical incidents.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

For non-emergency personnel 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. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put

on appropriate personal protective equipment.

For emergency responders If specialised clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on

suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".

**6.2 Environmental precautions** 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).

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Small spill Move containers from spill area. Vacuum or sweep up material and place in a designated, labelled waste

container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

Large spill Move containers from spill area. Approach the release from upwind. Prevent entry into sewers, water

courses, basements or confined areas. Vacuum or sweep up material and place in a designated, labelled waste container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Note: see section 1 for emergency

contact information and section 13 for waste disposal.

See Section 1 for emergency contact information.
See Section 8 for information on appropriate personal protective equipment.

See Section 13 for additional waste treatment information.



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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

The information in this section contains generic advice and guidance. The list of Identified Uses in Section 1 should be consulted for any available use-specific information provided in the Exposure Scenario(s).

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Protective measures

Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Persons with a history of skin sensitisation problems or asthma, allergies or chronic or recurrent respiratory disease should not be employed in any process in which this product is used. Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Do not ingest. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. 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

Advice on general occupational hygiene

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. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store between the following temperatures: 2 to 8°C (35.6 to 46.4°F). Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a 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.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

**Recommendations** Research and Development Analytical reagent. Analytical chemistry.

Industrial sector specific solutions Not available.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

The information in this section contains generic advice and guidance. The list of Identified Uses in Section 1 should be consulted for any available use-specific information provided in the Exposure Scenario(s).

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

No exposure limit value known.

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 and/or the necessity to use respiratory protective equipment. Reference should be made to European Standard EN 689 for methods for the assessment of exposure by inhalation to chemical agents and national guidance documents for methods for the determination of hazardous substances.

### Derived effect levels

No DELs available.

### **Predicted effect concentrations**

No PECs available.

## 8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Use only with adequate ventilation. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits.

## **Individual protection measures**

Hygiene measures

Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Eye/face protection

Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists, gases or dusts.

## Skin protection

Hand protection

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.

Body protection

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.

Other skin protection

Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

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

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

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

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

Solid. Physical state Blue Colour Odourless. Odour Not available. Odour threshold Not available. Melting point/freezing point Not available.

Initial boiling point and boiling

range

Not available.

[Product does not sustain combustion.] Flash point

**Evaporation rate** Not available

Non-flammable in the presence of the following materials or conditions: open flames, sparks and static Flammability (solid, gas)

discharge, heat, shocks and mechanical impacts, oxidizing materials, reducing materials, combustible

materials, organic materials, metals, acids, alkalis and moisture.

**Burning time** Not available. Not available. **Burning** rate Not available. Upper/lower flammability or

explosive limits

Not available Vapour pressure Not available. Vapour density Not available. Relative density

Solubility(ies) Easily soluble in the following materials: cold water, hot water and methanol.

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

Not available

Not available Auto-ignition temperature Not available. **Decomposition temperature** Viscosity Not available.

**Explosive properties** Not considered to be a product presenting a risk of explosion.

Not available. Oxidising properties

### 9.2 Other information

No additional information

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients. 10.1 Reactivity

The product is stable. 10.2 Chemical stability

10.3 Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.

10.4 Conditions to avoid No specific data. 10.5 Incompatible materials No specific data.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition

products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.



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## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** 

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

Irritation/Corrosion

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

<u>Sensitiser</u>

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

**Mutagenicity** 

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

Carcinogenicity

**Conclusion/Summary**To the best of our knowledge, the toxicological properties of this substance have not been thoroughly

investigated.

Reproductive toxicity

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

**Teratogenicity** 

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Not available.

### Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Not available.

#### **Aspiration hazard**

Not available.

Information on the likely routes of Routes of entry anticipated:Oral, Dermal, Inhalation.

exposure

### Potential acute health effects

**Inhalation** Harmful if inhaled. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Exposure

to decomposition products may cause a health hazard. Serious effects may be delayed following

exposure.

**Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed.

**Skin contact** Harmful in contact with skin. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Eye contact** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

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

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

wheezing and breathing difficulties

asthma

**Ingestion** No specific data.

**Skin contact** Adverse symptoms may include the following:

irritation

redness

**Eye contact** No specific data.

## Delayed and immediate effects and also chronic effects from short and long term exposure

Short term exposure

Potential immediate effects Not available.

Potential delayed effects Not available.

Long term exposure

Potential immediate effects Not available.

Potential delayed effects Not available.

Potential chronic health effects

Not available



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Conclusion/Summary Not available.

General Once sensitized, a severe allergic reaction may occur when subsequently exposed to very low levels.

CarcinogenicityNo known significant effects or critical hazards.MutagenicityNo known significant effects or critical hazards.TeratogenicityNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Developmental effectsNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Fertility effectsNo known significant effects or critical hazards.

Other information Not available.

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### 12.1 Toxicity

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Not available.

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

Soil/water partition coefficient (Koc Not available.

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Mobility Not available.

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT No.

P: Not available. B: Not available. T: No.

vPvB Not available.

vP: Not available. vB: Not available.

**12.6 Other adverse effects** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

The information in this section contains generic advice and guidance. The list of Identified Uses in Section 1 should be consulted for any available use-specific information provided in the Exposure Scenario(s).

## 13.1 Waste treatment methods

### **Product**

Methods of disposal The generation of waste should be avoided or minimised wherever possible. Significant quantities of

waste product residues should not be disposed of via the foul sewer but processed in a suitable effluent treatment plant. 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

equirements

Hazardous waste The classification of the product may meet the criteria for a hazardous waste.

**Packaging** 

Methods of disposal The generation of waste should be avoided or minimised wherever possible. Waste packaging should be

recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible.

**Special precautions**This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been cleaned or rinsed out. Empty containers or liners may retain

some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilt material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways,

drains and sewers.



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## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

	ADR/RID	ADN/ADNR	IMDG	IATA
14.1 UN number	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.
14.2 UN proper shipping name	-	-	-	-
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	-	-	-	-
14.4 Packing group	-	-	-	-
14.5 Environmental hazards	No.	No.	No.	No.
14.6 Special precautions for user	Not available.	Not available.	Not available.	Not available.
Additional information	-	-	-	-

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not available.

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

## 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

EU Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH)

Annex XIV - List of substances subject to authorisation

Substances of very high concern

None of the components are listed.

Annex XVII - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles

Not applicable.

Other EU regulations

Not determined. **Europe inventory** 

Not listed **Black List Chemicals Priority List Chemicals** Not listed Integrated pollution prevention Not listed

and control list (IPPC) - Air

Integrated pollution prevention Not listed

and control list (IPPC) - Water

National regulations

Liberated. VOC content

**International regulations** 

**Chemical Weapons Convention** List Schedule I Chemicals

Not listed

**Chemical Weapons Convention** List Schedule II Chemicals

Not listed



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List Schedule III Chemicals

Not listed

15.2 Chemical Safety

Not available

Assessment

# SECTION 16: Other information

Indicates information that has changed from previously issued version.

Abbreviations and acronyms

ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimate

CLP = Classification, Labelling and Packaging Regulation [Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008]

DNEL = Derived No Effect Level

EUH statement = CLP-specific Hazard statement PNEC = Predicted No Effect Concentration RRN = REACH Registration Number

### Procedure used to derive the classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP/GHS]

Classification	Justification		
Acute Tox. 4, H302 Acute Tox. 4, H312 Acute Tox. 4, H332 Resp. Sens. 1, H334 Skin Sens. 1, H317	Expert judgment Expert judgment Expert judgment Expert judgment Expert judgment Expert judgment		

H302 Harmful if swallowed Full text of abbreviated H statements H312 Harmful in contact with skin. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H332 Harmful if inhaled. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. H334 Full text of classifications Acute Tox. 4, H302 ACUTE TOXICITY: ORAL - Category 4 Acute Tox. 4, H312 ACUTE TOXICITY: SKIN - Category 4 [CLP/GHS] Acute Tox. 4, H332 ACUTE TOXICITY: INHALATION - Category 4 Resp. Sens. 1, H334 RESPIRATORY SENSITIZATION - Category 1 Skin Sens. 1, H317 SKIN SENSITIZATION - Category 1 R20/21/22- Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

Full text of abbreviated R phrases

R42/43- May cause sensitisation by inhalation and skin contact.

Full text of classifications

[DSD/DPD]

Xn - Harmful

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