# **GE** Healthcare

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

Australia English

1. Identification of the material and supplier

Product name TMB Substrate; part of 'TNFα, Mouse, Biotrak<sup>TM</sup>

Assay'

Catalogue Number **RPN2718** 

Component Number NIF1669

Company details

Manufacturer Supplier

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ADG

<u>Uses</u>

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

Product type

2. Hazards identification

Not regulated. Classification Risk phrases Not classified. Statement of hazardous/dangerous nature

NON-HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

Composition/information on ingredients 3.

Mixture

**Additional information** 

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

There are no ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section.

#### 4. First-aid measures

First-aid measures

Eye contact In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation

Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if symptoms appear. Skin contact If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms appear. Inhalation

Ingestion Do not ingest. Get medical attention if symptoms appear.

Protection of first-aiders No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.



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#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire. Suitable

None known. 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.

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

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Hazardous combustion products

Methods for cleaning up

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

(SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

No specific data.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding Personal precautions

areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilt

material. 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 **Environmental precautions** 

the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air). Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Prevent 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. Note: see section 1 for emergency contact information and section 13 for waste disposal.

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

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

licensed waste disposal contractor.

#### 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.

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.

No exposure standard allocated. Occupational exposure limits

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.

No special ventilation requirements. Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control worker **Engineering measures** 

exposure to airborne contaminants. If this product contains ingredients with exposure limits, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure below any

recommended or statutory limits.

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

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

Hands

Skin

Respiratory

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 or dusts.

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 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.

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

levels.



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# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state Liquid

**Colour** Clear Colorless to light blue.

Odour Odourless.
Relative density 1.01

**Solubility** Easily soluble in the following materials: cold water and hot water.

# 10. Stability and reactivity

StabilityThe product is stable.Materials to avoidNo specific data.

# 11. Toxicological information

# Potential acute health effects

InhalationNo known significant effects or critical hazards.IngestionNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Skin contactNo known significant effects or critical hazards.Eye contactNo known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Acute toxicity** 

Conclusion/Summary No additional remark.

#### Potential chronic health effects

**Chronic toxicity** 

**Conclusion/Summary**Very low toxicity to humans or animals.

Carcinogenicity

**Conclusion/Summary** Very low toxicity to humans or animals.

<u>Mutagenicity</u>

**Conclusion/Summary** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Teratogenicity** 

**Conclusion/Summary** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Reproductive toxicity

Conclusion/Summary

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Carcinogenicity

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Mutagenicity

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.

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Over-exposure signs/symptoms

InhalationNo specific data.IngestionNo specific data.SkinNo specific data.EyesNo specific data.

# 12. Ecological information

**Environmental effects** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Aquatic ecotoxicity

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

**Biodegradability** 

Conclusion/Summary Not available.

Other adverse effects No known significant effects or critical hazards.



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## 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.

## 14. Transport information

#### International transport regulations

Not classified.

# 15. Regulatory information

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

Not regulated.

### **Control of Scheduled Carcinogenic Substances**

Ingredient name Schedule

Not available.

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

EU ClassificationNot classified.HCS ClassificationNot regulated.

### 16. Other information

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