# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

United States English

Section 1. Chemical product and company identification

Product name TMB Substrate; part of 'IL-12 p40/70, Human,

Biotrak™ Assay'

Catalogue Number RPN2765

Component Number NIF1669

Material uses Industrial applications: Analytical chemistry. Research.

Product typeLiquid.Validation date7 June 2011Print date07 June 2011

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<u>In case of emergency</u> US ChemTrec (US) 1-800-424-9300

Canada ChemTrec (US) 1-703-527-3887

# 2. Hazards identification

Physical state Liquid.
Odor Odorless

OSHA/HCS status While this material is not considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR

1910.1200), this MSDS contains valuable information critical to the safe handling and proper use of the product. This MSDS should be retained and available for employees and other users of this product.

**Emergency overview** 

NOT EXPECTED TO PRODUCE SIGNIFICANT ADVERSE HEALTH EFFECTS WHEN THE RECOMMENDED

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE ARE FOLLOWED.

**Routes of entry** Dermal contact. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Potential acute health effects

EyesNo known significant effects or critical hazards.SkinNo known significant effects or critical hazards.InhalationNo known significant effects or critical hazards.IngestionNo known significant effects or critical hazards.

Potential chronic health effects

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.

InhalationNo specific data.IngestionNo specific data.SkinNo specific data.EyesNo specific data.Medical conditions aggravated byNone known.

over-exposure



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#### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

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.

# Section 4. First aid measures

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

occurs

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

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

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

# Section 5. Fire-fighting measures

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

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.

Special protective equipment for

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.

#### Section 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 spilled

material. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8).

Avoid dispersal of spilled 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, Methods for cleaning up 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.

# Section 7. Handling and storage

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

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 unlabeled containers. Use

appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination

# Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Consult local authorities for acceptable 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.

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. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash

stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.



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Personal protection

Hands

Skin

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.

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.

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

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

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.

**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 levels.

# Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state Liauid.

Clear Colorless to light blue. Color

Odorless. Odor 1.01 Relative density Volatility 0% (v/v) 0 (a/l)VOC

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

# Section 10. Stability and reactivity

The product is stable Materials to avoid No specific data

Non-flammable in the presence of the following materials or conditions: open flames, sparks and static Conditions of reactivity

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

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

Non-explosive in the presence of the following materials or conditions: open flames, sparks and static discharge, heat, shocks and mechanical impacts, oxidizing materials, reducing materials, combustible

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

# Section 11. Toxicological information

Sensitizer

Conclusion/Summary Not available

# Section 12. Ecological information

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

**Aquatic ecotoxicity** 

Not available Conclusion/Summary

Biodegradability

Conclusion/Summary Not available

No known significant effects or critical hazards. Other adverse effects

# Section 13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized 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

spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Refer to Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE and Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION for additional handling information and protection of employees.



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# Section 14. Transport information

# International transport regulations

Not classified.

# Section 15. Regulatory information

HCS Classification Not regulated

U.S. Federal regulations United States inventory (TSCA 8b): All components are listed or exempted.

SARA 302/304/311/312 extremely hazardous substances: No products were found. SARA 302/304 emergency planning and notification: No products were found. SARA 302/304/311/312 hazardous chemicals: No products were found.

SARA 311/312 MSDS distribution - chemical inventory - hazard identification: No products were found.

Clean Water Act (CWA) 307: 3,3',5,5'-tetramethylbenzidine Clean Water Act (CWA) 311: 3,3',5,5'-tetramethylbenzidine

Clean Air Act (CAA) 112 regulated flammable substances: No products were found.

Clean Air Act (CAA) 112 regulated toxic substances: No products were found.

Clean Air Act Section 112(b) Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs)

Clean Air Act Section 602 Class I

Substances

Clean Air Act Section 602 Class II

**Substances** 

**DEA List I Chemicals (Precursor** 

Chemicals)

**DEA List II Chemicals (Essential** 

Chemicals)

#### State regulations

California Prop. 65

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International regulations

International lists

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

China inventory (IECSC): All components are listed or exempted.

Japan inventory (ENCS): Not determined. Japan inventory (ISHL): Not determined. Korea inventory (KECI): Not determined.

New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC): All components are listed or exempted.

Philippines inventory (PICCS): Not determined.

Chemical Weapons Convention List Schedule I Chemicals

Chemical Weapons Convention List Schedule II Chemicals

Chemical Weapons Convention List Schedule III Chemicals



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#### Section 16. Other information

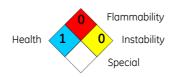
Label requirements

NOT EXPECTED TO PRODUCE SIGNIFICANT ADVERSE HEALTH EFFECTS WHEN THE RECOMMENDED

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The customer is responsible for determining the PPE code for this material.

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)





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#### Notice to reader

To the best of our knowledge, the information contained herein is accurate. However, neither the above-named supplier, nor any of its subsidiaries, assumes any liability whatsoever for the accuracy or completeness of the information contained herein. Final determination of suitability of any material is the sole responsibility of the user. All materials may present unknown hazards and should be used with caution. Although certain hazards are described herein, we cannot guarantee that these are the only hazards that exist.



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