# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

**United States** English

Section 1. Chemical product and company identification

**Product name** Recombinant Glutathione S-transferase; part of

'GST 96 Well Detection Module, 5 plates'

Catalogue Number 27-4592-01

Component Number 274573

Industrial applications: Analytical chemistry. Research. Material uses

Viquid. Product type

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In case of emergency US ChemTrec (US) 1-800-424-9300

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#### 2. Hazards identification

Liquid. Physical state Odor

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

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.

Vermal contact. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion. Routes of entry

Potential acute health effects

Eyes No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards. Inhalation No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards. Ingestion

Potential chronic health effects

Chronic effects No known significant effects or critical hazards. 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 specific data. Inhalation No specific data. Ingestion No specific data. Skin No specific data. None known.

Medical conditions aggravated by

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

Check for and remove any contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 Eye contact

minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. r case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing Skin contact

contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse. Get

medical attention if symptoms occur.

Move exposed person to fresh air. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, Inhalation

provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

 $\overline{\mathbb{W}}$ ash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never Ingestion

give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

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

# Section 5. Fire-fighting measures

Flammability of the product

 $m{\mathbb{M}}$  a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst.

**Extinguishing media** 

Suitable Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

Not suitable None known.

Fromptly 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.

Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) Special protective equipment for with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode. fire-fighters

# Section 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions  $\overline{\mathsf{N}}$ o 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 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.

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

Handling Fut 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. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment

before entering eating areas.

 $\overline{\mathcal{B}}$ o not store above the following temperature: -20°C (-4°F). Store in accordance with local regulations. Storage

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 unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental

contamination.



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# 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.

**Engineering measures** 

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

Personal protection

 $\overline{\mathbb{V}}$ se 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 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

Hands

Eves

Skin

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

Flash point Product does not sustain combustion.

Colorless Color Odorless Odor

8% (v/v), 0% (w/w) Volatility ₹% (w/w) [ISO 11890-1] VOC

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

# Section 10. Stability and reactivity

The product is stable. Stability

Possibility of hazardous reactions

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

Conditions of reactivity

Mon-flammable 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.

Mon-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

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

Aquatic ecotoxicity

Not available. Conclusion/Summary

**Biodegradability** 

Not available. Conclusion/Summary

Other adverse effects No known significant effects or critical hazards.



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# Section 13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized 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 requirements. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. 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.

## Section 14. Transport information

#### International transport regulations

Not classified.



# Section 15. Regulatory information

**HCS Classification** 

Not regulated.

U.S. Federal regulations

TSCA 8(a) IUR Exempt/Partial exemption: Not determined

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 Air Act Section 112(b) Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) Not listed

Clean Air Act Section 602 Class I

**Substances** 

Clean Air Act Section 602 Class II Not listed

**Substances** 

Not listed

**DEA List I Chemicals (Precursor** 

Chemicals

Not listed

DEA List II Chemicals (Essential

Chemicals)

# State regulations

Massachusetts Mone of the components are listed. Mone of the components are listed. **New York** Mone of the components are listed. **New Jersey** None of the components are listed. Pennsylvania

California Prop. 65

**United States inventory (TSCA 8b)** 

All components are listed or exempted.

International regulations

International lists

Australia inventory (AICS): All components are listed or exempted. China inventory (IECSC): All components are listed or exempted. Japan inventory: All components are listed or exempted. Korea inventory: All components are listed or exempted.

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

Philippines inventory (PICCS): All components are listed or exempted.



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Chemical Weapons Convention List Schedule I Chemicals ₩ot listed

Chemical Weapons Convention List Schedule II Chemicals Not listed

Chemical Weapons Convention List Schedule III Chemicals

Not listed

# Section 16. Other information

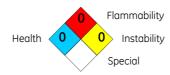
Label requirements

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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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