



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## SECTION 1) IDENTIFICATION

**Product ID:** 30-2001  
**Product Name:** RPMI-1640 Medium  
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**Manufacturer's Name:** American Type Culture Collection  
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**Product/Recommended Uses:** For lab use only

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## SECTION 2) HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

### Hazard not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None

## SECTION 3) COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

None of the chemicals in this product are hazardous according to the GHS.

### Additional Notes

This substance or mixture contains no ingredients at concentrations to be considered hazardous as defined by OSHA HCS 2012, however this product should be handled according to good lab practices, with proper personal protective equipment, proper engineering controls and within the parameters of the purchaser's chemical hygiene plan.

## SECTION 4) FIRST-AID MEASURES

### Inhalation

Remove source of exposure or move person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell or are concerned.

### 4.1 Description of measures

#### Eye Contact

Rinse eyes cautiously with lukewarm, gently flowing water for several minutes, while holding the eyelids open. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for a duration of 15- 20 minutes. Take care not to rinse contaminated water into the unaffected eye or onto the face.

#### Skin Contact

Take off all contaminated clothing immediately, shoes and leather goods (e.g. watchbands, belts). If skin irritation occurs or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Wash with soap and plenty of water. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use or discard.

#### Ingestion

Rinse mouth with water. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

### **Most Important Symptoms/Effects, Acute and Delayed**

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

### **Indication of Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed**

No data available.

## **SECTION 5) FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Dry chemical, foam, carbon dioxide, water-spray or alcohol-resistant foam. Use caution when applying carbon dioxide in confined spaces.

### **Specific Hazards arising from substance or mixture**

No data available.

### **Fire-fighting Procedures**

Isolate immediate hazard area and keep unauthorized personnel out. Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area if it can be done safely. Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations.

### **Special Protective Actions**

Wear protective pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full turnout gear.

## **SECTION 6) ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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

Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Avoid dust/aerosol formation. Isolate hazard area and keep unauthorized personnel away. If specialized clothing is required, refer to section 8 of this SDS.

### **Environmental Precautions**

Stop spill/release if it can be done safely. Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

### **Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleanup**

Allow aerosols to settle; wearing protective clothing, gently cover spill with paper towel and apply 10% sodium hypochlorite, starting at perimeter and working towards the center; allow sufficient contact time before clean up (30 min). Clean up spills immediately. The use of additional PPE may be necessary for cleaning solutions.

## **SECTION 7) HANDLING AND STORAGE**

### **Precautions for safe handling**

Use aseptic procedures. Hand washing required after working with potentially hazardous materials and before leaving the laboratory. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Decontamination of work surfaces daily, after finishing work and following spills. Standard microbiological practices should be followed. Avoid eating, drinking and smoking in work areas. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation.

### **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Store in cool, dry, well-ventilated areas away from heat, direct sunlight, strong oxidizers and any incompatible materials. Keep containers securely sealed when not in use.

### **Specific end use(s)**

Apart from the uses mentioned in sec.1, no other uses are stipulated.

## **SECTION 8) EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

### **Appropriate Engineering Controls**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

### **Eye Protection**

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

### **Skin Protection**

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface)

to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices.

### Body Protection

Impervious clothing. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

### Respiration Protection

Respiratory protection not required.

### Control Parameters

Chemical Name	OSHA TWA (ppm)	OSHA TWA (mg/m3)	OSHA STEL (ppm)	OSHA STEL (mg/m3)	OSHA Tables (Z1, Z2, Z3)	OSHA Carcinogen	OSHA Skin designation	NIOSH TWA (ppm)
No applicable chemical	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Chemical Name	NIOSH TWA (mg/m3)	NIOSH STEL (ppm)	NIOSH STEL (mg/m3)	NIOSH Carcinogen	ACGIH TWA (ppm)	ACGIH TWA (mg/m3)	ACGIH STEL (ppm)	ACGIH STEL (mg/m3)
No applicable chemical	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Chemical Name	ACGIH Carcinogen	ACGIH TLV Basis	ACGIH Notations
No applicable chemical	-	-	-

## SECTION 9) PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Physical and Chemical Properties

Density	1.00000 lb/gal
Specific Gravity	0.11983
% Solids By Weight	100.00000%

Appearance	N/A
Odor Threshold	N/A
Odor Description	N/A
pH	N/A
Water Solubility	N/A
Flammability	N/A
Flash Point Symbol	N/A
Flash Point	N/A
Viscosity	N/A
Lower Explosion Level	N/A
Upper Explosion Level	N/A
Vapor Pressure	N/A
Vapor Density	N/A
Freezing Point	N/A
Melting Point	N/A
Low Boiling Point	N/A
High Boiling Point	N/A
Auto Ignition Temp	N/A
Decomposition Pt	N/A
Evaporation Rate	N/A

**Other Information**

No data available.

**SECTION 10) STABILITY AND REACTIVITY****Stability**

Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions.

**Reactivity**

No data available.

**Conditions to Avoid**

Direct sunlight, extremely high or low temperatures, ignition sources and incompatible materials.

**Hazardous Reactions/Polymerization**

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

**Incompatible Materials**

Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizers.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Thermal decomposition generates: Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>), Sodium oxides, Sulfur.

**SECTION 11) TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Acute Toxicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Skin Corrosion/Irritation**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Serious Eye Damage/Irritation**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Respiratory/Skin Sensitization**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Carcinogenicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Reproductive Toxicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Aspiration Hazard**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Likely Routes of Exposure**

Inhalation, Ingestion, Skin contact, Eye contact

**SECTION 12) ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### Toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### Persistence and Degradability

No data available.

### Bio-accumulative Potential

No data available.

### Mobility in Soil

No data available.

### Other Adverse Effects

No data available.

## SECTION 13) DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Waste Disposal

It is the responsibility of the user of the product to determine at the time of disposal whether the product meets local criteria for hazardous waste. Waste management should be in full compliance with federal, state and local laws.

## SECTION 14) TRANSPORT INFORMATION

	U.S. DOT Information	IMDG Information	IATA Information
UN number:	Not Regulated	Not Regulated	Not Regulated
Proper shipping name:	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hazard class:	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Hazardous substance (RQ):	NA	NA	NA
Marine Pollutant:	No	No	No
Note / Special Provision:	No	No	No
Packing group:	NA	NA	NA
Toxic-Inhalation Hazard:	NA	NA	NA

## SECTION 15) REGULATORY INFORMATION

### Regulatory Information

The following regulations have been evaluated for this product: TSCA, SARA 313 & SARA 312.

CAS	Chemical Name	% By Weight	Regulation List
No applicable CAS	No applicable chemical	-	-

## SECTION 16) OTHER INFORMATION

### Glossary

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists  
BSC - Biological Safety Cabinet  
CAS - Chemical Abstract Service  
Chemtrec - Chemical Transportation Emergency Center(US)  
CERCLA - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act  
HEPA - High efficiency particulate air

LC - Lethal Concentration  
LD - Lethal Dose  
N/A - Not applicable  
NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health  
OEL - Occupational Exposure Limits  
OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration, US Department of Labor  
PEL - Permissible Exposure Limit  
SARA (Title III)- Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act  
SARA 313 - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act, Section 313  
SCBA - Self Contained Breathing Apparatus  
STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit  
TLV - Threshold Limit Value  
TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act Public Law 94-469  
TWA - Time Weighted Average  
US DOT - US Department of Transportation

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