

1. Identification

Product identifier	Assay Buffer	
Other means of identification		
Product code	10X Assay Buffer, in 846 ACTICHROME® TF	
Recommended use	Assorted.	
Recommended restrictions	Use in accordance with supplier's recommendations.	
Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information		
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2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards	Not classified.	
Health hazards	Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
	Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2
OSHA defined hazards	Not classified.	
Label elements		



Signal word	Warning	
Hazard statement	Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation.	
Precautionary statement		
Prevention	Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection.	
Response	If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.	
Storage	Store away from incompatible materials.	
Disposal	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.	
Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)	None known.	

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical name	CAS number	%
Tris-(hydroxymethyl)aminomet hane	77-86-1	10 - < 20
Sodium chloride	7647-14-5	3 - 8

Composition comments All concentrations are in percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a poison center or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Skin contact Remove contaminated clothing. Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Eye contact Do not rub eyes. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting. May cause redness and pain.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically.

General information Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

Unsuitable extinguishing media Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting equipment/instructions Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

General fire hazards No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted. Will burn if involved in a fire.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Absorb spill with vermiculite or other inert material. Dispose of waste in accordance with all applicable federal, state, local and provincial environmental regulations, per Section 13.

Environmental precautions Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or watercourses.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wash thoroughly after handling. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Handle and open container with care.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store at 2-8°C (35-46°F). Store in a closed container away from incompatible materials. Keep container tightly closed.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s).

Biological limit values No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering controls Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear approved safety glasses or goggles.

Skin protection

Hand protection Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

Other Wear lab coat or other protective garments. Remove contaminated clothing promptly.

Respiratory protection In case of inadequate ventilation or risk of inhalation of vapors, use suitable respiratory equipment.

Thermal hazards	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.
General hygiene considerations	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state	Liquid.
Form	Liquid.
Color	Not available.
Odor	Not available.
Odor threshold	Not available.
pH	8.5
Melting point/freezing point	Not available.
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not available.
Flash point	Not available.
Evaporation rate	Not available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not available.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	
Flammability limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Flammability limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Vapor pressure	Not available.
Vapor density	Not available.
Relative density	Not available.
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	Not available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Keep away from heat.
Incompatible materials	Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents. Reducing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation	Vapors may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.
Skin contact	Causes skin irritation.
Eye contact	Causes serious eye irritation.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed.
Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics	Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting. May cause redness and pain.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Harmful if swallowed.

Components	Species	Test Results
Sodium chloride (CAS 7647-14-5)		
Acute		
<i>Dermal</i>		
LD50	Rabbit	> 10000 mg/kg
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Rat	> 3980 mg/kg
<i>Other</i>		
LD50	Mouse	2602 mg/kg
Tris-(hydroxymethyl)aminomethane (CAS 77-86-1)		
Acute		
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Rat	5900 mg/kg
Skin corrosion/irritation	Causes skin irritation.	
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Causes serious eye irritation.	
Respiratory or skin sensitization		
Respiratory sensitization	Not classified.	
Skin sensitization	Not a skin sensitizer.	
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not classified.	
Carcinogenicity	Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.	
OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)		
Not listed.		
Reproductive toxicity	Not classified.	
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	Not classified.	
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	Not classified.	
Aspiration hazard	Not classified.	
Further information	No other specific acute or chronic health impact noted.	

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

Components	Species	Test Results
Sodium chloride (CAS 7647-14-5)		
Aquatic		
Crustacea	EC50 Water flea (<i>Daphnia magna</i>)	874 mg/l, 48 hours
Persistence and degradability	No data is available on the degradability of this product.	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not available.	
Partition coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)		
Tris-(hydroxymethyl)aminomethane (CAS 77-86-1)	-2.31 (20°C)	
Mobility in soil	Not available.	
Mobility in general	The product is soluble in water.	
Other adverse effects	The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.	

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. This preparation contains a small amount of sodium azide which can react with copper, lead, brass or solder in plumbing systems and form potentially explosive metal azides. If preparation enters drain, flush with a large volume of water to prevent azide build-up.

Hazardous waste code	The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company and/or appropriate testing.
Waste from residues / unused products	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).
Contaminated packaging	Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information

US federal regulations

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not listed.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not listed.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories
 Immediate Hazard - Yes
 Delayed Hazard - No
 Fire Hazard - No
 Pressure Hazard - No
 Reactivity Hazard - No

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical Yes

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)
 Not regulated.

Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) Not regulated.

US state regulations

US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List

Not regulated.

US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Not listed.

US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law

Not listed.

US. Rhode Island RTK

Not regulated.

US. California Proposition 65

Not Listed.

International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

*A "Yes" indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s).

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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NFPA ratings



References

ACGIH
IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity
HSDB® - Hazardous Substances Data Bank

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