

SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Trade name or designation

Wash Buffer (Tween)

of the mixture

Registration number

Synonyms PBS-T, PBST, wash buffer, Z-CHEM31, PBS, pH 7.4 with 0.05% Tween 20

Product code 813, 813RUO, 814, 814RUO, 827, 828. 837, 884CON

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1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Assorted.

Uses advised againstUse in accordance with supplier's recommendations.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone

number

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Contract number MIS9591327

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

The mixture has been assessed and/or tested for its physical, health and environmental hazards and the following classification applies.

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as amended

Health hazards

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2 H319 - Causes serious eye

irritation.

Hazard summary Causes serious eye irritation.

2.2. Label elements

Label according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 as amended

Hazard pictograms

Signal word Warning

Hazard statements

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Precautionary statements

Prevention

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Wash thoroughly after handling. P264 Wear eye protection/face protection. P280

Response

P305 + P351 + P338 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. P337 + P313

Store away from incompatible materials. Storage

Disposal Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Supplemental label information None.

2.3. Other hazards Not a PBT or vPvB substance or mixture.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

General information

Chemical name	%	CAS-No. / EC No.	REACH Registration No.	INDEX No.	Notes
Sodium chloride	60 - 80	7647-14-5 231-598-3	01-2119485491-33-XXXX	-	
Classification: -					
Sodium phosphate dibasic anhydrous	10 - <20	7558-79-4 231-448-7	-	-	
Classification: Eye Irrit. 2;H	319				

List of abbreviations and symbols that may be used above

CLP: Regulation No. 1272/2008.

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

percent by volume.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

General information Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to

protect themselves.

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention if any discomfort

continues.

Skin contact For skin contact flush with large amounts of water while removing contaminated clothing. Get

medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Eye contact Flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. If eye irritation persists, get medical

advice/attention.

Rinse mouth thoroughly if dust is ingested. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell. Ingestion

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

delayed

4.3. Indication of any

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

Dust may irritate skin and the respiratory system. Causes severe eye irritation.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

General fire hazards Will burn if involved in a fire.

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing

media

Extinguish with water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical or material appropriate for the surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Fire will generate toxic and irritating gases.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Selection of respiratory protection for firefighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace. Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

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Special fire fighting

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

procedures

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency

personnel

Keep unnecessary personnel away. See Section 8 of the SDS for Personal Protective Equipment.

For emergency responders Use personal protection recommended in Section 8 of the SDS.

6.2. Environmental precautions Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Avoid dust formation. Sweep or scoop up and remove.

containment and cleaning up 6.4. Reference to other

sections

For waste disposal, see Section 13 of the SDS.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe

handling

Avoid prolonged exposure. Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Observe good

laboratory hygiene practices.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store at 2 - 8°C. Store in a closed container away from incompatible materials.

7.3. Specific end use(s) Assorted

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

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

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

Recommended monitoring

procedures

Follow standard monitoring procedures.

Derived no-effect level (DNEL) Not available.

Predicted no effect concentrations (PNECs)

Not available.

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering

controls

No special ventilation requirements.

Wear dust-resistant safety goggles.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

General information Personal protective equipment should be chosen according to the CEN standards and in

discussion with the supplier of the personal protective equipment.

Eye/face protection

Skin protection
- Hand protection

It is a good industrial hygiene practice to minimise skin contact. Chemical resistant gloves are

recommended.

- Other It is a good industrial hygiene practice to minimise skin contact.

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

with particle filter.

Thermal hazards Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

Hygiene measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices.

Environmental exposure

controls

Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance White lyophilized powder.

Physical state Solid.
Form Powder.
Colour White.
Odour None.

Odour threshold Not applicable.

pH Not available.

Melting point/freezing point Not available.

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Initial boiling point and boiling Not relevant.

range

Flash point Not relevant.

Evaporation rate Not available.

Flammability (solid, gas) Non flammable.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

(%)

Flammability limit - upper

(%)

Not available.

Not available.

Vapour pressureNot relevant.Vapour densityNot relevant.Relative densityNot available.Solubility(ies)Not available.Partition coefficientNot available.

(n-octanol/water)

Auto-ignition temperatureNot available.Decomposition temperatureNot available.ViscosityNot relevant.Explosive propertiesNot relevant.Oxidizing propertiesNot oxidising.

9.2. Other information

Percent volatile Not relevant.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity Stable at normal conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability Material is stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Polymerization will not occur.

10.4. Conditions to avoid Keep away from heat.

10.5. Incompatible materials Strong oxidising agents. Strong reducing agents. Strong acids.

10.6. Hazardous Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides. Potassium oxides.

decomposition products

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Dust may irritate respiratory system.

Skin contact Dust may irritate skin.

Eye contact Causes serious eye irritation.

Ingestion May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Symptoms Dust may irritate skin and the respiratory system. Causes severe eye irritation.

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Skin corrosion/irritation Dust may irritate skin.

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory sensitisation Not classified.

Skin sensitisation Not classified.

Germ cell mutagenicity Not classified.

Carcinogenicity Not classified.

Reproductive toxicity Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity - Not classified.

single exposure

Specific target organ toxicity -

Not classified.

repeated exposure

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Aspiration hazard
Mixture versus substance

information

Not classified. Not available.

information

Other information Not available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity No toxicity data noted for the ingredient(s).

12.2. Persistence and

degradability

No data available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

Partition coefficient

Not available.

n-octanol/water (log Kow)

Bioconcentration factor (BCF) Not available.

12.4. Mobility in soil Not available.

Mobility in general The product is soluble in water.

12.5. Results of PBT

and vPvB assessment

Not a PBT or vPvB substance or mixture.

12.6. Other adverse effects No data available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Residual waste Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Contaminated packaging Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

EU waste codeThe Waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Disposal methods/information Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Contaminated

instruments and surfaces should be disinfected in accordance with your employer's

chemical-specific and universal/standard precautions.

SECTION 14: Transport information

ADR

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

RID

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

ADN

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of

Not applicable.

MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC

Code

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

EU regulations

Regulation (EC) No. 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer, Annex I and II, as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 850/2004 On persistent organic pollutants, Annex I as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, part 1 as amended Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, part 2 as amended

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, part 3 as amended Not listed.

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Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex V as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 166/2006 Annex II Pollutant Release and Transfer Registry, as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Article 59(10) Candidate List as currently published by ECHA

Not listed.

Authorisations

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XIV Substances subject to authorization, as amended

Not listed.

Restrictions on use

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XVII Substances subject to restriction on marketing and use as amended

Not listed.

Directive 2004/37/EC: on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens and mutagens at work, as amended

Not listed.

Directive 92/85/EEC: on the safety and health of pregnant workers and workers who have recently given birth or are breastfeeding, as amended

Not listed.

Other EU regulations

Directive 2012/18/EU on major accident hazards involving dangerous substances

Not listed

Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

Not listed.

Directive 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

Not listed.

Other regulations The product is classified and labelled in accordance with Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 (CLP

Regulation) as amended and respective national laws implementing EC directives. This Safety Data Sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 as amended. In the European Union this product is regulated under the In Vitro Diagnostic Medical Devices

Directive (98/79/EC).

Not available.

National regulations

15.2. Chemical safety

assessment

Follow national regulation for work with chemical agents. No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

List of abbreviations

CLP: Regulation No. 1272/2008. DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level.

PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration.

References

Information on evaluation method leading to the classification of mixture

The classification for health and environmental hazards is derived by a combination of calculation

methods and test data, if available.

Full text of any H-statements not written out in full under

Sections 2 to 15

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Training information

Follow training instructions when handling this material.

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