

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

1.1. Product identifier

Trade name or designation

R2 human antithrombin III reagent

of the mixture

Registration number

**Synonyms** None.

**Product code** human antithrombin, R2 in 820 & 832 ACTICHROME® Heparin assays

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

Identified uses Assorted.

Uses advised against Use in accordance with supplier's recommendations.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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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

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2 H315 - Causes skin irritation. Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2 H319 - Causes serious eye

irritation.

Specific target organ toxicity - single Category 3 respiratory tract irritation H335 - May cause respiratory

exposure

irritation.

**Hazard summary** Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. May cause irritation to the respiratory system.

#### 2.2. Label elements

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

**Hazard pictograms** 

Signal word Warning

**Hazard statements** 

H315 Causes skin irritation.

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Causes serious eye irritation. H319 May cause respiratory irritation. H335

#### **Precautionary statements**

Prevention

Avoid breathing dust. P261

Wash thoroughly after handling. P264

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. P271

Wear protective gloves. P280 Wear eye/face protection. P280

Response

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. P302 + P352

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. P332 + P313 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. P362 + P364

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present P305 + P351 + P338

and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. P337 + P313

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. P304 + P340

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. P312

Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. P403 + P233

Store locked up. P405

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. P501

Supplemental label information

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<br>No.  | REACH Registration No. | INDEX No. | Notes |
|--|---------------|----------------------|------------------------|-----------|-------|
| Tris-(hydroxymethyl)aminomethane               | 35 - 45       | 77-86-1<br>201-064-4 | -                      | -         |       |
| Classification: Skin Irrit. 2                  | 2;H315, Eye I | rrit. 2;H319, STOT   | SE 3;H335              |           |       |
| Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid trisodium salt | 10 - 15       | 85715-60-2<br>-      | -                      | -         |       |
| Classification: Eye Irrit. 2                   | ;H319         |                      |                        |           |       |

**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. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON

CENTRE 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.

Do not rub eyes. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove Eye contact

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation

develops and persists.

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Ingestion

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

May cause redness and pain. Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

delayed 4.3. Indication of any Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically.

immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

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### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

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

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5.1. Extinguishing media

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.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

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

Special fire fighting

procedures

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

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Avoid inhalation of dust. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be

For emergency responders

Keep unnecessary personnel away. 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 dispersal of dust in the air (i.e., clearing dust surfaces with compressed air). Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk.

Large Spills: Wet down with water and dike for later disposal. Shovel the material into waste container. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

6.4. Reference to other

For personal protection, see section 8. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

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## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

The source material for this product is of human origin and has been found to be non-reactive for Hepatitis B Surface Antigen (HBsAg), Hepatitis C Virus (HCV) and Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 and Type 2 (HIV-1, HIV-2) using registered methods. As no known test method can provide complete assurance that products derived from human specimens will not transmit HBsAg, HCV, HIV-1, HIV-2 or other blood-borne pathogens, this reagent should be handled as recommended for any potentially infectious human specimen. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store at 2-8°C (35-46°F). Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see section 10 of the SDS).

7.3. Specific end use(s) Assorted.

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

8.1. Control parameters

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

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

Recommended monitoring

procedures

Follow standard monitoring procedures.

Derived no-effect level (DNEL)

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Predicted no effect concentrations (PNECs) Not available. Not available.

8.2. Exposure controls

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#### Appropriate engineering controls

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. If engineering measures are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of dust particulates below the OEL (occupational exposure limit), suitable respiratory protection must be worn. If material is ground, cut, or used in any operation which may generate dusts, use appropriate local exhaust ventilation to keep exposures below the recommended exposure limits. Eye wash facilities and emergency shower must be available when handling this product.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**General information** Use personal protective equipment as required. Personal protection equipment should be chosen

according to the CEN standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective

equipment.

Eye/face protection

Wear safety goggles and a face shield.

Skin protection

- Hand protection Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove

supplier.

Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. - Other

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

equipment.

Thermal hazards Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material Hygiene measures

and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective

equipment to remove contaminants.

**Environmental exposure** 

controls

Environmental manager must be informed of all major releases.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

Physical state Solid.

**Form** White powder.

Colour White. None. Odour

Not available. **Odour threshold** Not available. Melting point/freezing point Not available. Not available. Initial boiling point and boiling

range

Not available. Flash point Not available. **Evaporation rate** Not available. Flammability (solid, gas) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

Not available.

Flammability limit - upper

Not available.

(%)

Not available. Vapour pressure Not available. Vapour density Not available. Relative density Soluble in water. Solubility(ies) Not available. **Partition coefficient** 

(n-octanol/water)

Not available. **Auto-ignition temperature** Not available. **Decomposition temperature Viscosity** Not available. **Explosive properties** Not explosive. Oxidizing properties Not oxidising.

9.2. Other information No relevant additional information available.

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## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

10.1. Reactivity The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability Material is stable under normal conditions. 10.3. Possibility of hazardous Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.

reactions

10.4. Conditions to avoid Keep away from heat.

Strong acids. Strong oxidising agents. Reducing Agents. 10.5. Incompatible materials

Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides. 10.6. Hazardous

decomposition products

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

Occupational exposure to the substance or mixture may cause adverse effects. **General information** 

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Dust may irritate respiratory system.

Causes skin irritation. Skin contact

Eye contact Causes serious eye irritation. Ingestion May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting. May Symptoms

cause redness and pain.

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

May cause discomfort if swallowed. **Acute toxicity** 

**Test results** Components **Species** 

Tris-(hydroxymethyl)aminomethane (CAS 77-86-1)

Acute Oral

LD50 Rat 5900 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory sensitisation Not a respiratory sensitiser.

Skin sensitisation Not a skin sensitiser.

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans. Carcinogenicity

Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Not classified.

Aspiration hazard

Not classified.

Mixture versus substance

information

Not available.

Other information No other specific acute or chronic health impact noted

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the 12.1. Toxicity

possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

No data is available on the degradability of this product. 12.2. Persistence and

degradability

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log Kow)

> Tris-(hydroxymethyl)aminomethane (CAS 77-86-1) -2.31 (20°C)

**Bioconcentration factor (BCF)** Not available. No data available. 12.4. Mobility in soil

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and vPvR assessment Not a PBT or vPvB substance or mixture.

12.6. Other adverse effects

No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Residual waste Dispose of in accordance with local 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).

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

Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is

emptied.

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

disposal company.

Not applicable.

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

contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

## **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 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

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, part 1 as amended

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

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

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.

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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.

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

DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level.

PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration.
PBT: Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic.
vPvB: Very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative.

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

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

**Training information** 

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