

Material Safety Data Sheet

Printing date 09/05/2006

Reviewed on 07/31/2006

1 Identification of substance:

- **Product details:**
- **Trade name:** Kaleidoscope Prestained Standards
- **Catalog or product number:** 1610324, 1610324EDU, 1610324XTU
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** Laboratory chemicals
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
 Bio-Rad Laboratories, Life Science Group
 2000 Alfred Nobel Drive
 Hercules, California 94547 (510)741-1000
- **Information department:** Technical services, customer support.
- **Emergency information:**
 1(800)424-9300 Use only in the event of a CHEMICAL EMERGENCY involving a SPILL, LEAK, FIRE, EXPLOSION or ACCIDENT.
 510-741-1000

2 Composition/Information on components:

- **Chemical characterization**
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with non-hazardous additions.

· **Listing of dangerous and non-hazardous components:**

CAS: 7732-18-5 EINECS: 231-791-2 RTECS: ZC 0110000	water		50-100%
CAS: 56-81-5 EINECS: 200-289-5 RTECS: MA 8050000	glycerol		35-50%
CAS: 151-21-3 EINECS: 205-788-1 RTECS: WT 1050000	sodium dodecyl sulphate	Xn; R 21/22-36/37/38	2.5-5%

3 Hazards identification

- **Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment** not applicable
- **Classification system**
 The classification was made according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and expanded upon from company and literature data.

4 First aid measures

- **General information** No special measures required.
- **After inhalation** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
- **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing** Induce vomiting and call for medical help.

5 Fire fighting measures

- **Suitable extinguishing agents** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

(Contd. on page 2)

Material Safety Data Sheet

Printing date 09/05/2006

Reviewed on 07/31/2006

Trade name: Kaleidoscope Prestained Standards

(Contd. of page 1)

· **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Person-related safety precautions:** Not required
- **Measures for environmental protection:**
Dilute with plenty of water.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Measures for cleaning/collecting:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
- **Additional information:** No dangerous substances are released.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **Information for safe handling:**
No special measures required.
No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** According to product specification
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** None.

8 Exposure controls and personal protection

· **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.

· **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

56-81-5 glycerol

PEL () 15*; 5** mg/m³

*Total dust **Respirable fraction

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**
The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**
- **Material of gloves:** Synthetic gloves
- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:** Goggles recommended during refilling.

USA

(Contd. on page 3)

Material Safety Data Sheet

Printing date 09/05/2006

Reviewed on 07/31/2006

Trade name: Kaleidoscope Prestained Standards

(Contd. of page 2)

9 Physical and chemical properties:

· **General Information**

Form: liquid
Color: Whitish
Odor: Odorless

· **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range: undetermined
Boiling point/Boiling range: 100°C

· **Flash point:** > 100°C

· **Ignition temperature:** 400.0°C

· **Auto igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· **Explosion limits:**

Lower: 0.9 Vol %

· **Vapor pressure at 20°C:** 23.0 hPa

· **Density:** Not determined

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

Water: Fully miscible

· **pH-value at 20°C:** 7.0

· **Solvent content:**

· **Organic solvents:** 40.0 %
 · **Water:** 56.8 %

· **Solids content:** 3.2 %

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Dangerous reactions** No dangerous reactions known
- **Dangerous products of decomposition:** No dangerous decomposition products known

11 Toxicological information

· **Acute toxicity:**

· **LD/LC50 values for hazardous components per OSHA criteria:**

151-21-3 sodium dodecyl sulphate

Oral	LD50	1288 mg/kg (rat)
------	------	------------------

· **Primary irritant effect:**

- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritant effect.

· **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

· **Additional toxicological information:**

The product is not subject to classification according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:

(Contd. on page 4)

Material Safety Data Sheet

Printing date 09/05/2006

Reviewed on 07/31/2006

Trade name: Kaleidoscope Prestained Standards

(Contd. of page 3)

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects according to our experience and the information provided to us.

12 Ecological information:

· General notes:

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

13 Disposal considerations

· Product:

· Recommendation Hand over to hazardous waste disposers.

· Uncleaned packagings:

· Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

· Recommended cleansing agent: Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

· DOT regulations:

· Hazard class: -

· Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)

· ADR/RID class: -

· Maritime transport IMDG:

· IMDG Class: -

· Marine pollutant: No

· Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:

· ICAO/IATA Class: -

15 Regulations

· SARA (Superfund Amendants and Reauthorization Act of 1986 - USA)

· Section 302/304 (40CFR355.30 / 40CFR355.40):

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Section 313 (40CFR372.65):

None of the ingredients is listed.

· TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):

All ingredients are listed.

· Cancerogenity categories

· EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

None of the ingredients is listed.

(Contd. on page 5)

Material Safety Data Sheet

Printing date 09/05/2006

Reviewed on 07/31/2006

Trade name: Kaleidoscope Prestained Standards

(Contd. of page 4)

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **MAK (German Maximum Workplace Concentration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Markings according to EU guidelines:**

Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals

The product is not subject to identification regulations under EU Directives and the Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (GefStoffV).

· **Safety phrases:**

60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

· **National regulations**

Class	Share in %
NK	35-50

· **Water hazard class:** Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

16 Other information:

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Department issuing MSDS:** Environmental Health and Safety.

· **Contact:**

Life Science Group, Environmental Health and Safety, 2000 Alfred Nobel Drive, Hercules, California, 94547: 1(510) 741-1000

Diagnostic Group, Environmental Health and Safety, 4000 Alfred Nobel Drive, Hercules, California, 94547: 1(510) 724-7000

· *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**

