

## 1. Product and Company Identification

<b>Material name</b>	<b>Sorbitol Dehydrogenase Control Level 1</b>
<b>Version #</b>	01
<b>Issue date</b>	01-16-2013
<b>Revision date</b>	-
<b>Supersedes date</b>	-
<b>CAS #</b>	-
<b>Kit number</b>	SM-740
<b>Product use</b>	For in vitro diagnostic use in quality control procedures to monitor the accuracy and precision of quantitative sorbitol dehydrogenase assays.
<b>Synonym(s)</b>	SDH Control Level * SDH Low Level Control * Sorbitol Dehydrogenase (SDH) Control Materials
<b>Manufacturer information</b>	
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## 2. Hazards Identification

<b>Physical state</b>	Solid.
<b>Appearance</b>	pale-yellow powder.
<b>Emergency overview</b>	WARNING  Causes skin, eye and respiratory tract irritation.
<b>OSHA regulatory status</b>	This product is hazardous according to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.
<b>Potential health effects</b>	
<b>Routes of exposure</b>	Skin contact. Eye contact.
<b>Eyes</b>	Causes eye irritation.
<b>Skin</b>	Causes skin irritation.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Causes respiratory tract irritation.
<b>Ingestion</b>	May cause discomfort if swallowed.
<b>Target organs</b>	Eyes. Skin. Respiratory tract.
<b>Chronic effects</b>	No data available.
<b>Signs and symptoms</b>	Ingestion may cause irritation and malaise.
<b>Potential environmental effects</b>	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.

## 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Components	CAS #	Percent
2-Amino-2-(hydroxymethyl)propane-1,3-diol hydrochloride	1185-53-1	90-100
Sodium azide	26628-22-8	<1

<b>Composition comments</b>	All concentrations are in percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.
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## 4. First Aid Measures

### First aid procedures

<b>Eye contact</b>	In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with fresh water for at least 15 minutes while holding the eyelids open. Remove contact lenses if worn. Get medical attention if irritation persists.
<b>Skin contact</b>	For skin contact flush with large amounts of water while removing contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.
<b>Ingestion</b>	If material is ingested, immediately contact a poison control center.
<b>Notes to physician</b>	Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically.

## 5. Fire Fighting Measures

<b>Flammable properties</b>	The product is not flammable.
<b>Extinguishing media</b>	
<b>Suitable extinguishing media</b>	Extinguish with water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical or material appropriate for the surrounding fire.
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	None known.
<b>Protection of firefighters</b>	
<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	Fire will generate toxic and irritating gases.
<b>Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters</b>	Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.
<b>Fire fighting equipment/instructions</b>	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.
<b>Hazardous combustion products</b>	No data available.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

<b>Personal precautions</b>	Avoid dust formation. Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing.
<b>Environmental precautions</b>	Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or watercourses.
<b>Methods for containment</b>	Absorb spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material.
<b>Methods for cleaning up</b>	Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Dispose of waste in accordance with all applicable federal, state, local and provincial environmental regulations, per Section 13.
<b>Other information</b>	Collect powder using special dust vacuum cleaner with particle filter or carefully sweep into closed container. Clean up in accordance with all applicable regulations.

## 7. Handling and Storage

<b>Handling</b>	Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of dust and fumes. Wash thoroughly after handling. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
<b>Storage</b>	Store at 2-8°C (35-46°F). Store in a closed container away from incompatible materials.

## 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

### Occupational exposure limits

#### US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value
Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8)	Ceiling	0.29 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
		0.11 ppm

**Canada. Alberta OELs (Occupational Health & Safety Code, Schedule 1, Table 2)**

Components	Type	Value	Form
Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8)	Ceiling	0.3 mg/m3	Vapor.
		0.29 mg/m3	
		0.11 ppm	Vapor.

**Canada. British Columbia OELs. (Occupational Exposure Limits for Chemical Substances, Occupational Health and Safety Regulation 296/97, as amended)**

Components	Type	Value	Form
Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8)	Ceiling	0.29 mg/m3	
		0.11 ppm	Vapor.

**Canada. Ontario OELs. (Control of Exposure to Biological or Chemical Agents)**

Components	Type	Value
Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8)	Ceiling	0.29 mg/m3

**Canada. Quebec OELs. (Ministry of Labor - Regulation Respecting the Quality of the Work Environment)**

Components	Type	Value
Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8)	Ceiling	0.3 mg/m3
		0.11 ppm

**Exposure guidelines**

Follow standard monitoring procedures.

**Engineering controls**

Provide adequate ventilation. Observe Occupational Exposure Limits and minimize the risk of inhalation of dust. Provide easy access to water supply and eye wash facilities.

**Personal protective equipment****Eye / face protection**

Wear approved safety glasses or goggles.

**Skin protection**

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

**Respiratory protection**

In case of inadequate ventilation or risk of inhalation of dust, use suitable respiratory equipment with particle filter.

**General hygiene considerations**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**9. Physical & Chemical Properties****Appearance** pale-yellow powder.**Physical state** Solid.**Form** Powder.**Color** Pale yellow**Odor** Characteristic.**Odor threshold** Not available.**pH** 7 - 8 @ 25°C**Vapor pressure** Not available.**Vapor density** Not available.**Boiling point** Not available.**Melting point/Freezing point** Not available.**Solubility (water)** Soluble.**Specific gravity** Not available.**Flash point** Not available.**Flammability limits in air, upper, % by volume** Not available.**Flammability limits in air, lower, % by volume** Not available.**Auto-ignition temperature** Not available.

## 10. Chemical Stability & Reactivity Information

<b>Chemical stability</b>	Material is stable under normal conditions.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Heat, flames and sparks.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Strong oxidizers, strong acids, and strong bases.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	No data available.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

## 11. Toxicological Information

### Toxicological data

Components	Species	Test Results
Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8)		
<b>Acute</b>		
<i>Dermal</i>		
LD50	Rabbit	20 mg/kg
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Rat	27 mg/kg
<b>Sensitization</b>	Not classified.	
<b>Acute effects</b>	May cause discomfort if swallowed.	
<b>Local effects</b>	Causes skin, eye and respiratory tract irritation.	
<b>Chronic effects</b>	No data available.	
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.	
<b>ACGIH Carcinogens</b>		
Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8)		A4 Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.
<b>Epidemiology</b>	No epidemiological data is available for this product.	
<b>Mutagenicity</b>	Not classified.	
<b>Reproductive effects</b>	Not classified.	
<b>Symptoms and target organs</b>	Ingestion may cause irritation and malaise.	
<b>Further information</b>	No other specific acute or chronic health impact noted.	

## 12. Ecological Information

### Ecotoxicological data

Components	Species		Test Results
Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8)			
Aquatic			
Crustacea	EC50	Water flea ( <i>Daphnia pulex</i> )	2.8 - 6.2 mg/l, 48 hours
Fish	LC50	Bluegill ( <i>Lepomis macrochirus</i> )	0.68 mg/l, 96 hours
Ecotoxicity	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.		
Environmental effects	An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.		
Persistence and degradability	No data is available on the degradability of this product.		
Bioaccumulation / Accumulation	Not available.		
Mobility in environmental media	The product is completely soluble in water.		

## 13. Disposal Considerations

<b>Disposal instructions</b>	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.
<b>Waste from residues / unused products</b>	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

**Contaminated packaging**

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

**14. Transport Information****DOT**

Not regulated as a hazardous material by DOT.

**IATA**

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IMDG**

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**TDG**

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**15. Regulatory Information****US federal regulations**

This product is hazardous according to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200. This mixture is a component of an in vitro diagnostic device regulated by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

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

Not regulated.

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

Not regulated.

**US EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 302 - Extremely Hazardous Spill: Reportable quantity**

Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8) 1000 lbs

**US EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 302 - Extremely Hazardous Substance: Threshold Planning Quantity**

Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8) 500 lbs

**US EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 313 - Toxic Chemical: De minimis concentration**

Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8) 1.0 %

**US EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 313 - Toxic Chemical: Listed substance**

Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8) Listed.

**CERCLA (Superfund) reportable quantity (lbs) (40 CFR 302.4)**

Sodium azide: 1000

**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**Section 302 extremely hazardous substance (40 CFR 355, Appendix A)**

No

**Section 311/312 (40 CFR 370)**

Yes

**Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) (21 CFR 1308.11-15)**

Not controlled

**Canadian regulations**

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

**WHMIS status**

Controlled

**WHMIS classification**

D2B - Other Toxic Effects-TOXIC

**WHMIS labeling****Inventory status****Country(s) or region**

Australia

Canada

**Inventory name**

Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)

Domestic Substances List (DSL)

**On inventory (yes/no)\***

Yes

Yes

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
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)

**State regulations** This product does not contain a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

**US - California Hazardous Substances (Director's): Listed substance**

Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8) Listed.

**US - California Proposition 65 - Carcinogens & Reproductive Toxicity (CRT): Listed substance**

Not listed.

**US - New Jersey RTK - Substances: Listed substance**

Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8) Listed.

**US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List**

Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8) Listed.

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

Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8) 500 lbs

**US. Pennsylvania RTK - Hazardous Substances**

Sodium azide (CAS 26628-22-8) Listed.

**Mexico regulations** This safety data sheet was prepared in accordance with the Official Mexican Standard (NOM-018-STPS-2000).

## 16. Other Information

**Recommended restrictions** Use in accordance with supplier's recommendations.

**Further information** HMIS® is a registered trade and service mark of the NPCA.

**HMIS® ratings**  
Health: 2  
Flammability: 0  
Physical hazard: 0

**NFPA ratings**  
Health: 2  
Flammability: 0  
Instability: 0

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