

## Material Safety Data Sheet

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**1 Identification of substance:**

- **Product details:**
- **Trade name:** Kallestad Anti-Reticulin Antibodies
- **Catalog or product number:** 29041
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** *In-vitro laboratory reagent or component*
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
*Bio-Rad Laboratories, Diagnostic Group  
4000 Alfred Nobel Drive  
Hercules, California 94547* 1(510)724-7000
- **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.*

**2 Composition/Information on components:**

- **Chemical characterization:**
- **CAS No. Description:**  
*Human Source Material*
- **Identification number(s):**
- **EINECS Number:** 268-338-3
- **Additional information:**  
*Contains human sourced and/or potentially infectious components.  
For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 15.*

**3 Hazards identification**

- **Emergency overview:** *not applicable*
- **Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment** *not applicable*
- **Classification system**  
*The classification was made according to OSHA 29CFR 1910.1200 and 1910.1030, and is expanded upon from company and/or literature information.*
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0-4)**  
*Health = 0  
Fire = 0  
Reactivity = 0*
- **Special Hazards** *Contains human sourced and/or potentially infectious components.*

**4 First aid measures**

- **General information** *No special measures required.*
- **After inhalation** *Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.*
- **After skin contact** *Seek immediate medical advice.*
- **After eye contact** *Seek immediate medical advice.*
- **After swallowing** *Rinse mouth with water. Seek medical attention and appropriate follow-up.*

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**5 Fire fighting measures**

- **Suitable extinguishing agents**  
CO2, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

**6 Accidental release measures**

- **Person-related safety precautions:** Handle as potentially infectious.
- **Measures for environmental protection:** No special measures required.
- **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:**

**26628-22-8 sodium azide**

REL (United States)	Short-term value: C 0.3** mg/m <sup>3</sup> , C 0.1* ppm *as HN3 vapor; **as NaN3; Skin
TLV (United States)	Short-term value: C 0.29** mg/m <sup>3</sup> , C 0.11* ppm *as HN3 vapor **as NaN3

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**  
Follow the usual biosafety practices for handling potentially infectious materials.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:** Protective gloves.
- **Material of gloves**  
The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.  
Synthetic gloves

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- **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.
- **For the permanent contact in work areas without heightened risk of injury (e.g. Laboratory) gloves made of the following material are suitable:**  
Synthetic gloves
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- **For the permanent contact of a maximum of 15 minutes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**  
Synthetic gloves
- **As protection from splashes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:** Synthetic gloves
- **Eye protection:** Safety glasses
- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

**9 Physical and chemical properties:**

· **General Information**

<b>Form:</b>	liquid
<b>Color:</b>	Opaque
<b>Odor:</b>	Odorless

· **Change in condition**

**Melting point/Melting range:** undetermined  
**Boiling point/Boiling range:** undetermined

· **Flash point:** Not applicable

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

· **Density:** Not determined

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:**

Soluble

· **pH-value at 20°C:** 6-8

· **Organic solvents:** 0.0 %

**10 Stability and reactivity**

- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Materials to be avoided:**
- **Dangerous reactions**  
This product contains sodium azide. Sodium azide can react with copper, brass, lead, and solder in piping systems to form explosive compounds of lead azide and copper azide.
- **Dangerous products of decomposition:** No dangerous decomposition products known

**11 Toxicological information**

- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritant effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

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**Additional toxicological information:**

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.

The substance is not subject to classification according to the latest version of the EU lists.

**Target organs:** Not applicable.

**13 Disposal considerations**

**Product:**

**Recommendation**

Can be disposed of with household garbage with prior chemical-physical or biological treatment following consultation with the waste disposal facility operator and the pertinent authorities and adhering to the necessary technical regulations. Flush pipes with water frequently if discarding solutions containing sodium azide into metal piping systems.

**Uncleaned packagings:**

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

**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:** -

**Transport/Additional information:** Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

**15 Regulations**

**SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 - USA)**

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

Substance not listed.

**Section 313 (40CFR372.65):**

Substance is not listed.

**TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

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**Carcinogenic categories**

**IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

Substance is not listed.

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**· NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

Substance is not listed.

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

Substance is not listed.

**· Markings according to EU guidelines:***Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals**The substance is not subject to classification according to EU lists and other sources of literature known to us.**The product is not subject to identification regulations under EU Directives and the Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (GefStoffV).***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:**

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