

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** ProteOn™ HTG Chip Activation Solution, 10mM Nickel Sulfate pH 6.0
- **Catalog or product number:** 10021508, 10021506, 10021442, 10040588
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory chemicals
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Bio-Rad Laboratories, Life Science Group
2000 Alfred Nobel Drive
Hercules, California 94547 (510)741-1000
- **Information department:**
Technical services, customer support
lsg_techserv_us@bio-rad.com
- **Emergency telephone number:**
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 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
Resp. Sens. 1 H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
Carc. 1A H350 May cause cancer.
Repr. 1B H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.
STOT RE 2 H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC**
Irritant to skin.
Sensitizer by dermal contact.
May cause cancer by inhalation.
Irritant to respiratory system and skin.
T; Toxic
R49: May cause cancer by inhalation.
Xn; Harmful
R48/20: Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.
Xi; Irritant
R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact.
R52/53: Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.
- **Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:**
The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.
- **Classification system:**
The classification was made according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and expanded upon from company and literature data.

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The classification was made according to OSHA 29CFR 1910.1200 and 1910.1030, and is expanded upon from company and/or literature information.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS08

- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**
nickel sulphate
- **Hazard statements**
H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H350 May cause cancer.
H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.
H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
- **Precautionary statements**
P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
P284 Wear respiratory protection.
P280 Wear protective gloves.
P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P405 Store locked up.
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
- **Additional information:** Contact with acids may cause release of toxic gases
- **Emergency overview:**
- **Routes of exposure:**
Ingestion
Inhalation
Skin
- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Substances**
- **CAS No. Description:**
7732-18-5 water
- **Identification number(s):**
- **EC number:** 231-791-2
- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with non-hazardous additions.

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· Listing of dangerous and non-hazardous components:

7786-81-4	nickel sulphate	T Repr. Cat. 2 R49-61-48/23 Xn R20/22-68 Xi R38-42/43 N R50/53 Carc. Cat. 1, Muta. Cat. 3	0.1-1.0%
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· Additional information For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 15.

4 First-aid measures

· Description of first aid measures

· After inhalation

Supply fresh air and to be sure call for a doctor.

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

· After skin contact Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

· After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

· After swallowing Induce vomiting and call for medical help.

· Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.

· Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

· Extinguishing media

· Suitable extinguishing agents

CO2, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

· Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture No further relevant information available.

· Advice for firefighters

· Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

6 Accidental release measures

· Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Wear protective clothing.

· Environmental precautions:

Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.

Dilute with plenty of water.

· Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

· Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

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7 Handling and storage

- **Precautions for safe handling**
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Open and handle receptacle with care.
No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **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.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

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

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

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PEL	1 mg/m ³ as Ni
REL	0.015 mg/m ³ as Ni
TLV	0.1* mg/m ³ as Ni; *as inhalable fraction

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Store protective clothing separately.
Avoid contact with the skin.
- **Breathing equipment:**
In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.
- **Protection of hands:** Protective gloves.
- **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:** Safety glasses

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9 Physical and chemical properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

Form: Liquid
Color: Light green
Odor: Odorless

· **pH-value at 20 °C:** 6

· **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range: 0 °C
Boiling point/Boiling range: undetermined

· **Flash point:** Not applicable

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

· **Vapor pressure at 20 °C:** 23 hPa

· **Density at 20 °C:** 1 g/cm³

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

Water: Fully miscible

· **Solvent content:**

Organic solvents: 0.0 %
Water: 99.5 %

· **Other information** No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

· **Reactivity**

· **Chemical stability**

· **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.

· **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known

· **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.

· **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.

· **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known

11 Toxicological information

· **Information on toxicological effects**

· **Acute toxicity:**

· **Primary irritant effect:**

· **on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.

· **on the eye:** Irritant effect.

· **Sensitization:** Sensitization possible through skin contact.

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· **Additional toxicological information:**

· **Carcinogenic categories**

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

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· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

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

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Target organs:** Skin.

12 Ecological information

· **Toxicity**

· **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

· **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.

· **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

· **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.

· **Ecotoxicological effects:**

· **Remark:** Harmful to fish

· **Additional ecological information:**

· **General notes:** Harmful to aquatic organisms

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

· **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

· **Waste treatment methods**

· **Recommendation**

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

· **Uncleaned packagings:**

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

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

14 Transport information

· **UN-Number**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

Void

· **UN proper shipping name**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

Void

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· Transport hazard class(es)	
· DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	
· Class	Void
· Packing group	
· DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
· Environmental hazards:	
· Marine pollutant:	No
· Special precautions for user	Not applicable.
· Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
· UN "Model Regulation":	-

15 Regulatory information

- Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
- SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 - USA)

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

None of the ingredients is listed.

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

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

All ingredients are listed.

- **California Proposition 65:**

- **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

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- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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

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

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

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- **National regulations**

- **Technical instructions (air):**

Class	Share in %
II	0.1-1.0

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Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.**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 SDS:** Environmental Health and Safety.

· **Contact:**

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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

Resp. Sens. 1: Sensitisation - Respirat., Hazard Category 1

Skin Sens. 1: Sensitisation - Skin, Hazard Category 1

Carc. 1A: Carcinogenicity, Hazard Category 1A

Repr. 1B: Reproductive toxicity, Hazard Category 1B

STOT RE 2: Specific target organ toxicity - Repeated exposure, Hazard Category 2

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