

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Bio-Scale™ Mini Affi-Gel® Blue Cartridge
- **Catalog or product number:** 7324642, 7324644, 10004763
- **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**
The product is not classified according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC** not applicable
- **Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:**
The product does not have 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.
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** Void
- **Hazard pictograms** Void
- **Signal word** Void
- **Hazard statements** Void
- **Additional information:** Contact with acids may cause release of toxic gases
- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **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:**

7732-18-5	water	50-100%
9012-36-6	Agarose	5-10%

· **Additional information** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 15.**4 First-aid measures**

- **Description of 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.
- **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:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Wear protective clothing.
- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:** Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
- **Reference to other sections**
No dangerous substances are released.
See Section 7 for information on safe handling
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

- **Precautions 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.
- **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.

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- **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:**

26628-22-8 sodium azide

REL Short-term value: C 0.3** mg/m³, C 0.1* ppm
*as HN₃ vapor; **as NaN₃

TLV Short-term value: C 0.29** mg/m³, C 0.11* ppm
*as HN₃ vapor; **as NaN₃

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

- **Exposure controls**

- **Personal protective equipment**

- **General protective and hygienic measures** The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

- **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. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

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

9 Physical and chemical properties

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

- **General Information**

- **Appearance:**

Form: Solid
Color: Blue
Odor: Odorless

- **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range: undetermined

Boiling point/Boiling range: undetermined

- **Flash point:** Not applicable

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

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

- **Vapor pressure at 20 °C:** 23 hPa

- **Density:** Not determined

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| · Solubility in / Miscibility with Water: | Fully miscible |
| · Solvent content: | |
| Organic solvents: | 0.0 % |
| Water: | 91.7 % |
| Solids content: | 8.3 % |
| · 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:** 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:
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.
- **Carcinogenic categories**
- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**
None of the ingredients is listed.
- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**
None of the ingredients is listed.
- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**
None of the ingredients is listed.
- **Target organs:** Not applicable.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

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- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional 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.
- **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** 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

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| · UN-Number | Void |
| · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · UN proper shipping name | Void |
| · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 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. |
| · Transport/Additional information: | Not dangerous according to the above specifications. |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | - |

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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):

None of the ingredients is listed.

- TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):

All ingredients are listed.

- 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)

None of the ingredients is listed.

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

None of the ingredients is listed.

- National regulations

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

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

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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)

- * Data compared to the previous version altered.