

Section 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1. Product Identifier

SDS # BIO-014-EU
Product Code 1147, 1147-01, 1147-02
Product Name hCG Midstream Rapid Test

1.2. Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against

Recommended Use Detects hCG and hCG-H (Hyperglycosylated hCG) for pregnancy

1.3. Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Supplier

Biomerica
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Irvine, CA 92614, USA

For further information, please contact

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone (24 hr) INFOTRAC 1-352-323-3500 (International)
1-800-535-5053 (North America)

Section 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

This mixture is classified as not hazardous according to regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [GHS]

2.2. Label Elements

Product Identifier

This mixture is classified as not hazardous according to regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [GHS]

Signal Word

None

EUH210 - Safety data sheet available on request

2.3. Other Hazards

No information available

Section 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.2. Mixtures

Chemical Nature

This product is an article.

Chemical Name	EC No	CAS No	Weight-%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]	REACH Registration Number
Sodium Tetraborate Decahydrate	-	1303-96-4	<5	Repr. 1B (H360FD)	Not determined

Full text of H- and EUH-phrases: see section 16

This product contains one or more candidate substance(s) of very high concern (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 59)

Chemical Name	CAS No	SVHC candidates
Sodium Tetraborate Decahydrate	1303-96-4	X

Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of First Aid Measures

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.

Inhalation Remove to fresh air.

Ingestion Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.

4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed

Symptoms None known.

4.3. Indication of any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

Section 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1. Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media
Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media
Not determined.

5.2. Special Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors.

5.3. Advice for Firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Personal Precautions
Use personal protective equipment as required.

For Emergency Responders

Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

6.2. Environmental Precautions

Prevent from entering into soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater. See Section 12, Ecological Information.

6.3. Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

Methods for Containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for Clean-Up Place in appropriate containers for disposal.

6.4. Reference to Other Sections

See Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS.

Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling

Advice on Safe Handling

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

General Hygiene Considerations

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

7.2. Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Storage Conditions

Keep container tightly closed and store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place.

7.3. Specific End Use(s)

Specific Use(s)

Detects hCG and hCG-H (Hyperglycosylated hCG) for pregnancy.

Risk Management Methods (RMM)

The information required is contained in this Safety Data Sheet.

Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Control Parameters

Exposure Limits

The following information is given as general guidance.

Chemical Name	European Union	United Kingdom	France	Spain	Germany
Sodium Tetraborate Decahydrate 1303-96-4		STEL: 15 mg/m ³ TWA: 5 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 mg/m ³	STEL: 6 mg/m ³ TWA: 2 mg/m ³	
Component	Italy	Portugal	Netherlands	Finland	Denmark
Sodium Tetraborate Decahydrate 1303-96-4 (<5)		STEL: 6 mg/m ³ TWA: 2 mg/m ³			TWA: 2 mg/m ³ Skin
Chemical Name	Austria	Switzerland	Poland	Norway	Ireland
Sodium Tetraborate Decahydrate 1303-96-4		STEL: 5 mg/m ³ TWA: 5 mg/m ³	STEL: 2 mg/m ³ TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 mg/m ³ STEL: 10 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 mg/m ³ STEL: 15 mg/m ³

8.2. Exposure Controls

Engineering Controls

Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/Face Protection	Avoid contact with eyes.
Hand Protection	Gloves are not required for normal use.
Skin and Body Protection	Other protective equipment not required under normal use.
Respiratory Protection	Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	Article	Odour	Not determined
Appearance	Solid membrane containing dried ingredients and laminated to a plastic strip		
Colour	Not determined	Odour Threshold	Not determined

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	7.2 +/- 0.2	
Melting Point/Freezing Point	Not applicable	
Boiling Point/Boiling Range	Not applicable	
Flash Point	Not applicable	
Evaporation Rate	Not determined	
Flammability (Solid, Gas)	Not determined	
Flammability Limits in Air		
Upper Flammability Limits	Not applicable	
Lower Flammability Limit	Not applicable	
Vapour Pressure	Not determined	
Vapour Density	Not determined	
Specific Gravity	Not determined	
Water Solubility	Not determined	
Solubility(ies)	Not determined	
Partition Coefficient	Not determined	
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not determined	
Decomposition Temperature	Not determined	
Kinematic Viscosity	Not determined	
Dynamic Viscosity	Not determined	
Explosive Properties	Not determined	
Oxidising Properties	Not determined	

Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

10.4. Conditions to Avoid

Keep out of reach of children.

10.5. Incompatible Materials

None known based on information supplied.

10.6. Hazardous Decomposition Products

None under normal use conditions.

Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute Toxicity

Product Information

Product does not present an acute toxicity hazard based on known or supplied information.

- Inhalation** Not an expected route of exposure.
- Eye Contact** Not an expected route of exposure.
- Skin Contact** Avoid contact with skin.
- Ingestion** Not an expected route of exposure.

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document:

ATEmix (oral) 82,099.00 mg/kg

Component Information

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium Tetraborate Decahydrate	= 3493 mg/kg (Rat) = 2660 mg/kg (Rat)	> 10000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	
Polyoxyethylene mono(octylphenyl) ether	= 1800 mg/kg (Rat)		
Polyvinylpyrrolidone	= 100 g/kg (Rat)		
Sodium phosphate dibasic	= 17 g/kg (Rat)		
Polyvinyl alcohol	> 20 g/kg (Rat)		

- Skin corrosion/irritation** Not classified.
- Serious eye damage/eye irritation** Not classified.
- Sensitization** Not classified.
- Germ cell mutagenicity** Not classified.
- Carcinogenicity** Not classified.
- Reproductive toxicity** Not classified.
- STOT - single exposure** Not classified.
- STOT - repeated exposure** Not classified.
- Aspiration hazard** Not classified.

Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1. Toxicity

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

12.2. Persistence and Degradability

Not determined.

12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

Not determined.

12.4. Mobility in Soil

Mobility

Not determined.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB Assessment

Not determined.

12.6. Other Adverse Effects

Not determined.

Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste Treatment Methods

Waste from Residues / Unused Products Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Improper disposal or reuse of this container may be dangerous and illegal.

Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IMDG

14.2 Proper Shipping Name Not regulated

RID

14.2 Proper Shipping Name Not regulated

ADR

14.2 Proper Shipping Name Not regulated

ICAO (air)

14.2 Proper Shipping Name Not regulated

IATA

14.2 Proper Shipping Name Not regulated

Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1. Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations/Legislation Specific for the Substance or Mixture

European Union

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work.

Authorizations and/or restrictions on use:

This product does not contain substances subject to authorization (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Annex XIV) This product does not contain substances subject to restriction (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Annex XVII)

Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

Ozone-depleting substances (ODS) regulation (EC) 1005/2009 Does not apply

International Inventories

Not determined.

TSCA -
 EINECS/ELINCS -
 DSL/NDSL -
 PICCS -
 ENCS -
 IECS -
 AICS -
 KECL -

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances
DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance/mixture by the supplier.

Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION**Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3**

H360FD - May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child

Classification Procedure

Calculation method

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This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, as amended by Regulation (EU) No. 453/2010

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