

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

25/100 bp Mixed DNA Ladder  
100 bp DNA Ladder  
100 bp plus DNA Ladder  
1kb DNA Ladder  
Lambda DNA  
DNA/HindIII Marker  
DNA/EcoR I Marker  
DNA/EcoR I+HindIII Marker

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### Components

1. 10X reaction buffer
  2. Dye (Xylene Cyanole)
  3. Stabilizer (sorbitol)
  4. Tween 20
  5. dNTP
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### Section 1 – Safety Data for Tris

Synonyms: Tris hydroxymethylaminoethane, trisamine  
Molecular Formula:  $\text{NH}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_2\text{OH})_3$   
CAS NO: 00077-86-1  
EC NO:

### Physical Data

Appearance: White crystals  
Melting point: 172C  
Boiling point:  
Specific gravity:  
Vapour pressure:  
Flash point:  
Explosion limits:  
Autoignition temperature:

### Stability

Stable

### Toxicology

Possible irritant

### Personal Protection

Safety glasses, suitable ventilation

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### Section 2 – Safety Data for Hydrochloric Acid

Synonyms: Muriatic Acid, Chlorohydric Acid  
Molecular formula: HCl

CAS NO: 7647-01-0

EC NO:

### Physical Data

Appearance: Clear colourless or slightly yellow liquid with pungent odour, fuming.

Melting point: -25 C

Boiling point: 109 C

Specific gravity: 1.19

Vapour pressure:

Flash point:

Explosion limits:

Autoignition temperature:

### Stability

Stable.

Avoid heat, flames. Incompatible with most common metals, amines, metal oxides, acetic anhydride, propiolactone, vinyl acetate, mercuric sulphate, calcium phosphide, formaldehyde, alkalies, carbonates, strong bases, sulphuric acid, chlorosulphonic acid.

### Toxicology

Extremely corrosive. Inhalation of vapour can cause serious injury. Estion may be fatal. Liquid can cause severe damage to skin and eyes. TLV 5 PPM.

### Personal Protection

Safety glasses or face mask, gloves. Effective ventilation.

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### Section 3 – Safety Data for Potassium Chloride

Synonyms: Potassium Muriate

Molecular formula: KCl

CAS NO: 7447407

EC NO:

### Physical Data

Appearance: White crystals or powder

Melting point: 776 C

Boiling point: Sublimes at 1500 C

Vapour density:

Vapour pressure:

Specific gravity: 1.99 G/CM<sup>3</sup>

Flash point:

Explosion limits:

Autoignition temperature:

Solubility in water: 34.7 G/100G at 20 C

### Stability

Stable

### Toxicology

Presents a low toxicological hazard. ORL-RAT LD50 2.43 G/KG

**Personal Protection**

Adequate ventilation

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**Section 4 – Safety Data for Magnesium Chloride**

Synonyms:

Molecular formula: MgCl<sub>2</sub> 6H<sub>2</sub>O

CAS NO: 7791-18-6

EC NO:

**Physical Data**

Appearance: White deliquescent crystals

Melting point: 118C

Boiling point:

Specific gravity: 1.56

Vapour pressure:

Flash point:

Explosion limits:

Autoignition temperature:

**Stability**

Stable. Substances to be avoided include most common metals, strong oxidising protect from moisture

**Toxicology**

Possible irritant

**Personal Protection**

Safety glasses, suitable ventilation.

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**Section 5 – Safety Data for Xylene Cyanole**

**Product Identification**

Formula: C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>26</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>6</sub>S<sub>2</sub>

Formula WT: 555.63

CAS NO.: 02650-17-1

Common synonyms: C.I. 43535

Precautionary labeling

Precautionary label statements

**Warning**

Harmful if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through skin causes irritation.

There is insufficient data in the published literature to assign complete numerical SAF-T-DATA ratings and laboratory protective equipment for this product. Special precautions must be used in storage, use and handling. Protective equipment for laboratory bench use should be chosen using professional judgment based on the size and type of reaction or test to be conducted and the available ventilation, with overriding consideration to minimize contact with the chemical. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep in tightly closed container. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Hazardous Components**

Component	%
CAS NO. 90-100 2650-17-1	

Xylene Cyanole FF

**Physical Data**

Boiling point: N/A  
Melting point: N/A  
Specific gravity: N/A  
(H<sub>2</sub>O=1)  
Solubility (H<sub>2</sub>O): Moderate (1 to 10 %)  
Appearance & odor: Blue-gray crystals

Vapor pressure (MM HG): N/A  
Vapor density (AIR=1): N/A  
Evaporation rate: N/A  
(Butyl Acetate=1)  
% Volatiles by volume: 0

**Fire and Explosion Hazard Data**

Flash point (Closed cup) N/A  
Flammable limits: Upper - N/A % Lower - N/A %  
Fire Extinguishing Media  
Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.  
Special fire-fighting procedures  
Firefighters should wear proper protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus with full facepiece operated in positive pressure mode.  
Toxic gases produced  
Nitrogen oxides, sulfur dioxide

**Health Hazard Data**

Carcinogenicity: NTP: NO IARC: NO Z LIST: NO OSHA REG: NO

Effects of overexposure

No effects of overexposure were documented.

Target organs

None identified

Medical conditions generally aggravated by exposure

None identified

Routes of entry

None indicated

Emergency and first aid procedures

Call a physician.

If swallowed, if conscious, immediately induce vomiting.

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Flush skin with water.

**Reactivity Data**

Stability: Stable

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur

Conditions to avoid: Moisture

Decomposition products: Oxides of nitrogen, oxides of sulfur

**Spill and Disposal Procedures**

Steps to be taken in the event of a spill or discharge

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

With clean shovel, carefully place material into clean, dry container and cover; Remove from area. Flush spill area with water.

Disposal procedure

Dispose in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

**Protective Equipment**

Eye/skin protection: Since some of the hazards of this product are unknown, an industrial hygienist should be

consulted on ventilation and personal protective equipment. Cover the body as much as possible to avoid contact with the chemical. Wear safety goggles, gloves, and impervious clothing.

### Storage and Handling Precautions

Special precautions

Keep container tightly closed. Suitable for any general chemical storage area.

### Transportation Data and Additional Information

Domestic (D.O.T.)

Proper shipping name      Chemicals, N.O.S. (Non-regulated)

International (I.M.O.)

Proper shipping name      Chemicals, N.O.S. (Non-regulated)

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### Section 6 – Safety Data for Sorbitol

Synonyms: Clucitol, sorbite

Molecular formula: C<sub>6</sub> H<sub>14</sub> O<sub>6</sub>

CAS NO: 00050-70-4

EC NO:

### Physical Data

Appearance: White crystals

Melting point: 95 C

Boiling point:

Specific gravity: 1.47

Vapour pressure:

Flash point:

Explosion limits:

Autoignition temperature:

### Stability

Stable, avoid strong oxidizing agents.

### Toxicology

No known hazards. (ORL-RAT LD50 16G/KG)

### Personal Protection

None.

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### Section 7 – Safety Data for Tween 20

#### Ingredients/Identity Information

Proprietary: No

Ingredient: Polysorbate 20; (Polyoxyethylenesorbitan monolaurate tween 20)

Ingredient sequence number: 01

NIOSH (RTECS) NUMBER: TR7400000

CAS Number: 9005-64-5

OSHA PEL: NOT APPLICABLE

ACGIH TLV: NOT APPLICABLE

**Physical/chemical Characteristics**

Appearance and odor: Viscous light yellow liquid.

Specific gravity: 1.095

**Fire and Explosion Hazard Data**

Flash point: >230F,>110C

Extinguishing media: Water spray, CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical powder/appropriate foam.

Special fire fighting proc: Wear NIOSH/MSHA approved SCBA and full protective equipment (FP N).

Unusual fire and expl hazrds: Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

**Reactivity Data**

Stability: Yes

Cond to avoid (Stability): None specified by manufacturer.

Materials to avoid: Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomp products: CO, CO<sub>2</sub>

Hazardous poly occur: No

Conditions to avoid (Poly): Not relevant

**Health Hazard Data**

LD50-LC50 mixture: None specified by manufacturer.

Route of entry - Inhalation: Yes

Route of entry - Skin: Yes

Route of entry - Ingestion: Yes

Health haz acute and chronic: Acute: May be harmful by inhalation, ingestion, or skin absorp. May cause irrit., chronic: None specified by manufacturer. The chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Carcinogenicity - NTP: No

Carcinogenicity - IARC: No

Carcinogenicity - OSHA: No

Explanation carcinogenicity: Not relevant

Signs/symptoms of overexp: See health hazards.

Med cond aggravated by exp: None specified by manufacturer.

Emergency/first aid proc: Inhal: Remove to fresh air. If not brthg give artf resp. If brthg is difficult, give O<sub>2</sub>. Ingest:

Wash out mouth with water provided pers is conscious. Call MD. Eyes: Immed flush with potable water for at least 15 minutes. See MD. Skin: Flush with copious amounts of water. Call MD (FP N).

**Precautions for Safe Handling and Use**

Steps if MATL released/spill: Wear NIOSH/MSHA respirator, chemical workers goggles, rubber boots and heavy rubber gloves. Cover with dry lime or soda ash, pick up, keep in a closed container and hold for waste disposal.

Neutralizing agent: Soda ash or dry lime.

Waste disposal method: Dissolve or mix the MATL with a combustible solv & burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner & scrubber.

Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations.

Precautions-handling/storing: Do not breathe vap. Do not get in eyes/on skin/on CLTHG. Avoid PRLNG/RPTD expos. Wash thoro after HNDLG. Keep tightly CLSD. Store in cool, dry place.

Other precautions: None specified by manufacturer.

**Control Measures**

Respiratory protection: NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator.

Ventilation: Mechanical exhaust required.

Protective gloves: Chemical resistant gloves.

Eye protection: Chemical workers goggles (FP N).

Other protective equipment: Safety shower & eye bath.

Work hygienic practices: Wash thoroughly after handling.  
SUPPL. Safety & Health Data: None specified by manufacturer.

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## Section 8 – Safety Data for dNTP

### Hazardous Ingredients

\*Material: As supplied, this product has no known hazardous ingredients.

### Physical Data

\*Appearance: Solution or crystal

\*Smell: N/A

\*Water solubility: Soluble

\*Organic solvent solubility: N/A

\*Evaporation rate: N/A

\*PH: N/A

\*Boiling point: N/A

\*Density: N/A

\*Vapor pressure: N/A

\*Melting point N/A

\*Vapor density: N/A

\*Specific gravity: N/A

### Fire and Explosion Hazard Data

\*Fire hazard: None

\*Flash point: N/A

\*Fire extinguishing media: Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

\*Special fire extinguishing procedures: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. Fire or excessive heat may cause production of hazardous decomposition products of oxides involving carbon, phosphorus and nitrogen.

### Toxicity and Health Data

\*Toxicity: Not established. The toxicological properties of this material have not been investigated. Exercise appropriate procedures to prevent contact with skin and eyes, and to prevent inhalation.

\*Acute health hazard: None known.

\*Chronic health hazard: None known.

### Health Hazards

\*Inhalation: Room ventilation should be adequate.

\*Skin contact: Wash exposed area with water. If irritation occurs seek medical advice.

\*Eye contact: Immediately wash eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 20 minutes. Seek medical attention immediately.

\*Ingestion: If conscious, drink water or milk. Seek medical advice.

### Reactivity Data

\*Reactivity: Stable under ordinary conditions of use and storage.

\*Incompatible: Unknown.

\*Decomposition: As with any organic material, combustion will produce oxides of carbon, nitrogen and phosphorus.

\*Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

### Spill and Disposal Procedures

\*Spill: Wear suitable protective clothing and eye protection. Clean area with water.

\*Disposal: Should be safe to sewer yet dispose in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local environmental

regulations.

**Protection Information**

\*Gloves: Wear protective gloves to prevent skin contact.

\*Eye protection: Wear splash-proof goggles.

\*Ventilation: Room ventilation is adequate.

**Handling and Storage Information**

\*Shipping#: DOT# N/A IATA# N/A

\*Storage: -20° C