

SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1 - IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

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Product identifier	DRI [®] pH-Detect [®] pH 3.6 Control Kit
Synonyms	100282, DRI [®] pH-Detect [®] pH 3.6 Control Kit
Trade names	DRI [®] pH-Detect [®] Calibrators and Controls
Chemical family	Mixture
Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against	<i>In vitro</i> diagnostic kit
Note	The toxicological and ecological properties of this product/ mixture have not been fully characterized. This SDS will be revisited if more data become available.

SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

Globally Harmonized System [GHS] Corrosive (skin) - Category 1. Corrosive (eye) - Category 1.

Other/Supplemental Mixture not yet fully tested.

Label elements

SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION ...continued

GHS hazard pictogram



GHS signal word

Danger

GHS hazard statements

H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. H318 - Causes serious eye damage.

GHS precautionary statements

P260 - Do not breathe mist/vapors/spray. P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling. P280 - Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection. P301 + P330 + P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. P303 + P361 + P353 - If on skin or hair: Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. P304 + P341 - IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P310 - Immediately call a Poison Center or doctor/physician. P321 - Specific treatment (see First Aid information on product label and/or Section 4 of the SDS). P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. P405 - Store locked up. P501 - Dispose of contents/container to location in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Other hazards

The potential health hazards associated with exposure/handling of this product/mixture are unknown; the hazardous properties of this mixture have not been fully investigated.

Note

This mixture is classified as hazardous according to Regulation EC No 1272/2008 (EU CLP) and Hazard Communication Standard No. 1910.1200 (US OSHA). The pharmacological, toxicological and ecological properties of this mixture have not been fully characterized.

SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

<u>Ingredient</u>	<u>CAS #</u>	<u>EINECS/ELIN</u> <u>CS#</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>GHS</u> <u>Classification</u>
Acetic acid	64-19-7	200-580-7	≤10.5%	FL3: H226; SC1A: H314

Note

The ingredient(s) listed above are considered hazardous and/or are the active ingredient. The remaining components are non-hazardous and/or present at amounts below reportable limits. See Section 16 for full text of GHS classifications. The GHS classification is based on Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 and Hazard Communication Standard No. 1910.1200.

SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Immediate Medical Attention Needed	Yes.
Eye Contact	If easy to do, remove contact lenses, if worn. Immediately flush eyes with copious quantities of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation occurs or persists, notify medical personnel and supervisor.
Skin Contact	Wash exposed area with soap and water and remove contaminated clothing/shoes. If irritation occurs or persists, notify medical personnel and supervisor.
Inhalation	Immediately move exposed subject to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is labored, administer oxygen. Immediately notify medical personnel and supervisor.
Ingestion	If swallowed, call a physician immediately. Do not induce vomiting unless directed by medical personnel. Do not give anything to drink unless directed by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Notify medical personnel and supervisor.
Protection of first aid responders	See Section 8 for Exposure Controls/Personal Protection recommendations.
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	See Sections 2 and 11.
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary	Medical conditions aggravated by exposure: None known or reported. Treat symptomatically and supportively.

SECTION 5 - FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media	Use water spray (fog), foam, dry powder, or carbon dioxide, as appropriate for surrounding fire and materials.
Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture	No information identified. May emit toxic gases of carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.
Flammability/Explosivity	No explosivity or flammability data identified. As product is primarily an aqueous solution, it is not expected to be flammable or explosive.
Advice for firefighters	In case of fire in the surroundings: use the appropriate extinguishing agent. Wear full protective clothing and an approved, positive pressure, self-contained breathing apparatus. Decontaminate all equipment after use.

SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	If product is released or spilled, take proper precautions to minimize exposure by using appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Area should be adequately ventilated.
Environmental precautions	Do not empty into drains. Avoid release to the environment.
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up	DO NOT CAUSE MATERIAL TO BECOME AIRBORNE. For small spills, soak up material with absorbent, e.g., paper towels. For large spills, cordon off spill area and minimize the spreading of spilled material. Soak up material with absorbent. Collect spilled material, absorbent, and rinse water into suitable containers for proper disposal in accordance with applicable waste disposal regulations (see Section 13). Decontaminate the area twice with an appropriate solvent (see Section 9).
Reference to other sections	See Sections 8 and 13 for more information.

SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling	Follow recommendations for handling pharmaceutical agents (i.e., use of engineering controls and/or other personal protective equipment if needed). Avoid contact with eyes, skin and other mucous membranes. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid breathing vapor/mist/spray.
Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities	Store at 2-8 °C in a well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials. Keep container upright and tightly closed.
Specific end use(s)	No information identified.

SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control

Parameters/Occupational

Exposure Limit Values

<u>Compound</u>	<u>Issuer</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>OEL</u>
Acetic acid	ACGIH	TLV-TWA	10 ppm
	Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Malta, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg	TWA-8 HR	10 ppm
	Finland, Sweden	TWA-8 HR	5 ppm
	Belgium, Greece, Ireland, Italy	STEL	15 ppm
	ACGIH	TLV-STEL	15 ppm
	Austria	STEL	20 ppm
	Estonia, Finland, France, Sweden	STEL	10 ppm
	Czech Republic	Ceiling	35 mg/m ³
	Germany	Ceiling	20 ppm
	Bulgaria	STEL	37 mg/m ³
	Hungary	STEL	25 mg/m ³
	Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Hungary	TWA-8 HR	25 mg/m ³
	Poland	TWA-8 HR	15 mg/m ³
	Poland	STEL	30 mg/m ³
	Portugal, Romania, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Spain	TWA-8 HR	10 ppm
	Portugal, Spain	STEL	15 ppm
	U.S. OSHA	PEL-TWA 8-Hr	10 ppm

SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION ...continued

Exposure/Engineering controls	Selection and use of containment devices and personal protective equipment should be based on a risk assessment of exposure potential. Use local exhaust and/or enclosure at aerosol-generating points. Laboratory operations should be conducted within a laboratory hood or biological safety cabinet. Emphasis is to be placed on closed material transfer systems and process containment, with limited open handling. High-energy operations such as spraying or fluidizing should be done within an approved emission control or containment system.
Respiratory protection	Choice of respiratory protection should be appropriate to the task and the level of existing engineering controls. If handling outside of containment device, an approved and properly fitted air-purifying respirator with HEPA filters should be considered to provide ancillary protection based on the known or foreseeable limitations of existing engineering controls. Use a powered air-purifying respirator equipped with HEPA filters or combination filters or a positive-pressure air-supplied respirator if there is any potential for an uncontrolled release, when exposure levels are not known, or in any other circumstances where a lower level of respiratory protection may not provide adequate protection.
Hand protection	Wear nitrile or other impervious gloves if skin contact is possible. Double gloves should be considered. When the material is dissolved or suspended in an organic solvent, wear gloves that provide protection against the solvent.
Skin protection	Wear appropriate gloves, lab coat, or other protective overgarment if skin contact is likely. Base the choice of skin protection on the job activity, potential for skin contact and solvents and reagents in use.
Eye/face protection	Wear safety glasses with side shields, chemical splash goggles, or full face shield, if necessary. Base the choice of protection on the job activity and potential for contact with eyes or face. An emergency eye wash station should be available.
Environmental Exposure Controls	Avoid release to the environment and operate within closed systems wherever practicable. Air and liquid emissions should be directed to appropriate pollution control devices. In case of spill, do not release to drains. Implement appropriate and effective emergency response procedures to prevent release or spread of contamination and to prevent inadvertent contact by personnel.
Other protective measures	Wash hands in the event of contact with this product/mixture, especially before eating, drinking or smoking. Protective equipment is not to be worn outside the work area (e.g., in common areas or out-of-doors). Decontaminate all protective equipment following use.

SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Liquid
Color	Clear
Odor	No information identified.
Odor threshold	No information identified.
pH	3 - 3.6
Melting point/freezing point	No information identified.
Initial boiling point and boiling range	No information identified.
Flash point	No information identified.
Evaporation rate	No information identified.
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information identified.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No information identified.
Vapor pressure	No information identified.
Vapor density	No information identified.
Relative density	No information identified.
Water solubility	Miscible in water
Solvent solubility	No information identified.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	No information identified.
Auto-ignition temperature	No information identified.
Decomposition temperature	No information identified.
Viscosity	No information identified.
Explosive properties	No information identified.
Oxidizing properties	No information identified.

Other information

SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES ...continued

Molecular weight	Not applicable (Mixture)
Molecular formula	Not applicable (Mixture)

SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	No information identified.
Chemical stability	No information identified.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Not expected to occur.
Conditions to avoid	Avoid extreme temperatures.
Incompatible materials	No information identified.
Hazardous decomposition products	No information identified.

SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Note	No data for this product/mixture were identified. The following data describe the active ingredient and/or the individual ingredients where applicable.
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Information on toxicological effects

Route of entry	May be absorbed by inhalation, skin contact and ingestion.
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Acute toxicity

<u>Compound</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Route</u>	<u>Species</u>	<u>Dose</u>
Acetic acid	LD ₅₀	Oral	Mouse	4960 mg/kg
	LD ₅₀	Oral	Rat	3310 mg/kg
	LD ₅₀	Oral	Rabbit	1200 mg/kg

Irritation/Corrosion	No data on product formulation. Acetic acid is corrosive to skin.
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Sensitization	No data on product formulation.
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STOT-single exposure	No data on product formulation.
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STOT-repeated exposure/Repeat-dose toxicity	No data on product formulation. In animals (species not identified) given a 3% acetic acid solution <i>via</i> intragastric administration over a period of six months, chronic inflammation of the esophagus was observed.
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Reproductive toxicity	No data on product formulation.
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Developmental toxicity	No data on product formulation. Teratogenicity testing with acetic acid has been reported to be negative in mice, rats, rabbits, hamsters, and guinea pigs.
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SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION ...continued

Genotoxicity	No data on product formulation. Acetic acid was negative for mutagenic effects with or without metabolic activation in the Ames bacterial cell mutagenicity assay.
Carcinogenicity	No data on product formulation. None of the components of the product/mixture present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% are listed by NTP, IARC, ACGIH or OSHA as a carcinogen.
Aspiration hazard	No data on product formulation.
Human health data	See "Section 2 - Other Hazards"

SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

<u>Compound</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Species</u>	<u>Concentration</u>
Acetic acid	LC ₅₀ /96h	Pimephales promelas	79 mg/L [static]
	LC ₅₀ /96h	Lepomis macrochirus	75 mg/L [static]
	EC ₅₀ /24h	Daphnia magna	47 mg/L
	EC ₅₀ /48h	Daphnia magna	65 mg/L [static]

Persistence and Degradability No data available.

Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

Mobility in soil No data available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment Not performed.

Other adverse effects No data available.

Note The environmental characteristics of this product/mixture have not been fully investigated. Releases to the environment should be avoided.

SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods Used product should be disposed of according to local, state, and federal regulations. All wastes containing the material should be properly labeled. Dispose of wastes in accordance to prescribed federal, state, and local guidelines. Rinse waters resulting from spill cleanups should be discharged in an environmentally safe manner.

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport	Based on the available data, this product/mixture is regulated as a hazardous material/dangerous good under EU ADR/RID, US DOT, Canada TDG, IATA, or IMDG.
UN number	3265
UN proper shipping name	Corrosive liquid, acidic, organic, n.o.s. (acetic acid).
Transport hazard classes and packing group	Hazard Class 8 - Packing Group III
Environmental hazards	Based on the available data, this product/mixture is not regulated as an environmental hazard or a marine pollutant.
Special precautions for users	Mixture not fully tested - avoid exposure.
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.

SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture	This SDS generally complies with the requirements listed under current guidelines in the US, EU and Canada. Consult your local or regional authorities for more information.
Chemical safety assessment	Not conducted.
WHMIS classification	SC1A: H314; ED1: H318. This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Hazardous Products Regulations and the SDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.
TSCA status	All components of mixture are on TSCA inventory or are exempt.
SARA section 313	Acetic acid is listed.
California proposition 65	Not listed.
Additional information	No other information identified.

SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of H phrases and GHS classifications	SC1A - Skin corrosion Category 1. H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. ED1 - Eye Damage Category 1. H318 - Causes serious eye damage.
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SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION ...continued

Sources of data	Information from published literature and internal company data.
Abbreviations	ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists; ADR/RID - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road/Rail; AIHA - American Industrial Hygiene Association; CAS# - Chemical Abstract Services Number; CLP - Classification, Labelling, and Packaging of Substances and Mixtures; DNEL - Derived No Effect Level; DOT - Department of Transportation; EINECS - European Inventory of New and Existing Chemical Substances; ELINCS - European List of Notified Chemical Substances; EU - European Union; GHS - Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IDLH - Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; LOEL - Lowest Observed Effect Level; LOAEL - Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level; NIOSH - The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; NOEL - No Observed Effect Level; NOAEL - No Observed Adverse Effect Level; NTP - National Toxicology Program; OEL - Occupational Exposure Limit; OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration; PNEC - Predicted No Effect Concentration; SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; STOT - Specific Target Organ Toxicity; STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act; TWA - Time Weighted Average; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System
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