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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name

Buffer ACB

Form

The product is included in the following product sets:

SP54104 IndiSpin Pathogen Kit (50)
SP54106 IndiSpin Pathogen Kit (250)
SP54161 IndiSpin QIAcube HT (480)
SP947457 IndiMag Pathogen Kit (384)
SP947257 IndiMag Pathogen Kit w/o plastics

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture

laboratory chemical

Uses advised against

No data available.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

Acute Tox. 4; H302

Acute Tox. 4; H332

Aquatic Chronic 3; H412

Eye Dam. 1; H318

Skin Corr. 1C; H314

Classification information

This product is assessed and classified using the methods and criteria below referred to in Article 9 of Regulation (EC) n° 1272/2008:

Physical hazards: determined through assessment data based on the methods or standards referred to in part 2 of Annex I to CLP

Health hazards and environmental hazards: determined through toxicological and ecotoxicological assessment data based on the methods or standards referred to in Part 3, 4 and 5 of Annex I to CLP.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP Regulation)

Hazard pictograms

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GHS05



GHS07

Signal word

Danger

Hazardous component(s) to be indicated on label:

GUANIDINIUMTHIOCYANATE

Hazard statement(s)

H302+H332 Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled
 H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
 H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Hazard statements (EU)

EUH032 Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas.

Precautionary statement(s)

P260 Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.
 P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
 P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].
 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/doctor.

2.3 Other hazards

PBT assessment

The product is not considered to be a PBT.

vPvB assessment

The product is not considered to be a vPvB.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.1 Substances**

Not applicable. The product is not a substance.

3.2 Mixtures**Hazardous ingredients**

No	Substance name		Additional information	
	CAS / EC / Index / REACH no	Classification (EC) 1272/2008 (CLP)	Concentration	%
1	GUANIDINIUMTHIOCYANATE			
	593-84-0	Acute Tox. 4*; H302	>= 25.00 - < 50.00	wt%
	209-812-1	Acute Tox. 4*; H312		
	615-004-00-3	Acute Tox. 4*; H332		
	-	Skin Corr. 1C; H314 Eye Dam. 1; H318 Aquatic Chronic 3; H412 EUH032		

Full text of H- and EUH-phrases, if not already mentioned in section 2.2: see section 16.

(*, **, ***, ****) Detailed explanation pls. refer to CLP regulation No. 1272/2008, annex VI, 1.2

SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1 Description of first aid measures****General information**

Remove contaminated clothing and shoes immediately, and launder thoroughly before reusing. Seek medical advice immediately. Show MSDS to the attending physician.

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Remove affected persons from dangerous area by observing suitable respiratory protection measures. Ensure supply of fresh air. Do not use mouth-to-mouth or mouth-to-nose resuscitation. In case of persisting adverse effects consult a physician.

After skin contact

Wash off immediately with soap and water. Seek medical attention.

After eye contact

Remove contact lenses. Rinse eye thoroughly under running water keeping eyelids wide open and protecting the unaffected eye (at least 10 to 15 minutes). Get immediate ophthalmic treatment.

After ingestion

Rinse the mouth thoroughly with water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No data available.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**5.1 Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing media**

Water spray jet; Alcohol-resistant foam; Dry chemical extinguisher; Carbon dioxide

Unsuitable extinguishing media

High power water jet

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

In the event of fire, the following can be released: Carbon oxides (COx); Sulphur oxides (SxOy); Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Use self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing. Run-off water from fire fighting must not be discharged into drains or enter surface water.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures****For non-emergency personnel**

Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8. Use personal protective clothing. Do not inhale vapours.

For emergency responders

Personal protective equipment (PPE) - see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into the drains/surface waters/groundwater. Do not discharge into the subsoil/soil. In case of entry into waterways, soil or drains, inform the responsible authorities.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible absorbent materials, e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite, diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

6.4 Reference to other sections

Information regarding safe handling, see section 7. Information regarding personal protective measures, see section 8. Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage**7.1 Precautions for safe handling****Advice on safe handling**

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Risks inherent to handling the product must be minimised by applying the appropriate protective and preventive measures. Working processes should - so far as possible, according to the state of the art - be designed to rule out bodily contact or the release of hazardous substances.

General protective and hygiene measures

Do not eat, drink or smoke during work time. Keep away from foodstuffs and beverages. Do not inhale vapours. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Wash hands before breaks and after work. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes and launder thoroughly before reusing. Have emergency shower available. Provide eye wash fountain in work area.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Keep away from ignition sources and provide for good ventilation.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**Technical measures and storage conditions**

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

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Containers which are opened must be carefully closed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Always keep in containers of same material as the original.

Incompatible products

Do not store together with: Acids

7.3 Specific end use(s)

No data available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**8.1 Control parameters**

No parameters available for monitoring.

8.2 Exposure controls**Appropriate engineering controls**

Provide adequate ventilation. Where reasonably practicable this should be achieved by the use of local exhaust ventilation and good general extraction. If these are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of particulates and solvent vapour below the OEL (=Occupational Exposure Limit), suitable respiratory protection must be worn.

Personal protective equipment**Respiratory protection**

If workplace exposure limits are exceeded, a respiration protection approved for this particular job must be worn. In case of aerosol and mist formation, take appropriate measures for breathing protection in the event workplace threshold values are not specified.

Eye / face protection

Tightly fitting safety glasses (EN 166).

Hand protection

Sufficient protection is given wearing suitable protective gloves checked according to i.e. EN 374, in the event of risk of skin contact with the product. Before use, the protective gloves should be tested in any case for its specific work-station suitability (i.e. mechanical resistance, product compatibility and antistatic properties). Adhere to the manufacturer's instructions and information relating to the use, storage, care and replacement of protective gloves. Protective gloves shall be replaced immediately when physically damaged or worn. Design operations thus to avoid permanent use of protective gloves.

Other

Chemical-resistant work clothes. Protective shoes.

Environmental exposure controls

No data available.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties****State of aggregation**

liquid

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Form	
liquid	
Colour	
light yellow	
Odour	
characteristic	
pH value	
Value	8.1
Source	supplier
Boiling point / boiling range	
No data available	
Melting point/freezing point	
No data available	
Decomposition temperature	
No data available	
Flash point	
No data available	
Ignition temperature	
No data available	
Auto-ignition temperature	
not determined	
Source	supplier
Flammability	
No data available	
Lower explosion limit	
No data available	
Upper explosion limit	
No data available	
Vapour pressure	
No data available	
Relative vapour density	
No data available	
Relative density	
No data available	
Density	
Value	1.13 g/cm ³
Source	supplier
Solubility	
No data available	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	
No data available	
Kinematic viscosity	
No data available	
Particle characteristics	
No data available	

9.2 Other information

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Other information

No data available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

Dangerous reactions are not expected if the product is handled according to its intended use.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage and handling conditions (See section 7).

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Dangerous reactions are not to be expected when handling product according to its intended use.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

None, if handled according to intended use.

10.5 Incompatible materials

strong acids; Sodium hypochlorite; Oxidizing agents; Alkalis

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

None, if handled according to intended use.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute oral toxicity (result of the ATE calculation for the mixture)

Product Name

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ATE (Mixture)	724.64 mg/kg
Method	Calculation method according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, (CLP), annex I, part 3, section 3.1.3.6.

Acute oral toxicity

No data available

Acute dermal toxicity (result of the ATE calculation for the mixture)

Product Name

Buffer ACB

ATE (Mixture)	1594.20 mg/kg
Method	Calculation method according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, (CLP), annex I, part 3, section 3.1.3.6.

Acute dermal toxicity

No data available

Acute inhalational toxicity (result of the ATE calculation for the mixture)

Product Name

Buffer ACB

ATE (Mixture)	2.1739 mg/l
Route of exposure / physical form	Dust/mist
Method	Calculation method according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, (CLP), annex I, part 3, section 3.1.3.6.

Acute inhalational toxicity

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

Product Name

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Source	supplier
Evaluation	strongly corrosive

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Serious eye damage/irritation	
Product Name	
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Source	supplier
Evaluation	strongly corrosive
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	
No data available	
Germ cell mutagenicity	
No data available	
Reproduction toxicity	
No data available	
Carcinogenicity	
No data available	
STOT - single exposure	
No data available	
STOT - repeated exposure	
No data available	
Aspiration hazard	
No data available	
Endocrine disrupting properties	
No data available	

11.2 Information on other hazards

Other information

No data available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish (acute)
No data available
Toxicity to fish (chronic)
No data available
Toxicity to Daphnia (acute)
No data available
Toxicity to Daphnia (chronic)
No data available
Toxicity to algae (acute)
No data available
Toxicity to algae (chronic)
No data available
Bacteria toxicity
No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available.

12.4 Mobility in soil

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No data available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	
Product Name	
Buffer ACB	
PBT assessment	The product is not considered to be a PBT.
vPvB assessment	The product is not considered to be a vPvB.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available.

12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available.

12.8 Other information

Other information
Do not discharge into drains or waters and do not dispose of in public landfills.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**13.1 Waste treatment methods****Product**

Disposal of the product should be carried out in accordance with all applicable regulations following consultation with the responsible local authority and the disposal company in an authorised and suitable disposal facility.

Allocation of a waste code number, according to the European Waste Catalogue, should be carried out in agreement with the regional waste disposal company.

Packaging

Residues must be removed from packaging and when emptied completely disposed of in accordance with the regulations for waste removal. Incompletely emptied packaging must be disposed of in the form of disposal specified by the regional disposer.

SECTION 14: Transport information**14.1 UN number or ID number**

ADR/RID/ADN	UN1760
IMDG	UN1760
ICAO-TI / IATA	UN1760

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID/ADN	CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S.
Technical name	GUANIDINIUMTHIOCYANATE
IMDG	CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S.
Technical name	GUANIDINIUMTHIOCYANATE
ICAO-TI / IATA	Corrosive liquid, n.o.s.
Technical name	GUANIDINIUMTHIOCYANATE

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID/ADN - Class	8
Label	8
Classification code	C9
Tunnel restriction code	E
Hazard identification no.	80
IMDG - Class	8
Label	8
ICAO-TI / IATA - Class	8
Label	8

14.4 Packing group

ADR/RID/ADN	III
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IMDG III
ICAO-TI / IATA III**14.5 Environmental hazards**

EmS F-A, S-B

14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available.

14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not relevant

SECTION 15: Regulatory information**15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****EU regulations****Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) Annex XIV (List of substances subject to authorisation)**

According to the data available and/or specifications supplied by upstream suppliers, this product does not contain any substances considered as substances requiring authorisation as listed on Annex XIV of the REACH regulation (EC) 1907/2006.

REACH candidate list of substances of very high concern (SVHC) for authorisation

According to available data and the information provided by preliminary suppliers, the product does not contain substances that are considered substances meeting the criteria for inclusion in annex XIV (List of Substances Subject to Authorisation) as laid down in Article 57 and article 59 of REACH (EC) 1907/2006.

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) Annex XVII: RESTRICTIONS ON THE MANUFACTURE, PLACING ON THE MARKET AND USE OF CERTAIN DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES, MIXTURES AND ARTICLES

The product is considered being subject to REACH regulation (EC) 1907/2006 annex XVII.	No 3
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Directive 2012/18/EU on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances

This product is not subject to Part 1 or 2 of Annex I.

Other regulations

Adhere to the national sanitary and occupational safety regulations when using this product.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for this mixture.

SECTION 16: Other information**Sources of key data used to compile the data sheet:**

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), 1272/2008 (CLP) as amended in each case.

Directives 2000/39/EC, 2006/15/EC, 2009/161/EU, (EU) 2017/164.

National Threshold Limit Values of the corresponding countries as amended in each case.

Transport regulations according to ADR, RID, IMDG, IATA as amended in each case.

The data sources used to determine physical, toxic and ecotoxic data, are indicated directly in the corresponding section.

Full text of the H- and EUH- phrases drawn up in sections 2 and 3 (provided not already drawn up in these sections)

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H312	Harmful in contact with skin.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H332	Harmful if inhaled.

Creation of the safety data sheet

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