

Safety Data Sheet
According to 91/155 EEC

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1 Identification of substance:

- **Product details:**
- **Trade name:** BT Chelex® 100 Resin, Sodium Form
- **Article number:** 1432832, 1432836, 1432832EDU
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** Laboratory chemicals
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Bio-Rad Laboratories Ltd.
5671 McAdam Road
Mississauga, Ontario L4Z 1N9
Canada
- **Information department:** Technical services, customer support.
- **Emergency information:** 1(905)712-2771

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2 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization**
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 68954-42-7	Polystyrene-divinylbenzene iminodiacetate	50-100%
CAS: 7732-18-5 EINECS: 231-791-2 RTECS: ZC 0110000	water	35-50%

- **Additional information** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

3 Hazards identification

- **Hazard description:** not applicable
- **Information pertaining to particular dangers for man 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.

4 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.

5 Fire fighting measures

- **Suitable extinguishing agents** CO2, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

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· **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Person-related safety precautions:** Not required.
- **Measures for environmental protection:** No special measures required.
- **Measures for cleaning/collecting:** Pick up mechanically.
- **Additional information:** No dangerous substances are released.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **Information 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.
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** According to product specification
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** None.

8 Exposure controls and personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures** The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to when handling chemicals.
- **Protection of hands:** Protective gloves.
- **Material of gloves** 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:

· **General Information**

Form:	Solid.
Colour:	According to product specification
Odour:	Odourless

· **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range: undetermined
Boiling point/Boiling range: undetermined

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· Flash point:	Not applicable
· Self igniting:	Product is not selfigniting.
· Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· Vapour pressure at 20°C:	23.0 hPa
· Density:	Not determined
· Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Insoluble
· Solvent content:	
· Organic solvents:	0.0 %
· Water:	40.0 %
· Solids content:	100.0 %

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Dangerous reactions** No dangerous reactions known
- **Dangerous products of decomposition:** No dangerous decomposition products known

11 Toxicological information

- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating 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.

13 Disposal considerations

- **Product:**
- **Recommendation** Hand over to hazardous waste disposers.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

- **Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)**
- **ADR/RID class:** -

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- **Maritime transport IMDG:**
- **Marine pollutant:** No
- **Transport/Additional information:** Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

15 Regulations

- **Markings according to EU guidelines:**
Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals
The product is not subject to identification regulations under EU Directives and the Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (GefStoffV).
- **Safety phrases:**
60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.
- **National regulations**
This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations

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 MSDS:** Environmental Health and Safety.
 - **Contact:**
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Diagnostic Group, Environmental Health and Safety, 4000 Alfred Nobel Drive, Hercules, California, 94547: 1(510) 724-7000
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