

Material Safety Data Sheet

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● 1 Identification of substance:

○ **Product details:**

○ **Trade name:** Chelex 100 100-200 200-400, Na+

○ **Catalog or product number:**

1422842, 1422832, 1422834, 1422835, 1422832-001, 1422842-001,
1422843

○ **Manufacturer/Supplier:**

Bio-Rad Laboratories, Life Science Research
2000 Alfred Nobel Drive
Hercules, California 94547
1(510)741-1000

○ **Information department:** Technical services, customer support.

○ **Emergency information:**

1(800)424-9300 Use only in the event of a CHEMICAL EMERGENCY
involving a SPILL, LEAK, FIRE, EXPLOSION or ACCIDENT.
510-741-1000

● 2 Composition/Information on components:

○ **Chemical characterization:**

CAS No. Description:

68954-42-7 Polystyrene-divinylbenzene iminodiacetate

○ **Identification number(s):**

○ **EU Number:** 585-580-02-X

● **3 Hazards identification**

- **Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment**

R 16 Explosive when mixed with oxidizing substances.

- **NFPA ratings (scale 0-4)**

Health = 0

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

● **4 First aid measures**

- **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. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

- **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.

- **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.

● **7 Handling and storage**

○ **Handling**

○ **Information for safe handling:**

No special measures required.

Prevent formation of dust.

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:**

No special requirements.

○ **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.

○ **Further information about storage conditions:**

Keep receptacle tightly sealed.

○ **Storage class**

○ **Class according to regulation on flammable liquids:** Void

● **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:

Not required.

○ **Additional information:**

The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

○ **Personal protective equipment**

○ **General protective and hygienic measures**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

○ **Breathing equipment:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory

protective device that is independent of circulating air.

○ **Protection of hands:**

Protective gloves.

Synthetic gloves

○ **Eye protection:** Tightly sealed goggles.

● **9 Physical and chemical properties:**

○ **Form:** particulate

○ **Color:** Whitish

○ **Odor:** Odorless

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Value/Range Unit Method

○ **Change in condition**

○ **Melting point/Melting range:** undetermined

○ **Boiling point/Boiling range:** undetermined

○ **Flash point:** Not applicable

○ **Flammability (solid, gaseous)** Product is not flammable.

○ **Danger of explosion:**

Product does not present an explosion hazard.

○ **Density:** Not determined

○ **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

○ **Water:** Fully miscible
Insoluble

○ **Organic solvents:** 0.0 %

○ **Solids content:** 100.0 %

● **10 Stability and reactivity**

○ **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**

No decomposition if used according to specifications.

○ **Dangerous reactions** Reacts with strong oxidizing agents

○ **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:** Irritant effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

● **12 Ecological information:**

- **General notes:** Not known to be hazardous to water.

● **13 Disposal considerations**

- **Product:**
- **Recommendation**
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
Hand over to hazardous waste disposers.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:**
Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

● **14 Transport information**

- **DOT regulations:**
- **Hazard class:** -
- **Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)**
- **ADR/RID class:** -
- **Maritime transport IMDG:**
- **IMDG Class:** -
- **Marine pollutant:** No
- **Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:**
- **ICAO/IATA Class:** -

● **15 Regulations**

- **SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 - USA) Section 302/304 (40CFR355.30 / 40CFR355.40):**

Substance not listed.

- **California Proposition 65:**
Chemicals known to cause cancer:

Substance is not listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity:

Substance is not listed.

- **Markings according to EU guidelines:**
The product has been classified and marked in accordance with EU Directives / Ordinance on Hazardous Materials
- **Risk phrases:** 16 Explosive when mixed with oxidizing substances.
- **Safety phrases:**
24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
50 Do not mix with
- **National regulations**
- **Classification according to VbF:** Void

● **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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