

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** IPG ReadyStrip™, pH 3.9-5.1
- **Catalog or product number:** 1632020, 1632024, 1632028, 1632038, 1632048
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory chemicals
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
Bio-Rad Laboratories, Life Science Group  
2000 Alfred Nobel Drive  
Hercules, California 94547 (510)741-1000
- **Information department:**  
Technical services, customer support  
lsg\_techserv\_us@bio-rad.com
- **Emergency telephone number:**  
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 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**  
The product is not classified according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC** not applicable
- **Information concerning particular hazards for human 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.  
The classification was made according to OSHA 29CFR 1910.1200 and 1910.1030, and is expanded upon from company and/or literature information.
- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** Void
- **Hazard pictograms** Void
- **Signal word** Void
- **Hazard statements** Void
- **Additional information:** Contact with acids may cause release of toxic gases
- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

## 3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization:** Mixtures
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with non-hazardous additions.

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**· Listing of dangerous and non-hazardous components:**

25034-58-6	Polyacrylamide-co-methylene-bis-acrylamide		50-100%
56-81-5	glycerol		20-35%
7732-18-5	water		2.5-5%
53370-87-9	Acrylamido Monomer, pK 4.6	Xn R21 Xi R36	1.0-2.5%
3845-76-9	Acrylamido Monomer, pK 9.3	Xn R21 Xi R36	1.0-2.5%

**· Additional information** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 15.

**4 First-aid measures**

- Description of 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.
- Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed** No further relevant information available.

**5 Fire-fighting measures**

- Extinguishing media**
- Suitable extinguishing agents** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- Advice for firefighters**
- Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

**6 Accidental release measures**

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Wear protective clothing.
- Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
- Reference to other sections**  
No dangerous substances are released.  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.

**7 Handling and storage**

- Precautions for safe handling**  
No special measures required.  
No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.

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- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **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.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

**8 Exposure controls/personal protection**

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**

· **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

**56-81-5 glycerol**

PEL ()	15* 5** mg/m <sup>3</sup> *total dust **respirable fraction
TLV ()	10 ppm

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures** The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **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**

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

<b>Form:</b>	Solid
<b>Color:</b>	Colorless
<b>Odor:</b>	Odorless

· **Change in condition**

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

· <b>Flash point:</b>	> 100 °C
· <b>Ignition temperature:</b>	400 °C
· <b>Auto igniting:</b>	Product is not selfigniting.

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- **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.
- **Explosion limits:**
  - Lower:** 0.9 Vol %
- **Vapor pressure at 20 °C:** 0.1 hPa
- **Density:** Not determined
- **Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:** Fully miscible
- **Solvent content:**
  - Organic solvents:** 29.2 %
  - Water:** 5.0 %
- **Solids content:** 62.4 %
- **Other information** No further relevant information available.

**10 Stability and reactivity**

- **Reactivity**
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known

**11 Toxicological information**

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
  - **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
  - **on the eye:** No irritant 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.

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Target organs:** Not applicable.

**12 Ecological information**

· **Toxicity**

· **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

· **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.

· **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

· **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.

· **Additional ecological information:**

· **General notes:**

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

· **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

**13 Disposal considerations**

· **Waste treatment methods**

· **Recommendation**

Hand over to hazardous waste disposers.

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

· **Uncleaned packagings:**

· **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

**14 Transport information**

· **UN-Number**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

Void

· **UN proper shipping name**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

Void

· **Transport hazard class(es)**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

· **Class**

Void

· **Packing group**

· **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA**

Void

· **Environmental hazards:**

· **Marine pollutant:**

No

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- **Special precautions for user** Not applicable.
- **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable.
- **Transport/Additional information:** Not dangerous according to the above specifications.
- **UN "Model Regulation":** -

**15 Regulatory information**

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 - USA)**

- **Section 302/304 (40CFR355.30 / 40CFR355.40):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Section 313 (40CFR372.65):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

25034-58-6 Polyacrylamide-co-methylene-bis-acrylamide

56-81-5 glycerol

7732-18-5 water

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **MAK (German Maximum Workplace Concentration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **National regulations**

- **Technical instructions (air):**

Class	Share in %
NK	20-35

- **Water hazard class:** Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.
- **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

**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 SDS:** Environmental Health and Safety.

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**· Date of preparation / last revision 02/02/2015 / -****· Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

**· \* Data compared to the previous version altered.**