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Material Safety Data Sheet: geneMAG-PCR; MSDS 3701

1. Chemical Product an Company Identification

Product Name:	geneMAG-PCR
Cat. No:	3701-100, 3701-500, 3701-1000
Name of part component:	SiMAG-PCR

Manufacturer:	chemicell GmbH Eresburgstrasse 22-23 12103 Berlin Germany Tel.: +49-30-2141481 Fax: +49-30-21913737

Chemical Formula:	suspension of superparamagnetic silica particles

2. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Product Discription

Magnetic core:	Magnetite (Fe_3O_4)
Matrix:	Silica
Terminal groups:	Silanol
Suspension media:	water, 20% propan-2-ol
CAS No:	None

3. Hazard Identification

Xi Irritant

· **Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:**

R 36 Irritating to eyes.

· **Classification system:**

The classification is according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and extended by company and literature data.

HMIS Rating (scale 0-4):	Health=1; Fire=0; Reaktivity=0; PPE=Goggles or Safety Glasses, Lab Coat, proper Gloves
Routes of Exposure:	Inhalation=yes, Ingestion=yes, Skin=no
Accute Effects:	Could cause eye and skin irritation. Exposure may cause irritation to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. May be harmful if swallowed.
Chronic Effects:	Prolonged or repeated exposure to reagents may cause adverse reproductive effects. May cause fetal effects.

4. First Aid

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with water for at least 15 min while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Ifnot breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. Seek medical attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Negligible fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame.

Extinguishing Media: Water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder or appropriate foam.

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: May emit toxic fumes under fire conditions. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Evacuate unnecessary personnel from area. Provide adequate general or local exhaust ventilation. If adequate ventilation is unavailable, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles. Wear appropriate protective gloves and protective clothing to prevent skin exposure, absorb on sand, vermiculite or chemical absorbing material and place in containers for disposal. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

7. Handling and Storage

Slight irritant. Keep container closed. Store in a cool dry place, +2° C to +8° C. Wear lab coat, gloves and eye protection and provide adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Ensure proximity to safety shower and eye bath. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

For routine operations wear lab coat, gloves and safety glasses to avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Any protective lab wear's chemical resistance should be verified by supplier. Ensure proximity to eyewash and safety shower. Contaminated clothes should be changed immediately. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid prolonged or repeated inhalation and skin exposure.

9. Physical and Chemical Protection

Appearance:	brown
Solubility:	No
pH (+20 ° C):	NA
Fusing Temperature:	NA
Boiling Point:	NA
Flash Point:	NA
Explosion Limit:	NA
Density:	2.25 g/cm^3

10. Stability and Reactivity

Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

Incompatibilities: Is incompatible with strong oxidizing agents, aluminum, acids, bases, calcium nitrate, pyridine, iodine, and sulfur trioxide.

Hazardous Combustion or Decomposition Products: Toxic fumes of carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxides, ammonia and chlorine may be released.

11. Toxicological Information

The material are may be harmful by inhalation or ingestion. Material may be irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. The product may be harmful if swallowed. To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties of this formulation have not been thoroughly investigated. The product should be handled and treated with the usual caution of any unknown chemical.

12. Ecological Information

No data available. In the case of appropriate handling and use there is no expected ecological problem.

13. Disposal Information

Dissolve or mix with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations. Dispose of material packaging in accordance of federal, state and local environmental regulations. Any contaminated material or packaging should be treated the same as the material.
Notes to disposal: No uniform regulations are present for the disposal of chemicals in the member States of the European Union. In Germany disposal requirements should be handled differentiating “wastes for utilization” and “wastes for removal”.

14. Transport Information No data available.

15. Regulatory Information None known.

16. Other Information Revised Document Date 09/11/06

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Name of part component: Binding & Wash Buffer I

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Chemical Formula: $C_2H_6N_4S$

2. Composition / Data on components

· **Chemical characterization**

· **Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous components:**

593-84-0 guanidinium thiocyanate	50 - 100%

3. Hazard description:

R: 20/21/22-32

S: 13

Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment:

Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

Irritating to eyes and skin.

NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)

Health = 2

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)

Health = 2

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

OSHA Hazard Overview (Criteria according to 29CFR1910.1200):

Toxic

Irritant

Primary route(s) of entry:

Dermal

Inhalation

Oral

Target Organ(s): Risk of damage to eyes

Additional information:

Product has been observed to have sensitizing effects.

Product contains a toxic substance in greater than 1% and may exibit toxicological properties similar to the pure substance.

4. First Aid

General information:

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hoursafter the accident.

After inhalation:

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

After skin contact: Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

After eye contact:

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

After swallowing: *Immediately call a doctor.*

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: Mouth respiratory protective device.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Person-related safety precautions: Not required.

Measures for environmental protection: Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

Measures for cleaning/collecting:

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling:

Information for safe handling:

Thorough dedusting. Keep receptacles tightly sealed.

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

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.

8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

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.

General protective and hygienic measures:

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
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 Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation.

Material of gloves

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

Eye protection: Tightly sealed goggles

9. Physical and Chemical Protection

Appearance:	colourless crystals
Appearance of solution:	clear, colourless
pH-value(1M, H_2O):	5,0 – 7,0
Boiling Point:	undetermined
Flash Point:	NA
Explosion Limit:	NA
Density:	NA

10. Stability and Reactivity

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.

Dangerous reactions

Reacts with acids.

Reacts with oxidizing agents.

Dangerous products of decomposition:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Sulfur oxides (SOx)

11. Toxicological information

Primary irritant effect:

on the skin: Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
on the eye: Irritating effect.

Sensitization: Sensitization possible through inhalation.

Additional toxicological information:

The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:
Harmful
Irritant

12. Ecological Information

Water hazard class 1 (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.

13. Disposal Information

Product:
Recommendation:
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.
Recommended cleansing agent: Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14. Transport Information

DOT regulations:
Hazard class: 8
Identification number: UN1760
Packing group: III
Proper shipping name: CORRESIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (guanidium thiocyanate)
Label: 8

Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border):
ADR/RID class: 8 Corresive substances
Danger code (Kemler): 80
UN-Number: 1760
Packaging group: III
Description of goods: 1760 Corresive liquid, n.o.s. (guanidium thiocyanate)

Maritime transport IMDG:
IMDG class: 8
UN-Number: 1760
Label: 8
Packaging group: III
Marine pollutant: No
Proper shipping name: CORRESIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (guanidium thiocyanate)

Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:
ICAO/IATA class: 8
UN/ID Number: 1760
Label: 8
Packaging group: III
Proper shipping name: CORRESIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (guanidium thiocyanate)

15. Regulatory Information

Product related hazard informations:
The product has been classified and marked in accordance with directives on hazardous materials.
Hazard symbols: Xn Harmful
Hazard-determining components of labelling: guanidinium thiocyanate

Risk phrases:
Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.
Irritating to eyes and skin.

Safety phrases:
Keep container in a well-ventilated place. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.
If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

Water hazard class: Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

16. Other Information

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