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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET According to EC Directive 91/155 EC Date: 01/08/10

### 1. Identification of the substance/preparation and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1 Product Details:

Trade Names: PCRBIO HS Taq DNA Polymerase

Catalogue Numbers: PB10.21-02 PB10.21-10 PB10.21-50

Kit Components: PCRBIO HS Taq DNA Polymerase (5u/ul) 5x Reaction buffer

### **1.2 Company Details**

Manufacturer/Supplier:

PCR Biosystems Ltd. 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Aztec House 397-405 Archway Road London, N6 4ER United Kingdom

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# 2. Hazards identification

• Trade name PCRBIO HS Taq DNA Polymerase (5u/ul)

· Classification of the substance or mixture

• **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008** The product is not classified according to the CLP regulation.

· Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC Void

· 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.

· Label elements

### · Labelling 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:

35 This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way.

· 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 nonhazardous additions.

• Dangerous components: Glycerol CAS: 56-81-5

EINECS: 200-289-5

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

### 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.



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• After swallowing Induce vomiting and call for medical help.

· Information for doctor

• **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. Firefighting measures

· Extinguishing media

· Suitable extinguishing agents

CO2, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

· 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 Not required.

Environmental precautions:

Dilute with plenty of water.

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). Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

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

- · Handling
- Precautions for safe handling No special measures required.
- 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

WEL () Long-term value: 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

• Additional information: The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.



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- · Exposure controls
- · Personal protective equipment
- · General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to when handling chemicals.

- · Breathing equipment: Not required.
- · Protection of hands: Protective gloves.
- · Material of gloves Synthetic gloves
- Penetration time of glove material

The exact break trough 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

- $\cdot$  Information on basic physical and chemical properties
- · General Information
- · Appearance:
- Form: Fluid
- Colour: Colourless
- · Odour: Odourless
- · Odour threshold: Not determined.
- **pH-value:** Not determined.
- · Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: undetermined

- **Boiling point/Boiling range:** 100°C
- Flash point: > 55°C
- · Flammability (solid, gaseous) Not applicable.
- · Ignition temperature: 270°C
- · Decomposition temperature: Not determined.
- · Self igniting: Product is not selfigniting.
- · Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.
- Explosion limits:
- Lower: 1.8 Vol %
- **Upper:** 63.0 Vol %
- · Vapour pressure at 20°C: 23 hPa
- **Density:** Not determined
- · Relative density Not determined.
- · Vapour density Not determined.
- · Evaporation rate Not determined.
- Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water: Fully miscible

- Segregation coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.
- · Viscosity:
- dynamic: Not determined.
- kinematic: Not determined.
- · Solvent content:
- Organic solvents: 12.0 %
- Water: 71.3 %
- **Solids content:** 16.7 %
- · Other information No further relevant information available.



# 10. Stability and reactivity

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· Reactivity

- · Chemical stability
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- · Possibility of hazardous reactions No dangerous reactions known
- $\cdot$  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:
- LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:
- 67-68-5 dimethyl sulfoxide

Oral LD50 14500 mg/kg (rat)

- 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.

# 12. Ecological information

- · Toxicity
- · Acquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.
- · Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.
- · Behaviour in environmental systems:
- · **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.

- $\cdot$  Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- · Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

## 13. Disposal considerations

### $\cdot$ Waste treatment methods

· 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

· Maritime transport IMDG:

- Marine pollutant: No
- · Special precautions for user Not applicable.
- **Transport/Additional information:** Not dangerous according to the above specifications.
- Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

### 15. Regulatory information

- · Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture · National regulations
- Technical instructions (air):
- Class Share in %

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- 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**

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