

Safety Data Sheet

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Initial preparation date: : 02.25.2015**Polymer Activator Reagent****SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the supplier****Product name:** Polymer Activator Reagent**Manufacturer/Supplier Article number:** DUBP409142**Recommended uses of the product and restrictions on use:** Laboratory**Manufacturer Details:**

AquaPhoenix Scientific
860 Gitts Run Road,
Hanover, PA 17331
(717) 632-1291

Supplier Details:

Dubois Chemicals Inc.
3630 East Kemper Rd, Cincinnati, OH 45241
(800) 438-2647

Emergency telephone number:

Emergency Phone No. (800) 255-3924

SECTION 2: Hazards identification**Classification of the substance or mixture:****Corrosive**

Skin corrosion, category 1B
Serious eye damage, category 1

Skin Corr. 1B.
Eye Dam. 1.

Signal word: Danger**Hazard statements:**

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Causes serious eye damage.
Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statements:

If medical advice is needed have product container or label at hand.
Keep out of reach of children.
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Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Wash thoroughly after handling.
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do.
Continue rinsing.
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Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Store locked up.

Dispose of contents and container as instructed in Section 13.

Other Non-GHS Classification: None**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****Ingredients:**

Ingredients:		
CAS 121-54-0	Benzethonium chloride	15 %
CAS 7732-18-5	Deionized Water	85 %
Percentages are by weight		

SECTION 4: First aid measures**Description of first aid measures****After inhalation:**

Loosen clothing as necessary and position individual in a comfortable position. Move exposed to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing is difficult give oxygen. Get medical assistance if cough or other symptoms appear.

After skin contact:

Rinse/flush exposed skin gently using soap and water for 15-20 minutes. Seek medical advice if discomfort or irritation persists.

After eye contact:

Protect unexposed eye. Rinse/flush exposed eye(s) gently using water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lens(es) if able to do so during rinsing. Seek medical attention if irritation persists or if concerned.

After swallowing:

Rinse mouth thoroughly. Do not induce vomiting. Have exposed individual drink sips of water. Seek medical attention if irritation, discomfort or vomiting persists. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Irritation. Nausea. Headache. Shortness of breath.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:

If seeking medical attention, provide SDS document to physician. Physician should treat symptomatically. If seeking medical attention provide SDS document to physician. Physician should treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing agents:**

Use appropriate fire suppression agents for adjacent combustible materials or sources of ignition. Use water, dry chemical, chemical foam, carbon dioxide, or alcohol-resistant foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing agents: None

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:

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Combustion products may include carbon oxides or other toxic vapors. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

Advice for firefighters:**Protective equipment:**

Use NIOSH-approved respiratory protection/breathing apparatus. Wear protective eyewear, gloves, and clothing. Refer to Section 8.

Additional information (precautions):

Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Avoid inhaling gases, fumes, dust, mist, vapor and aerosols. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:**

Wear protective equipment. Ensure that air-handling systems are operational. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Environmental precautions:

Prevent from reaching drains, sewer or waterway. Should not be released into environment.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Keep in suitable closed containers for disposal. Wear protective eyewear, gloves, and clothing. Always obey local regulations. Containerize for disposal. Refer to Section 13. If necessary use trained response staff or contractor. Refer to Section 8. Avoid dispersal of dust in the air. Collect solids in powder form using vacuum with HEPA filter. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Reference to other sections: None**SECTION 7: Handling and storage****Precautions for safe handling:**

Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Follow good hygiene procedures when handling chemical materials. Refer to Section 8. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Follow proper disposal methods. Refer to Section 13. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or use personal products when handling chemical substances.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Store away from incompatible materials. Protect from freezing and physical damage. Keep away from food and beverages. Store in a cool location. Provide ventilation for containers. Keep container tightly closed. Store away from incompatible materials. Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers. Store with like hazards.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**Control parameters:**

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Appropriate engineering controls: Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of use/handling. Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapor or dusts (total/respirable) below the applicable workplace exposure limits (Occupational Exposure Limits-OELs) indicated above. It is recommended that all dust control equipment such as local exhaust ventilation and material transport systems involved in handling of this product contain explosion relief vents or an explosion suppression system or an oxygen deficient environment. Ensure that dust-handling systems (such as exhaust ducts, dust collectors, vessels, and processing equipment) are designed in a manner to prevent the escape of dust into the work area (i.e., there is no leakage from the equipment). Use under a fume hood.

Respiratory protection: Not required under normal conditions of use. When necessary use NIOSH approved breathing equipment. Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls.

Protection of skin: Select glove material impermeable and resistant to the substance. Wear protective clothing. Select glove material based on rates of diffusion and degradation. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Use proper glove removal technique without touching outer surface. Avoid skin contact with used gloves.

Eye protection: Wear equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses or goggles are appropriate eye protection.

General hygienic measures: Perform routine housekeeping. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Before re-wearing, wash contaminated clothing.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

Appearance (physical state, color):	Clear to foamy, colorless liquid	Explosion limit lower:	Not determined
		Explosion limit upper:	Not determined
Odor:	Odorless	Vapor pressure at 20°C:	Not determined
Odor threshold:	Not determined	Vapor density:	Not determined
pH-value:	Not determined	Relative density:	Approx. 1
Melting/Freezing point:	Not determined	Solubilities:	Material is water soluble.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Not determined	Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined
Flash point (closed cup):	Not determined	Auto/Self-ignition temperature:	Not determined
Evaporation rate:	Not determined	Decomposition temperature:	Not determined
Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not determined	Viscosity:	a. Kinematic: Not determined b. Dynamic: Not determined
Density at 20°C:	Not determined		

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**Reactivity:**

Nonreactive under normal conditions.

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Stable under normal conditions.

Possible hazardous reactions:

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid:

Incompatible Materials.

Incompatible materials:

Oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products: None**SECTION 11: Toxicological information****Acute Toxicity:** No additional information.**Chronic Toxicity:** No additional information.**Skin corrosion/irritation:** No additional information.**Serious eye damage/irritation:** No additional information.**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** No additional information.**Carcinogenicity:****OSHA:** No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.**Germ cell mutagenicity:** No additional information.**Reproductive Toxicity:** No additional information.**STOT-single and repeated exposure:** No additional information.**Additional toxicological information:**

No additional information.

SECTION 12: Ecological information**Ecotoxicity:**

Toxicity to fish , LC50 - Lepomis macrochirus - 1.4 mg/l - 96.0 h.

Toxicity to algae., IC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) - 0.12 mg/l - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201).

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates, EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 0.22 mg/l - 48 h (OECD Test Guideline 202).

Toxicity to bacteria, - Bacteria - 35.7 mg/l - 3 h.

Persistence and degradability:

Result: 0 % - According to the results of tests of biodegradability this product is not readily biodegradable. (Directive 67/548/EEC Annex V, C.4.B.).

Bioaccumulative potential: No additional information.**Mobility in soil:** No additional information.**Other adverse effects:**

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**Waste disposal recommendations:**

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Chemical waste generators

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must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations. Ensure complete and accurate classification. Dispose of empty containers as unused product. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to properly characterize all waste materials according to applicable regulatory entities (US 40CFR262.11).

SECTION 14: Transport information**US DOT****UN Number:**

ADR, ADN, DOT, IMDG, IATA

Not Regulated

Limited Quantity Exception:

None

Bulk:**RQ (if applicable):** None**Proper shipping Name:** Not Regulated.**Hazard Class:** None**Packing Group:** Not Regulated.**Marine Pollutant (if applicable):** No additional information.**Comments:** None**Non Bulk:****RQ (if applicable):** None**Proper shipping Name:** Not Regulated.**Hazard Class:** None**Packing Group:** Not Regulated.**Marine Pollutant (if applicable):** No additional information.**Comments:** None**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****United States (USA)****SARA Section 311/312 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

None of the ingredients are listed.

SARA Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

None of the ingredients are listed.

RCRA (hazardous waste code):

None of the ingredients are listed.

TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) :

All ingredients are listed.

CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act):

None of the ingredients are listed.

Proposition 65 (California):**Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

None of the ingredients are listed.

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All ingredients are listed.

SECTION 16: Other information

This product has been classified in accordance with hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations. Note. The responsibility to provide a safe workplace remains with the user. The user should consider the health hazards and safety information contained herein as a guide and should take those precautions required in an individual operation to instruct employees and develop work practice procedures for a safe work environment. The information contained herein is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, accurate. However, since the conditions of handling and use are beyond our control, we make no guarantee of results, and assume no liability for damages incurred by the use of this material.

NFPA: 1-0-0**HMIS:** 3-0-0**GHS Full Text Phrases:** None**Abbreviations and Acronyms:**

IMDG	International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods.
IATA	International Air Transport Association.
GHS	Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals.
ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society).
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association (USA).
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WHMIS	Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada).
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DNEL	Derived No-Effect Level (REACH).
PNEC.	Predicted No-Effect Concentration (REACH).
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations (USA)
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (USA).
RCRA.	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (USA).
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TSCA.	Toxic Substances Control Act (USA).
NPRI	National Pollutant Release Inventory (Canada).
DOT	US Department of Transportation.
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations (USA)

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