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Olerup SSP® Ethidium Bromide Dropper Bottle

Product number: 103.301-10

Storage: Room temperature (25°C)

PRODUCT USE

Adding ethidium has never been easier! For the recommended final concentration of $0.5\mu g/ml$, simply add one drop from the bottle for every 50 ml of solution. For the most accurate and consistent results, hold the dropper bottle vertically and squeeze slowly until the forming drop falls from the tip.

$0.040 \text{ ml } \times 625 \mu\text{g/ml} / 50 \text{ ml} = 0.5 \mu\text{g/ml}$

drop size stock final final concentration

Remember to allow agarose to cool to 55-60°C before addition of ethidium to prevent volatilization of the compound.

For post-run staining of gels, use a 1X buffer with 0.5 μ g/ml ethidium bromide for 30 min at RT. This can be followed with an optional destaining soak in water or 1 mM MgSO₄ for 20 min at RT, to reduce background fluorescence.

STORAGE

Store at room temperature (25°C) and shield from light. The storage vial supplied with your dropper bottle is specially designed to exclude damaging UV light. It also provides an extra level of protection from accidental spills.

DISPOSAL

All ethidium containing solutions and gels must be disposed of properly. Follow your local recommendations.

CAUTIONS

Ethidium bromide is a strong mutagen and a moderate acute toxin. Always use gloves and eye protection when handling ethidium containing solutions. For further information, consult the MSDS for this product on the reverse of this sheet.

The UV light from sources used for visualization of ethidium stained DNA is damaging to your eyes. Always wear appropriate protective eyewear when using these instruments.

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PRODUCT PRODUCT: Ethidium bromide solution, 0.625 mg/ml concentration.

IDENTIFICATION PRODUCT No.: 103.301-10

MANUFACTURE: Genesee Scientific Corporation, San Diego, CA 92126.

CHEMTREC: 800-424-9300

PRODUCT CAS# CHEMICAL NAME FINECS # COMPOSITION 1239-45-8 ethidium bromide 214-984-6 7732-18-5 231-791-2 water

PHYSICAL DATA Aqueous solution, red-orange colour, no odour.

> Specific gravity: 1.0 pH @ 25°C: 6.9 +/- 1.0

HAZARD DATA AND FIRST AID **MEASURES**

IRRITANT, SUSPECTED MUTAGEN

EYE: irritant, in case of contact rinse thoroughly with water and consult physician. SKIN: irritant, may cause local dermatitis, in case of contact wash thoroughly with soap & water, do not handle material with bare hands. Avoid all contact with

clothing, properly dispose of all contaminated clothing.

INGESTION: toxic, irritant, causes nausea, vomiting. Seek medical aid immediately.

INHALATION: irritant, avoid breathing fumes.

FIRE HAZARD DATA Non-flammable, wear MSHA/NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus.

Flashpoint: N/A

NFPA RATING: Not published

Hazardous decomposition products: nitrogen oxides, CO, CO2

ACCIDENTAL **RELEASE**

Wear chemical safety goggles and gloves, collect material for disposal with absorbant material. May be disposed of by incineration in an approved device.

EXPOSURE Chemical safety goggles as per 29 CFR 1910.133 CONTROL

Chemical resistant gloves

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing

Wash thoroughly after exposure

Use respiration protection devices that meet OSHA CFR 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2

specifications

REACTIVITY Stable at room temperature under normal conditions.

Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents.

TOXICOLOGY RTECS: CAS# 1239-45-8: SF7950000 (ethidium bromide)

LD50/LC50: UNLISTED

CARCINOGENICITY: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NIOSH, NTP or OSHA. No other

data available.

MUTAGENICITY: structurally similar to compounds known to be potent mutagens.

ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS

Dispose of in a manner consistent with federal, state and local regulations. RCRA: No information available. Not listed as a RCRA land disposed banned

material.

HANDLING & **STORAGE**

Store at room temperature in a UV light resistant container.

Avoid eye and skin contact. Wear protective eye-wear, gloves and clothing. Follow

directions for use.

TRANSPORT INFORMATION No specific USDOT, IMO, IATA, RID/ADR or TDG information available. Constituent materials not listed at the concentrations occurring in these products.

REGULATIONS

Federal: TCSA: ingredients listed, no ingredients have a SNUR under TCSA. SARA: None of the ingredients have a RQ. None of the ingredients have a TPQ. None of the ingredients are listed under Section 313 CAA. This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants or Class 1 or Class 2 ozone depletors OSHA.

State RTK listings: none

European: No hazards symbols. Risk not available. Safety S24/25.

OTHER INFORMATION

The above information is believed correct as of the above date, but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. Olerup SSP AB shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above

product.

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