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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

(The format of the MSDS complies with Commission Directive 2001/58/EC as amended.) *Revised: 01 December 2006*

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE PREPARATION/SUBSTANCE AND OF THE COMPANY

Preparation Name:

M.HspA I – DNA methyltransferase - buffered aqueous glycerol solution.

(Supplied with: SE-buffer B, SAM-solution).

Source:

An E. coli strain that carries M.HspAI gene from Haemophilus species AI.

Catalogue numbers of the product:

M003, SM003, MM003, LM003 (depending on the quantity).

Use of the preparation:

For laboratory use.

Company identification:

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2. COMPOSITION/ INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients:			
M.HspA I	< 0.1% (w/v)	EC#	CAS#
2. Glycerol	50% (v/v)	EC#200-289-5	CAS#56-81-5
3. Sodium chloride	< 1% (w/v)	EC#231-598-3	CAS#7647-14-5
4. Tris-HCl	< 1% (w/v)		
(mix of Tris (Trometamol)		EC#201-064-4	CAS#77-86-1
and Hydrochloric acid		EC#231-595-7	CAS#7647-01-0)
5. EDTA (disodium salt)	< 0.01% (w/v)	EC#205-358-3	CAS#139-33-3
6. DTT (Dithiothreitol)	< 0.1% (w/v)	EC#222-468-7	CAS#3483-12-3
7. Water	$\sim 48\% (v/v)$	EC#231-791-2	CAS#7732-18-5

Ingredients indicated above do not present a health or environmental hazard within the meaning of Council Directive 67/548/EEC, or their concentrations do not exceed the limits specified in Council Directive 1999/45/EC, and in Commission Directive 2001/58/EC.

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

The preparation is not classified as dangerous according to Directive 1999/45/EC or Directive 67/548/EC, and is not labelled with danger symbols or indications of danger.

Hazards deriving from physical-chemical properties:

The data available do not support any physical or chemical hazard.

Human health hazards:

Aqueous glycerol enzyme solutions are aerosol-free preparations. However, inappropriate handling may cause formation of aerosols. Inhalation of enzyme aerosols may cause allergic type reactions in sensitized individuals. Prolonged skin contact may cause minor irritation. **Caution:** Avoid inhalation, ingestion, and skin contacts.

Environmental hazards:

The data available do not support any environmental hazard.

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Ingestion:

If swallowed, rinse mouth and throat thoroughly with water. Consult a doctor in event of any complaints.

Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove victim from area of exposure. If symptoms of irritation or respiratory allergy occur, consult a doctor.

Skin contact:

Generally, the product does not irritate the skin. If symptoms of irritation after prolonged exposure occur, consult a doctor.

Eye contact:

In case of contact, wash out opened eyes with plenty of water for several minutes. Consult a doctor in event of any complaints.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

The preparation cannot cause fire.

Suitable extinguishing agents:

Water spray, Carbon Dioxide, dry chemical powder or appropriate foam.

Not suitable extinguishing agents:

None.

Special exposure hazards from decomposition products:

Not thoroughly investigated.

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions:

Wear appropriate gloves (see Section 8), safety glasses to clean small releases/spillage. In case of vapour/aerosol formation, wear suitable respiratory protection means. Ventilate the area.

Environmental precautions:

No special measures required.

Methods for cleaning up:

Absorb spillages with liquid-binding material. Ventilate and wash the area after the spillage is completely removed.

Additional information:

No dangerous substances are released.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling:

No further requirements.

Use appropriate personal protection measures (see Section 8). Avoid any contact with the liquid. Avoid the formation of aerosols. Ventilate area.

Storage:

Store at - 20°C. None other specific requirements relating to the preparation.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that need to be monitored at the workplace.

General protective and hygienic measures:

The usual precautionary measures are the same as for chemicals handling.

Engineering measures:

None specific requirements relating to the preparation.

Personal protection:

- **Respiratory protection:** No special measures required.
- Hand protection: Wear rubber gloves. None special requirements to rubber.
- **Eye protection**: No need to wear glasses (goggles) when ordinary operations with the preparation. Safety glasses are recommended during certain operations when aerosol formation is possible.
- Skin protection: The usual precautionary measures accepted in research laboratories, e.g. protective clothes (gowns). None specific requirements.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Liquid. Colour: Colourless. **Odour:** Odourless. **pH-value at 25°C:** 7.5. **Boiling point:** 182°C. Melting Point: 20°C. Flash Point: Not applicable. Flammability/autoflammability: The preparation is not flammable/self-igniting. Explosive properties: The preparation does not possess explosive properties. **Oxidizing properties:** Not applicable. Vapour pressure: Not applicable. Relative density at 20°C: 1.13 g/cm³. Solubility in/miscibility with water: Fully miscible. Fat solubility: Not applicable. Vapour density: Not applicable. Evaporation rate: Not applicable. Conductivity: Not applicable. Viscosity: Viscous.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:

Stable under storage conditions (see Section 7).

Conditions to avoid:

No conditions which may cause dangerous reactions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions:

No dangerous reactions known.

Materials to avoid:

No materials which may cause dangerous reactions.

Hazardous decomposition products:

No dangerous decomposition products known.

Hazardous polymerization:

Will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Routes of exposure:

Inhalation: Inhalation of aerosols may cause allergic type reactions in sensitized individuals.

Ingestion: Repeated ingestion or excessive dosage may cause irritation of the gastrointestinal tract.

Skin and eye contact: Generally, the product does not irritate the skin and eyes. Prolonged skin or eye contact may cause minor irritation.

Additional toxicological information:

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects.

The product is not listed in a priority list as foreseen under Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 on the evaluation and control of the risks of the existing substances.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity:

The preparation is considered not dangerous to the environment with respect to mobility, persistence and degradability, bioaccumulation, aquatic toxicity and other data relating to ecotoxicity.

Persistence and degradability:

The preparation is readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential:

It is considered that the preparation does not accumulate in biota, and does not pass through the food chain.

Other adverse effects:

Not applicable.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

The disposal of the product does not present a danger.

No special disposal methods required, except to be in accordance with current local environmental regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Special precautions:

None known.

Proper shipping name:

Not dangerous goods according to transport regulations.

National transport regulations:

No additional national transport regulations are known to the supplier.

IMDG: Non-hazardous for sea freight.		
ADR: Non-hazardous for road transport.		
RID: Non-hazardous for rail transport.		
ICAO/IATA: Non-hazardous for air transport.		

Other information:

The preparation may be stored in ice during the transportation.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

US

Labelling according to US Regulations: Caution: Avoid contact and inhalation. **US Regulatory information:** SARA LISTED: No.

EU

Labelling according to EU Guidelines: The preparation is not dangerous within the meaning of Directives 67/548/EC, 1999/45/EC, and 88/379/ECC, and is not labelled with danger symbols or indications of danger.

Canada

WHMIS classification: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR. DSL: No.

NDSL: No.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all-inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. SibEnzyme shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.