

Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** HEPES, CRYSTAL, BIOLOGICAL BUFFER
- **Article number:** 16780, 16782
- **CAS Number:**
7365-45-9
- **EC number:**
230-907-9
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory chemicals
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Electron Microscopy Sciences
1560 Industry Road
USA-Hatfield, PA 19440
Tel: 215-412-8400 Fax: 215-412-8450
email: info@emsdiasum.com
www.emsdiasum.com
- **Information department:** Product safety department
- **Emergency telephone number:**
ChemTrec 1-800-424-9300 Contract CCN7661
1-703-527-3887

2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



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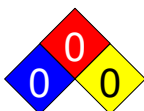
Acute Toxicity - Oral 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



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- **Signal word** Warning
- **Hazard statements**
Harmful if swallowed.
- **Precautionary statements**
Wash thoroughly after handling.
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.
Rinse mouth.
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
- **Classification system:**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 0
Fire = 0
Reactivity = 0

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· **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

HEALTH	0	Health = 0
FIRE	0	Fire = 0
REACTIVITY	0	Reactivity = 0

- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Substances**
- **CAS No. Description**
7365-45-9 N-(2-hydroxyethyl)piperazin-1-ylethanesulphonic acid
- **Identification number(s)**
- **EC number:** 230-907-9

4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:**
Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.
- **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.
- **After swallowing:** Immediately call a doctor.
- **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 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- **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:** 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.
Ensure adequate ventilation.

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- **Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

· PAC-1:	30 mg/m ³
· PAC-2:	330 mg/m ³
· PAC-3:	2,000 mg/m ³

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling**
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **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:** *No special requirements.*
- **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:** *Not required.*
- **Additional information:** *The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.*
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
- **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:**
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.
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.

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- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:** Goggles recommended during refilling.

9 Physical and chemical properties

· Information on basic physical and chemical properties

· General Information

· Appearance:

Form:	Powder
Color:	White
Odor:	Odorless
Odor threshold:	Not determined.

· **pH-value:** Not determined.

· Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Undetermined.

· **Flash point:** Not applicable.

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not flammable.

· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

· **Auto igniting:** Not determined.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· Explosion limits:

Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.

· **Vapor pressure:** Not determined.

· **Density:** Not determined.

· **Relative density** Not determined.

· **Vapor density** Not determined.

· **Evaporation rate** Not determined.

· Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water: Not miscible or difficult to mix.

· **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.

· Viscosity:

Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
VOC content:	0.00 %
	0.0 g/l / 0.00 lb/gal

Solids content: 0.0 %

· **Other information** No further relevant information available.

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10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **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:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **Carcinogenic categories**

· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

Substance is not listed.

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

Substance is not listed.

· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety Health Administration)**

Substance is not listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior 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 (Assessment by list): slightly hazardous for water*
- *Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.*
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

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13 Disposal considerations

- **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.

14 Transport information

· UN-Number · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
· UN proper shipping name · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
· Transport hazard class(es) · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA · Class	Void
· Packing group · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
· Environmental hazards:	Not applicable.
· Special precautions for user	Not applicable.
· Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
· UN "Model Regulation":	Void

15 Regulatory information

· Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture No further relevant information available.	
· Sara	
· Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):	
Substance is not listed.	
· Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):	
Substance is not listed.	
· TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):	
ACTIVE	
· Hazardous Air Pollutants	
Substance is not listed.	
· Proposition 65	
· Chemicals known to cause cancer:	
Substance is not listed.	
· Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:	
Substance is not listed.	

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· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

Substance is not listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

Substance is not listed.

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

Substance is not listed.

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value)**

Substance is not listed.

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

Substance is not listed.

· **GHS label elements** The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

· **Hazard pictograms**



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· **Signal word** Warning

· **Hazard statements**

Harmful if swallowed.

· **Precautionary statements**

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Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.

Rinse mouth.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Contact:**

· **Date of preparation / last revision** 11/07/2022 / -

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety **Health**

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

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REL: Recommended Exposure Limit
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